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THE REPRESENTATIVE OF TWO VERY ANCIENT FAMILIES

IN THE NORTH OF ENGLAND,

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PREFACE.

THE First Volume of this Work is now completed, and an opinion may be formed of a project, which was deemed at its announcement so beset by difficulties, as to hold out little hope of a successful issue. Those difficulties have however passed away—the completion of the first volume *is* accomplished, and nothing formidable remains to impede the progress of the second. In these pages will be found the lineage of nearly four hundred families, enjoying in the aggregate probably a revenue of two millions sterling, and deriving, many of them, their territorial possessions from WILLIAM OF NORMANDY; invested however with no exclusive rank—designated by no exclusive title —and born to no exclusive privilege. To this grade in her social system—her independent country gentlemen—England is mainly indebted for her greatness abroad, and her prosperity at home. In this—and her free institutions, she differs from every other country in Europe.

It was the Author's intention to acknowledge his obligations to his principal correspondents individually; but, on referring to the list, he finds it so extensive, that it would be entirely out of place to present such a catalogue here. He begs of them, nevertheless, to be assured that he entertains the strongest sense of the great and valuable assistance he has received. Indeed he is convinced that, could he adhere to his original determination, he should by simply so doing propitiate a more than ordinary degree of favor. He cannot, however, forbear recording the debt he owes to Sir David William Smith, bart. of Alnwick; to William Henry Allan, esq. of Durham; to Michael Jones,

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esq.; to Ormerod, Surtees, Hodgson, and Baker, the able historians of the counties of Chester, Durham, Northumberland, and Northampton; and to the local historians generally, from whose laborious and useful works he has derived the most essential aid.

ABBREVIATIONS.

b.—born.	*s. p.*—sine prole.
m.—married.	*s. p. m.*—sine prole mascula.
d.—died.	*v. p.*—vitâ patris.
s.—succeeded.	*dau.*—daughter.

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ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.

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SHAKERLEY OF SOMERFORD.—Mr. Shakerley died in 1834.

ALLAN OF BLACKWELL GRANGE. JOHANNA MARY, sister of the present representative of the family, *m.* in 1836, Edward Haygarth Maling, esq. cousin to the Earl of Mulgrave.

ROBERT ALLAN, esq. baptized 13th July, 1566, (seventh son of George Allan, of Yarm) died at Antigua, leaving an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH ALLAN, baptized at Darlington, 18th May, 1694, who *m.* John Burke, esq. of the same island, and was mother of

ELIZABETH BURKE, who wedded Martin Blake, esq. and died in London, 3rd January, 1771, leaving a son and four daughters,

1. John Blake, living in 1783.
1. MARGARET BLAKE, *m.* John Thomlinson, esq. M.P. for Steyning, and left
   MARY THOMLINSON, the wife of EDWARD BEESTON LONG, esq. (see vol. ii. p. 165).
2. Jane Blake, *m.* to — Rentrop, of Antwerp.
3. Penelope Blake, *m.* to — Sober, esq.
4. Sarah Blake, *m.* to — Masterson, esq.

The following inscription is upon a monument in the chancel of Darlington Church, erected by the eminent antiquary, GEORGE ALLAN, esq. F.S.A., to the memory of Ann Allan and her sister Dorothy, as also to his own wife:

Choro Cælesti
Beatarum Virginum accessere
Dorothea et Anna
Georgii Allan, de Blackwell Grange, Arm.
filiæ:
illa anno 1760, æt. 38,
Fœminarum dulce decus, et invidia major;
haec anno 1785, æt. 66.
Pauperum Solamen, omnium deliciæ,
Utraque Christianis Virtutibus eximia;
has erga, et in memoriam
Annæ, suæ conjugis charissimæ
Anno 1787, æt. 46, abreptæ,
hoc grati animi pignus
posuit
Geo. Allan de Darlington.

VAVASOUR OF WESTON.—WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston Hall, died 15th Janaury, 1833, and leaving no issue, the family is now extinct. The children of Mr. Vavasour's only sister Ellen, who married the Rev. John Carter, are William Carter and Anne, the wife of the Rev. Mr. Beckwith.

ELLISON OF HEPBURN.—The late HENRY ELLISON, esq. left, besides the present possessor of HEPBURN, another son and three daughters, viz.

Robert, lieutenant-colonel in the grenadier guards, who *m.* the Hon. Mary Montague, daughter of the late Lord Rokeby, and has one son.

Hannah, *m.* to John Carr, esq. of Dunstan Hill, in the county of Durham, and has five sons and three daughters.

Henrietta, *m.* to George William Aylmer, esq. of Mowden Hall, Essex.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Frederick Edward Morrice, esq. of Betshanger in Kent.

The present Mr. Ellison has resigned the sheriffdom of the palatinate.

MYNORS OF TREAGO.—The present P. R. MYNORS, esq. through the alliance of his ancestor, ROWLAND MYNORS, esq. with Theodosia, daughter of Sir Percival Willoughby, knt. of Wollaton, proves Founder's kin to All Souls' Oxford. The descent is thus traced;

BEATRIX CHICHELEY, daughter of John Chicheley, chamberlain of London, born in 1425, wedded Sir William Peche, knt. of Lullingston, Kent, and had (with a son Sir John Peche, knight banneret) a daughter,

ELIZABETH PECHE, who *m.* John Hart, esq. of the Middle Temple, and had a son,

SIR PERCIVAL HART of Lullingston, chief sewer and knight harbinger to Henry VIII., who *m.* Frediswide, daughter and co-heir of John Lord Bray, and had a son, Sir George Hart, of Lullingston, and a daughter,

CATHERINE HART, who espoused Thomas Willoughby,* esq. of Bore Place, and left a son and successor,

* Thomas Willoughby was son of Robert Willoughby of Bore Place, grandson of Thomas Willoughby, Lord Chief Justice *temp.* HENRY VIII. and great grandson of Sir Christopher Willoughby, who was second son of Sir Christopher Willoughby, by Cecelia his wife, sister and heir of Richard Lord Welles.

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SIR PERCIVAL WILLOUGBY, knt., who *m.* Bridget eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir Francis Willoughby, knt. of Wollaton, and sister to Margaret, wife of Sir Robert Spencer, created in 1603, Baron Spencer of Wormleighton. By this lady Sir Percival had, with other issue,

FRANCIS (Sir), ancestor of LORD MIDDLETON.

THEODOSIA, *m.* to ROWLAND MYNORS, esq. of Treago, great-great-great-great grandfather of the present PETER RICKARDS MYNORS, esq. of Treago.

The following extract from ORDERICUS VITALIS (who wrote nearly 600 years ago a History of Normandy, published by Monsieur du Chesne) may throw some light on the origin of the great house of BASKERVILLE.

"Baldricus Teutonicus married the daughter of Richard surnamed de Benefacta, Lord of Clare and Tunbridge in England, by Roesia, his wife, sister to Walter Giffard, the second Earl of Buckingham after the Conquest, and daughter of Walter Giffard, Count of Longueville, in Normandy, and first Earl of Buckingham in England, who was son of Osborne de Bolebec by Avelina his wife, sister to Gunnora, wife of Richard, the first of that name, Duke of Normandy. Baldrick by his said wife had six sons and as many daughters; the sons were NICHOLAS DE BASCHEVILLA, now Bacqueville; Fulke de Anjou; Robert de Courcy; Richard de Nova Villa or Nevill; Baldrick de Balgenzais, now Beangeney or Boysgeney; and Wigenus, or Wigman of Apulia. NICHOLAS, the eldest, married one of the Dutchess Gunnora's nieces, and by her had two sons, William Martell and Walter de St. Martin, who were ancestors of the Warrens, Earls of Warren and Surrey, and of the Mortimers, Earls of March, &c. &c."

BASKERVILLE OF CLYRO COURT.

THOMAS BASKEKVILLE MYNORS BASKERVILLE, esq. *m.* 2nd March, 1837, Elizabeth Mary, daughter of the Rev. Powell Colchester Guise, third son of Sir John Guise, bart. of Highnam, in Gloucestershire.

RUSSELL OF BRANCEPETH.—Incorporate the following particulars of this family with the details given at page 104:

THE RUSSELLS are of considerable antiquity in Cumberland:—in many of the early entries in the church registers of Millam (which the Rev. Henry Dixon, officiating minister, has recently with much care investigated) they are described as Russells de Duddon Bridge, and de Arnabie; by an intermarriage with the ancient family of Taylor, they acquired the estate of ROWENLANDS, to which they removed between the years 1652 and 1657, and they continued to abide there until 1803, when in consequence of the demise issueless of the elder brother, the property passed to William Russell, esq. of Brancepeth Castle, who having himself realised a very considerable fortune in the county of Durham, alienated the acquisition, and it is now in the possession of R. Postlewaite, esq. of Braughton in Furness.

Unfortunately the early registers are so defective, that no very continuous pedigree can be made out before the year 1598, and the baptismal records commence with 1600.

JOHN RUSSELL,* esq. of Arnabie, dying in 1608, was buried at Millam, and *s.* by his son,

MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. of Arnabie, who had issue,

MATTHEW, his heir.
Richard, who *d.* 1st December, 1638.
Elizabeth.
Margaret.

The elder son and heir,

MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. of Arnabie, born 19th March, 1615, intermarrying with the Taylor family, acquired the estate of Rowenlands, and dying 27th January, 1684, left a son and successor,

MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. of Rowenlands, *b.* 15th February, 1657-8, who had (with two daughters, Elizabeth and Bridget) two sons, viz.

ROBERT, his heir.
Matthew, *b.* 2nd August, 1685, who settled at Sunderland as a merchant in 1700, and upon his demise issueless in 1760, devised half his fortune, which was very considerable, to his nephew William, late of Brancepeth Castle. In Sunderland churchyard a beautiful monument is erected to his memory.

Matthew Russell *d.* 28th February, 1695, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT RUSSELL, esq. of Rowenlands, *b.* 8th October, 1682, who had issue,

MATTHEW, his heir.
WILLIAM, successor to his brother.
Robert, *b.* in September, 1737, who went out to India as a merchant and there died.
James, *b.* 6th March, 1744, *d.* in August, 1745.

Robert Russell died 22nd March, 1757, and was *s.* by his son,

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* His brothers were
Robert, *m.* 10th June, 1598, to Elizabeth Cooke.
Jeffery, who *d.* 2nd February, 1603-4.
Peter, who *d.* 27th December, 1607.

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MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. *b.* 31st March, 1733, who died without issue at Rowenlands in January, 1803, and was *s.* by his next brother,

WILLIAM RUSSELL, esq. of Brancepeth Castle (as stated in the body of the work). This gentleman, who sold the estate of Rowenlands, was distinguished for liberality and benevolence. Among many similar instances may be mentioned an hospital at Cornsay in the county of Durham, which he built and endowed, for a considerable number of aged and infirm persons of both sexes, with a chapel for divine service, and a school attached for a large establishment of boys and girls. During the war in 1803, he raised a corps of volunteer infantry, consisting of two full companies, which he armed, clothed, and completely equipped at his own expense; he was also chiefly instrumental in raising the Usworth troop of yeomanry cavalry, and in the distresses on the termination of the war, he received and maintained the poor, coming from all quarters, in barracks constructed for the purpose, where every comfort was provided, while he kept alive their habits of industry, by engaging such as were able in various works on his extensive estates. Mr. Russell was *s.* at his decease by his son,

MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. of Brancepeth Castle, vice-lieutenant for the county of Durham (as stated in the body of the work). On leaving Trinity College, Oxford, this gentleman accepted a company in the Durham militia, and was subsequently major of the regiment. In 1801 he was returned member for Saltash (one of his father's boroughs) and continued to serve in parliament until his death in London, 8th May, 1822. He rebuilt the greater part of Brancepeth Castle, and it is now one of the most noble edifices in the north of England. Probably few individuals have ever been so justly, deeply, and universally lamented. Mr. Russell's only son and successor, the present WILLIAM RUSSELL, esq. of Brancepeth Castle, also vice-lieutenant of the county Palatinate, was returned in two successive parliaments for the county of Durham, and proved himself a zealous and disinterested promoter of the reform, by the patriotic gift of his boroughs of Bletchinglye and Saltash, consisting of three seats.

Estates.—Brancepeth, Brandon, Hardwicke, Willington, Westparks, Newton, Newton-cap, Blakestone, Fulthorpe, and Thwaites, in the county of Durham, and Baysdale in the county of York.

CANDLER OF CALLAN.

The family Estates are—Morton Pinkney and Culworth, both in Northamptonshire; with lands in Norfolk and Yorkshire.

FLOOD OF FLOOD HALL.—Alterations in the account of this family.

FLOOD, JOHN, esq. of Flood Hall, in the county of Kilkenny, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for that shire, *m.* Miss Saurin, eldest daughter of the Rt. Hon. William Saurin, (brother to the Bishop of Dromore), late attorney-general for Ireland, and niece to the Marquess of Thomond.

Lineage.

This family descends, it is presumed, from Sir Thomas Fludd, knt. of Milgate, who was receiver of Kent, Sussex, and Surrey, and treasurer to the army sent (temp. ELIZABETH) to aid Henry IV. of France. In the subsequent reign, a member of the Kentish house, (who was the first to write his name FLOOD), rose high in favour with *King* JAMES, and had several grants of lands in divers parts of the kingdom. He styled himself in writing "Flood," while the other branches were written *Fludds.* Hence derived

FRANCIS FLOOD, esq. of Burnchurch, in the county of Kilkenny, a major in the army, who *m.* Anne, only daughter and heiress of Colonel Henry Warden, M. P. of Ipswich, in Suffolk, and niece to Agmondesham Cuffe, esq. of Desart, father of the first Baron Desart. By this lady he had issue,

I. WARDEN, of Flood Hall, as stated in the body of the work.

II. John,
III. Charles,
V. Henry,
V. George,
} as stated in the body of the work.

VI. Francis, of Paulstown Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, who *m.* Miss Hatton, daughter of Henry Hatton, esq. of Great Clonard, M. P. for the shire of Wexford, by his wife Lady Anne Jane Gore, daughter of Arthur Earl of Arran, by whom (who *m.* for her second husband John James, first Marquess of Abercorn) he had issue,

1. Warden, LL.D. judge of the high court of admiralty of Ireland, member in the Irish parliament for many years, where he gave efficient support to his distinguished relative, HENRY FLOOD. He *m.* Miss O'Donovan, sister of General O'Donovan of that ancient family in the county of Cork, and aunt to Sir William Wrixon Becher, bart. and had issue,

Warden, as in the body of the work.

Francis, a captain in the army, killed in action.

Henry of Paulstoun Castle,

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who *m.* in 1815, Anna Maria, dau. of Henry Lennon, esq.
Donovan, a captain in the army, who served in Holland. He wedded Miss Vignau, niece of the Comtesse De La Motte, and left issue, Warden, captain 51st. Marianne.
Marianne, as stated in the body of the work.
2. Hatton, a colonel in the 1st dragoon guards who served in Holland. He *d.* unmarried.
3. Francis, a major in the army, and high sheriff for the county of Kilkenny in 1778.
4. Henry, a major in the army, who *m.* and had issue,
John, of Viewmount, as stated in the body of the work.
Frances, *m.* to Dr. Reed, M. D. of the county of Carlow.

VII. Richard, who, *d.* unmarried.
VIII. Anne, *m.* to the Venerable Henry Candler, D.D. archdeacon of Ossory and rector of Callan.

The remainder of the account, as given in the work, is correct.

Darell of Calehill.

Darell, family of.—The following additions to the account already given of this ancient house are extracted from an old pedigree of the family.

"William de Orell, a gentleman of the north parts of Normandie, soe called of a castle and familie of that countrie, and soe by contraction, the vowells e and o are changed to a, by which Darell is pronounced for De Orell, the which came in with the Conqueror, being for his good service done in the north, as well in pacifieing the rebellious men in Yorkshire, as in resisting the insurgent Scots that came to help them, considered not only in being dubbed a knighte in the citty of Yorke, after the burning of it, but also endowed with the possession of a Saxon called Etheldred, of Broadsworth, an ancient seat twelve miles west of Yorke, the which Sir William had issue, William, made knight by Henry I. and constable of the castle of Yorke, which familie increased much by marriages, and the last of the familie in Yorkshire was called Sir George Darell, whose daughter and heire Sir Guy Dawney, of Cowick, married. Marmaduke, the sonne of Valentine, ye sonne of Sir William Darrell, of Broadsworth, was general under the Lord Scroope, baron of Upsall, who served Richard I. in Acon, where, by ye way, this Marmaduke achieved great fame by killing of ye prince and ruler of ye Isle of Cyprus, and therefore, in perpetuam Rei memoriam, ye lion which he bare before uncovered, was now crowned, and having no crest, had to his cognizance ye saracen's head issuing out of a crowne attired after the countrie manner—quæ acta fuerunt in anno 4to Richardi primi."

Edward Darell, esq. (second son of Thomas Darell, esq. of Scotney, grandson of the Thomas who wedded, as stated at page 133, Thomasine Gresley), married Mary, daughter and sole heiress of Marmaduke Darell, esq. of Pagham, and the great-great grandson of this marriage,

Edward Darell, esq. of Putney, in Surrey, espoused, for his second wife, in 1688, Elizabeth, daughter of John Briscoe, of St. Stephens, Wallbrook, and had issue,

I. John, who *d. s. p.*
II. Robert, of Richmond. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of James Porten, esq. of Putney, and by her (who *d.* 14th Nov. 1734) left issue,
1. Edward, *b.* in 1728.
2. Robert, *b.* in 1734.
3. Mary, *m.* in 1758, to Daniel Wray, esq.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* in 1761, to the Rev. John Jeffreys, D.D. canon of Christchurch, Oxford, and had a son and heir,
The Rev. John Jeffreys, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of — Byron, esq. of Hertford, and had four sons and seven daughters.
5. Katherine, } both died young.
6. Judith, }
III. John, of York Street, St. James's, London, *b.* 10th April, 1706, who *m.* Miss Acton, first cousin to Sir John Acton, bart. of Aldenham, in Shropshire, and died in 1768, having had
1. John, who *d. s. p.*
2. Catherine, who, *m.* Thomas Benett, esq. of Pythouse (see page 249).
3. Harriet, who *m.* Richard Croftes, esq. of West Harling, in Norfolk, and had an only daughter and heiress, Harriet, *m.* in 1793, to the present Sir John Saunders Sebright, bart.
IV. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Jeffreys, esq. of Lincoln's Inn.
V. Anne, *m.* to S. Shepherd, esq. of Minchin Hampton, in Gloucestershire.
VI. Katherine.

Strangwayes of Well. — Richard-Purchas Strangwayes, esq. who was a deputy lieutenant for the East Riding of Yorkshire, died in 1835. His estates were situated in the three ridings of that county.

Barne of Sotterley.—Mr. Barne's only son, Frederick Barne, esq. *m.* 4th February,

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1833, Mary Anne Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Sir John Courtenay Honywood, bart.

ATTHILL, OF BRANDISTON HALL.

*** It appears from an ancient work on the county of Norfolk, that "Sir William de Hoo, or de la Hou, built the church of Mulbarton, in the hundred of Hambleyard, county of Norfolk. He was a very renowned warrior, and was buried A. D. 1410. In the Doomsday book, Hoo or Hou signifies a rising ground, and the probable progress of the change was (as in the case of the family de Tye, afterwards Atte Eye) De Hoo, De Hill, De la Hill, Attehill."

MOORE OF APPLEBY PARVA.—The present Mr. Moore is at present High Sheriff for Derbyshire *not Leicestershire*, as erroneously printed, wedded, in June, 1833, the daughter of William-Phillips Inge, esq. of Thorpe Constantine, in the county of Stafford. His only sister, MISS SUSAN-DRUMMOND MOORE, was married 22nd Nov. 1832, to EDWARD-ANTHONY HOLDEN, esq. of Aston Hall, in the county of Warwick.

P. 170, col. 2, l. 23, "*Sturt* of Alderwasley," read "*Hurt* of Alderwasley."

WHARTON MIDDLETON OF OLD PARK.

Sophia, daughter of Robert Wharton Middleton, esq. of Old Park, by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Capt. Pococke, *m.* in 1836, Rev. R. Gray.

AYLMER OF WALWORTH CASTLE.—The present proprietor's eldest sister, ELIZABETH-MARGARET, wedded, 5th Jan. 1833, J. J. SCOTT, esq. of the county of Devon.

LILLINGSTON-SPOONER, OF ELMDON.—The annexed engraving is a more accurate representation of the armorial ensigns of this family.

ABRAHAM-SPOONER LILLINGSTON, esq. of Elmdon is deceased.

LATHAM OF BRADWALL.—The present Dr. Latham's second son, Peter Mere Latham, M.D. *m.* secondly 14th Feb. 1833, Grace-Mary, third daughter of David Chambers, esq. of Dorset-square, commander in the royal navy.

WELD OF LULWORTH.—Cardinal Weld died in 1837, and was *s.* by his next brother, JOSEPH WELD, esq. who is now "WELD OF LULWORTH." In vol. ii. p. 677, will be found a more detailed account of the family.

DANBY OF SWINTON.—WILLIAM DANBY, esq. (the representative of the family) *d.* 4th December, 1833.

PRIDEAUX-BRUNE OF PLACE.—*The Rev.* CHARLES PRIDEAUX-BRUNE *d.* in 1833, and was *s.* by his eldest son.

LOFTUS OF KILBRIDE.—Colonel Loftus's younger brother, CAPTAIN FREDERICK LOFTUS, *m.* in 1833, Frances daughter of the late Colonel Phayre, of the E. I. C. Service. His youngest sister, MISS JANE PERCEVAL Compton Loftus, wedded in September, 1833, HENRY-CORBET SINGLETON, esq. of Aclare, county Meath.

P. 211, col. 1, l. 9, after "Elenor," insert "*m.* first, to George Colley, esq. of Edenderry; secondly, to Colonel William Duckenfield; and, thirdly, to Sir Edward Tyrrell, bart. of Lynn, in the county Westmeath."

P. 211, col. 1, l. 48, after "*d.* in 1807," *dele* "the male line of Thomas Loftus, of Killyan, by his first wife, Susanna Elkenhead, became extinct:" which paragraph insert at col. 2 of the same page, l. 18, after "dying *s. p.* in 1824."

Colonel Loftus's estates are in the counties of Wicklow, Westmeath, Dublin, and Armagh.

LEWIS OF ST. PIERRE.—The widow of the late Thomas Lewis, esq. *m.* secondly Charles Kemeys Kemeys-Tynte, esq. M. P.

Jane and Ellen the daughters of Morgan Lewis, esq. of St. Pierre, were both married: one to the Rev. Mr. Leyson, and the other to — Hanbury, esq. of Pontypool Park.

LLOYD OF WELCOMBE.

JOHN GAMALIEL LLOYD, esq. *d.* in 1837.

FOUNTAINE OF NARFORD.

P. 224. Thomas, second son of the late Andrew Fountaine, esq. of Narford, *m.* 9th of Feb. 1836, Mary Barbara, daughter of H. B. Beresford, esq.

ORLEBAR OF HINWICK HOUSE.—RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. of Hinwick House, *d.* in 1833, and was *s.* by his eldest son.

DEALTRY OF LOFTHOUSE HALL.

The late James Dealtry, esq. left by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Charles Hurt, esq. two sons, Benjamin, his heir, and George Nicholas, in holy orders.

BENETT OF PYTHOUSE.

John, the eldest son of John Benett,

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esq. of Pythouse, M. P. *m.* in 1836, Emily Blanche, youngest daughter of Sir Henry Tichborne, bart.

BLACKETT OF WYLAM.—The second son of the late Christopher Blackett, esq. of Wylam, William Fenwick Blackett, esq. *m.* Catherine Porterfield, daughter of Robert Stewart, esq. of St. Fort, and has issue,

Christopher-Edward.
Robert-Stewart.
Edward-William.
William.
Anne-Mary-Stewart.

LEIGHTON OF SHREWSBURY.—Lieutenant-colonel Leighton's eldest daughter, LOUISA, was married, 23rd April 1833, to THOMAS H. HOPE, esq.

WELLWOOD OF GARVOCK.—The lands whence this family originally derived its designation should be spelt TOUCH, and not SOUCH.

KINGSCOTE OF KINGSCOTE.

P. 281, col. 1. l. 25, Thomas Henry Kingscote, esq. (nephew of the present Mr. Kingscote, of Kingscote) *m.* secondly, in 1833, Hon. Harriet Bloomfield, eldest daughter of Lord Bloomfield.

P. 281, Henry Kingscote, esq. *m.* 11th July, 1833, Harriet, eldest daughter of C. T. Tower, esq. M. P. of Weald Hall, Essex.

DUKE OF LAKE.—Miss Selina-Mary Duke, daughter of the late Lieutenant-colonel Charles Duke, (great-great-great grandson of John Duke, esq. of Lake, high sheriff of Wilts in 1640), wedded in April, 1833, R. Brownrigg Hodgson, esq. youngest son of Lieutenant-general Hodgson.

P. 286, col. 2, l. 21. The late Edward Duke, esq. having pre-deceased his cousin Robert Duke, never enjoyed the estate of Lake.

PLUMBE-TEMPEST OF TONG.

P. 290, Henry Tempest, who *m.* the heiress of Mirfield, was the eighth son of Richard Tempest, of Bracewell.

GREENLY OF TITLEY COURT.

P. 293, col. 2. l. 37. Miss Taylor, who *m.* the Rev. John Ingram, of Burford, is stated to have had two daughters. This is incorrect, that lady having died *without issue.*

MAUNSELL OF PLASSY.—ROBERT MAUNSELL, esq. of Bank Place, *d.* in March, 1832, and was *s.* by his eldest son.

P. 304, l. 27. Major Frederick Maunsell has since obtained his regiment, and been appointed to the staff of Ireland.

P. 304, col. 1, l. 52, for "Joan Beaucamp, daughter of Simon Baron, of Bedford," read "Joan Beauchamp, daughter of Simon, Baron of Bedford."

P. 308, col. 1, l. 16, for "Leighlon," read "Leighlin."

P. 308, col. 2. l. 13. for "eldest," read "second."

P. 308, col. 2, l. 15, for "has issue," read "has NO issue."

The Crest is not (as erroneously stated) an eagle with wings expanded or, but a falcon ppr.

The Mottoes are "Honorantes me honorabo," and "Quod vult, valde vult."

The Estates are principally situated in the counties of Limerick and Tipperary.

THURSBY OF ABINGTON.—Mr. Thursby's youngest daughter, ANNE, *m.* 16th January, 1834, Rev. Benjamin Winthrop.

MOSELEY OF BUILDWAS.—The present WALTER MOSELEY, esq. of Buildwas has issue,

I. WALTER, *b.* 11th February, 1832.
II. Herbert-Henry, *b.* 21st May, 1835.
III. Acton-Edward, *b.* 19th Oct. 1836.
I. Catherine Francis.

The late WALTER MICHAEL MOSELEY, esq. *m.* Anne Elizabeth *Sockett* not *Jockett*, and had one son and four daughters. The youngest daughter, Lucy, *m.* 20th Feb. 1834, Phipps Vansittart Onslow, esq. of Broadwas Court, near Worcester.

P. 334, l. 34. The manor of Hatherton, in Cheshire, is assigned to a wrong proprietor. It is now in the possession of M. Mare, esq.

GILBERT OF TREDREA.—CATHERINE, eldest daughter of DAVIES GILBERT, esq. *m.* in April, 1834, JOHN SAMUEL ENYS, esq. of Enys.

HALKETT OF HALL HILL.

P. 339, col. 1, l. 37. FREDERICK (the only son of General Halkett, who *d.* in 1758, by his second marriage) died a major-general in the British service. He left by his wife, a Miss Seton, with three daughters, two sons, viz.

I. COLIN (Sir), K.C.B. now commander in chief at Bombay.
II. Hugh, a general in the Hanoverian service.

RICARDO OF GATCOMBE.

P. 373. The late DAVID RICARDO, esq. left, with five daughters, three sons, OSMAN, of Bromeberrow, DAVID, of Gatcombe, and MORTIMER, of Hedlow Place, Kent.

POWELL OF HURDCOTT HOUSE.

P. 375. Jane, daughter of Alexander Powell, esq. of Hurdcott House, *m.* in 1836, the Rev. R. Pole.

GREAVES OF MAYFIELD HALL.

P. 387, col. 1, l. 40. The Rev. George

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Greaves, of Stanton by Bridge and of Swarkstone, in the county of Derby, *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Samuel Pipe, esq. of Walton on Trent, and sister of the late Samuel Pipe Wolferstan, esq. of Statfold, by whom he had issue,

George, died in 1801.
Lydia Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. P. Belcher, and has issue four sons and two daughters.
Dorothy-Catherine, *d.* in 1799.
Frances.
Georgiana, *m.* to W. D. Flamstead, esq. and *d.* in 1809, leaving issue.

The Rev. George Greaves *m.* secondly, in 1783, Susanna, fourth daughter of the late Walter Biddulph, esq. of Barton under Needwood, in Staffordshire, and had by her three sons and three daughters, viz.

Edward, an officer, 11th light dragoons, *d.* in 1815.
Robert Charles, an officer 41st foot, *d.* in 1814.
William-Henry, *d.* a child, in 1803.
Susanna.
Anna-Maria, *d.* in infancy.
Mary-Louisa, *m.* to R. B. Child, esq. and has two children, George Beaumont Child, *b.* in 1825, and Louisa Susanna Child.

The Rev. George Greaves surviving all his sons, left his daughters his co-heirs.

The estate of MAYFIELD HALL is erroneously stated to be the property of Dr. William Greaves. That gentleman merely rents it of the executors of the late Rev. George Greaves.

BLENCOWE OF MARSTON ST. LAWRENCE.

P. 414. JOHN JACKSON BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, *m.* in 1834, Gratia-Maria, daughter of the Rev. J. Prowett, rector of Catfield.

PRESTON OF WEST DERBY LOWER HOUSE.

P. 479, col. 1, l. 22. In the Holbein heads there is a portrait of "The Lady Monteagle," but Mr. Lodge states that it is not known whether it is Lord Monteagle's first wife, Lady Mary Brandon, or his second, Helen Preston.

P. 479, col. 2, l. 1. William de Warren, Earl of Surrey, was great grandson maternally of King William the Conqueror.

P. 479, l. 8. Thomas Preston of Holker, by his wife Katherine Hoghton, had, beside the two sons, a daughter, Margaret Preston,* married to Cuthbert Ogle, esq. of Whiston, and had issue, with two daughters, Katherine and Elizabeth, a son Cuthbert, born 1673, who was named in remainder to a considerable portion of the Holker property (on failure of the issue of Catherine Lady Lowther) by the will of his uncle, Thomas Preston of Holker, M. P.

Same page. The Prestons, and also the Lowthers of Holker, are buried in Cartmel Church; and in Whittaker's Whalley, last edition, there is an account of their monuments.

P. 480, col. 2, l. 22. In the middle of the pew of the Preston family in Heversham Church, on a plain black marble, on which are the arms of Preston, with the Ulster badge empaling Molineux, is this inscription:

Hic jacet Domina Maria Preston
Filia
Illustrissimi Domini Carrilli Molineux
Vicecomitis de Maryboro'
Conjux
Nobilissimi Domini Thomæ Preston
Baronetti. Quæ obiit
Die vi. Julii.
Anno Domini, MDCLXXIII.

The following is a more accurate account of the Cockerham branch of this family.

P. 480, col. 1. THOMAS PRESTON, esq. (third but second surviving son of John Preston, esq. of Preston Patrick and Levins Halls, Westmorland, and of the manor and abbey of Furness, in Lancashire, high sheriff of the latter county in 1569, by Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Curwen, knt. of Workington, in Cumberland) having *m.* Margaret daughter and heiress of Roger Fytche, of Ellel, in Cockerham, in the county of Lancaster, thenceforth seated himself at Cockerham. He had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Nicholas.
John.
Roger.
Thomas.
Christopher.

Mr. Preston died in December, 1596, and was buried at Cockerham. He was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM PRESTON, esq. of Hilhom House and Ellel, in Cockerham, who died in May, 1623, and was succeeded by his son and heir,

WILLIAM PRESTON, esq. of Hilhom House and Ellel, in Cockerham, who espousing the cause of *King* CHARLES I. during the civil wars, thereby greatly encumbered his estate, which was declared to be forfeited to the Parliament by an act passed 19th November, 1652. He *m.* first, 24th July, 1618, Clement, daughter of — Braide; and, secondly, 9th May, 1642, Elizabeth Denys, and was succeeded by his only surviving son by his first marriage,

* Omitted in Mr. West's very incorrect and imperfect pedigree of the Preston family in his History of Furness.

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WILLIAM PRESTON, esq. of Hilhom House and Ellel, in Cockerham, *b.* in January, 1632, who, in consequence of the heavy incumbrances upon the estate created by his father's loyalty, permitted Hilhom House to fall into decay, and took up his residence during the latter part of his life at Ellel. By Alice his first wife, who *d.* in February, 1678, he had issue,

i. Robert, who died unm.
ii. RICHARD, the heir.
iii. John, a naval officer in the service of France, *b.* 30th April, 1666; married and had issue.

i. Ellen, *m.* to Thomas Parkinson, esq.
ii. Alice, *m.* first, — Minshull, of Cheshire; secondly, Nathaniel Calvert, esq. of Cockerham Hall, and was living in 1761.

Mr. Preston *m.* secondly, Miss Jenet Walker, but by her had no issue, and dying in April, 1685, was buried at Cockerham, being succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

RICHARD PRESTON, esq. of Hilhom House and Ellel, in Cockerham, who was born 17th September, 1661. This gentleman, by his extravagant mode of living, and an unfortunate propensity for play, had early in life incurred considerable debts. Fortunately, however, he had married in his father's lifetime Dorothy, daughter of Robert Dennis, esq. of Gloucestershire, upon which event all the property which was not under mortgage was put into settlement. By her he had issue one surviving child,

i. John, born in October, 1690.

Shortly after succeeding his father, Mr. Preston's debts and the old charges upon the property pressed so heavily upon him, that he was obliged to dispose of every thing that was not included in the settlements; and from this time he lived at Cockerham in great retirement until the year 1695, when succeeding in right of his wife to a considerable fortune, he again resumed his former habits, and within two years he had dissipated every shilling. His wife did not long survive, dying when her son was seven years of age. Mr. Preston then sold his life interest in his Lancashire estate and went to reside in Ireland, where he married Mary, relict of Mr. Dennis, and daughter and co-heir of Mr. Henry Hastings, of Dublin, by whom he had issue, (with two sons who died young),

ii. Robert, *b.* 29th May, 1713-14; *d.* 18th March, 1788, having married Margaret, only child of Robert Bowker, gent. of Broughton, in Lancashire, and had by her, (who died in July, 1802, æt. sixty-five), the late Robert Preston, esq. West Derby, and other issue, see page 481.

i. Elizabeth, *m.* Captain Brabazon.
ii. Mary, *m.* Joseph Blaker, gent. of Grange.
iii. Lettice, *m.* Mr. Briggs.

Mr. Preston died at Coleraine, in Ireland, A.D. 1721, æt. sixty years, leaving his widow,* and the issue of his second marriage, totally unprovided for; but his son by his first marriage,

JOHN PRESTON, esq. succeeded to the wreck of the Cockerham estate. He *m.* first, Alice Mauleverer, by whom he acquired lands in Preston Patrick and elsewhere, in Westmorland, from which time he resided in that county; by her he had one daughter, who *m.* Richard Johnson, gent. of Old Hall, in Westmorland, to whom she was first wife. Mr. Preston by his second wife had issue (to survive) three daughters, one of whom married John Preston, grandson of John, third but second surviving son of William Preston, esq. of Cockerham. By Ann his third wife, who surviving him died in 1767, æt. seventy-two, he had two sons,

i. William.
ii. Thomas, who left issue,

i. John.

i. Mary, *m.* — Henderson, esq.

Mr. Preston's eldest son,

THE RIGHT REV. WILLIAM PRESTON, D.D. Lord Bishop of Ferns, *b.* 1729, fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge, and rector of Oakeham, in Surrey, was consecrated Bishop of Killala, and afterwards translated to the see of Ferns. His lordship dying *s. p.* 19th April, 1789, the representation of the family devolved upon his nephew,

JOHN PRESTON, esq. who *m.* Miss Lawrence, but by her had only one daughter, who died *s. p.*; and he himself dying at Leasgill, 28th June, 1816, æt. fifty-two, was succeeded by his kinsman,

ROBERT PRESTON, esq. of the Lower House, (now called Firgrove), West Derby, in the county of Lancaster. This gentleman, *b.* 21st April, 1761, having early resolved to repair the broken fortunes of his family, in the year 1783 commenced his career as a merchant in Liverpool. Uniting the strictest integrity to great prudence and sagacity, unwearied application and very considerable talents for business, he in the course of a very few years laid the foundation to the enormous fortune which he after-

* She survived her husband forty-four years, and died 7th March, 1765, aged about one hundred years. Her father was eldest son of the Rev. William Hastings, fourth son of the Hon. Henry Hastings, who was second son of the fourth Earl of Huntingdon.

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wards* realized. Dying 19th November, 1833, he was succeeded by his grandson,

ROBERT-BERTHON PRESTON, esq. now a minor. (See page 478.)

P. 481. Ann-Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Richard Preston, esq. of Liverpool, was *m.* 24th April, 1834, to John Hammill, esq. of Everton, M.A. barrister-at-law, and has issue,

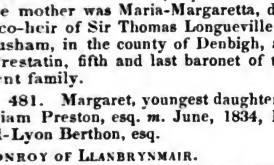
Emily-Gertrude Hammill, *b.* 21st June, 1835.

P. 481. Mary, the wife of Charles-Wilding Jones, esq. died 2nd January, 1833. Her husband is the second son of Charles Jones, esq. banker of Oswestry, who was (younger brother to the late Thomas Longueville (Jones) Longueville, esq. of Prestatin, in the county of Flint, and of Oswestry, and) third son of Thomas Jones, esq. of Prestatin, whose mother was Maria-Margaretta, dau. and co-heir of Sir Thomas Longueville, of Esclusham, in the county of Denbigh, and of Prestatin, fifth and last baronet of that ancient family.

P. 481. Margaret, youngest daughter of William Preston, esq. *m.* June, 1834, Edward-Lyon Berthon, esq.

CONROY OF LLANBRYNMAIR.

P. 491. The annexed is a more correct engraving of Sir John Conroy's armorial ensign.



DALTON OF THURNHAM.

P. 522, l. 31. The age of the present Mr. Dalton is *incorrectly* stated in the body of the work.

P. 523, col. 2, l. 9. The late ROBERT DALTON, esq. of Thurnham, *m.* first, Miss Butler, and had a son JOHN, the present possessor. He wedded afterwards Bridget, daughter of Thomas More esq. of Barnborough, and had a son, William, and a daughter, Anne, *m.* to Sir James Fitzgerald, bart. of Castle Ishen.

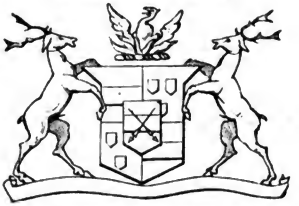
LONGFIELD OF LONGUEVILLE.

P. 545. Col. Longfield's daughter Elizabeth *m.* in 1836, the Rev. Edmund Lombard.

* At the time of his decease his annual income was considerably more than £20,000.

WYNNE OF PENIARTH.—William Wynne, esq. (the head of the family) *d.* in 1833.

Crawfurd of Crawfurd.



*** The following is a more accurate history of the ancient family of Crawfurd than that which has already appeared.

CRAWFURD, ROBERT, esq. of Newfield, in the shire of Ayr, commandant of its yeomanry, and one of its deputy-lieutenants, *m.* in 1813, Frances, daughter of the late Henry O'Brien, esq. of Blatherwick Park, Northamptonshire, and has issue,

I. ROBERT, (Lieut. Rifle Brigade.)
II. Patrick-Reginald.
I. Frances.
II. Emma.
III. Julia.
IV. Letitia.

This gentleman, who is now male representative of the Crawfurds, of Crawfurd, Loudoun, Crosby, &c., inherited the estate of Newfield at the decease of his father in 1794. He was formerly a captain in the 7th Hussars, and served with that regiment in the Peninsula.

Lineage.

The extreme ancestor of the family of CRAWFURD in Scotland, as shewn in vol. ii. p. xiv. was REGINALD, apparently fourth and youngest son of ALAN, fourth Earl of Richmond, who died in 1146. He seems to have accompanied DAVID I. to the North, when that prince entered his kingdom from the court of his brother-in-law HENRY I. of England, "followed," says Chalmers, "by a thousand Norman knights, whom he provided for and established in his dominions for their civilization and protection." Reginald received extensive grants of lands in Strath Cluyd, or Clydesdale, whence his immediate descendants adopted the name—CRAWFURD—it forming one of the largest baronies in Scotland whilst entire, some three or four hundred merk lands, and† signifying, according to Chalmers, in Gaelic, "the Pass of Blood," as commemorative probably of some sanguinary conflict between the Aborigines and their Roman invaders. The

† See Robertson's Topographical Description of Cunningham, p. 335.

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pass, however, near which stands the ruins of Crawfurd Castle, is designated *Norman Gill*, commemorative equally of their last invaders, or of the people by whom the subversion of the Celtic race in the Lowlands was effected.*

The first settler and founder of the family does not appear to have assumed his name from his lands. He probably died previous to the general introduction of that practice, as prior to 1161, or during the incumbency of Arnot, abbot of Kelso, John de Crawfurd, his son, witnesses deeds in the Chartulary of that monastery along with Baldwin de Biggar, ancestor to the Earls of Wigton, and he is therein styled *step son* to *Baldwin*. Where this John established his residence was termed, says Chalmers, "Villum Johannis *Privigni Baldwini*;" and the circumjacent village that arose *John's-town*; this portion of the barony constituting the parish of Crawfurd-John, in contradistinction to Crawfurd proper, inherited by his elder brother. "From the elder branch," (observes George Crawfurd the genealogist, quoting the learned professor Thomas Crawfurd's MSS.) "came heirs female — but another part of the barony remained with the heirs male (descended from Reginald), from whom derived the CRAWFURDS, of Lowdon; and from John, his (Reginald's) son, came the designation of Crawfurd-John."

DOMINUS GALFREDUS DE CRAWFURD, the elder branch, ranking with the Magnate, Scotiæ, is a frequent witness to his sovereign *King* WILLIAM the Lion's charters; so much so, observes Crawfurd, "he seems to have had some general relation to the king's service or another;" but for which he was unable to account. The recorded kindred, in John Le Scott's charter, (nephew to the king), in the chartulary of the monastery of Arbroath, and John Le Scott's near connexion with the then and last Earl of Richmond of that line, Reginald's elder brother, render his aggrandizement not of such difficult solution. He had a son,

GALFREDUS, who died in 1202, who left an only son,

JOHN DE CRAWFURD Miles, who dying in 1248, was buried in Melrose Abbey, and his estates divided between his two daughters and co-heiresses; the elder marrying ARCHIBALD DE DOUGLAS,† from which marriage descended the renowned Earls of Douglas; and of which lady (by whom, as Chalmers shows, the Dowglass obtained their first considerable addition of property) there is a very perfect and beautiful effigy in Douglas church, Lanarkshire, opposite that of Douglas, Duke of Turin, but a century older. The second married DAVID DE LINDSAY, from whom descended the earls of Crawfurd, distinguished in Scottish history. Between those two females the territory of Crawfurd proper went; styled afterwards *Crawfurd-Dowglas* and, *Crawfurd-Lindsay*.‡

We now revert to JOHN Privigni Baldwini, the second son of Reginald, the first settler, and younger brother or uncle to Dominus Galfredus above—designated of CRAWFURD-JOHN. From him descended his son or grandson,

SIR REGINALD DE CRAWFURD, a personage of great eminence, who espoused cir. an. 1200, the heiress of the extensive Barony of Lowdon, in Ayrshire, (which afterwards gave the title of Earl to its possessors) and he became the first Vicecomes or high Sheriff, synonymous with Lord Lieutenant of the county, the office being made hereditary in his family. He died in 1226, when he was succeeded by his son,

HUGH DE CRAWFURD, of Loudon, Vicecomes de Air. "He was one of the Magnates et Barones Scotiæ,"§ observes Nesbit, "and with his father Reginald and other great persons witnesses the charters of Walter the High Steward of Scotland." "He had a charter from the High Constable of the lands of Monoch *et de tota terra de Crosby*, in 1226; which is still enjoyed by his decendants, the inheritors of Crosby." (An. 1700, when Nesbit wrote.) "This Hugh, second Baron of Lowdon," says Crawfurd, "left two sons, HUGH, the heir of the family, and Reginald, the first of that branch of the Crawfurds of Kerse," and he quotes a charter in the Earl of Lowdon's chartulary which he had seen, "Hugo de Crawfurd filius Hugoni de Crawfurd scedes nos dedissui Regi-

* The institutions of law and order, observes Chalmers, were now first introduced among a barbarous race, by people of a different lineage and speaking a different tongue.

† See Chart. of Newbottle Abbey.

‡ John de Crawfurd, of Crawfurd-John, being the earliest bearing the name that Chalmers had met with (see Vol. III. Caledonia); he appears to consider his barony as that that was divided between co-heiresses. But this is contradicted by so many old authorities, and by a note even in his first volume, which he appears to have overlooked as to neutralize this opinion—for he shows in that note, from one of the Douglas' charters, within a year of the demise of Sir John Crawfurd, his father-in-law, that he, Dowglas, was then disputing his boundary with John de Crawfurd,—which sufficiently proved the then existence of heirs male to a certain portion of the territory of Crawfurd, after the dismemberment, as above, of the principal domain: in fact, it proved the integrity of the Crawfurd-John Barony as it long after remained; becoming first the patrimony of the first Reginald of Lowdon's second son John, and going subsequently by female to the family of Barkley, of Kilbirnie, and others.

§ Those Barones Majores held immediately of the king and sat in Parliament in virtue of their holdings.

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naldo fratri meo carnali pro homagio suo totem partem terre mee de Kerse." This last named HUGH succeeded his father in 1246, in Lowdon, and as Vicecomes de Air, and by his wife Alicia, left a son Reginald and a daughter Margaret, who married Sir Malcolm Wallace, of Ellersley, and was mother of the immortal patriot SIR WILLIAM WALLACE the guardian. Hugh died in 1288, when he was succeeded by his son,

SIR REGINALD CRAWFURD, Vicecomes de Air. "During the competition for the crown, between Bruce and Baliol." says Nesbit, "when matters came to a crisis, no Scotchman ever acted the part more of a firm and inflexible patriot than Sir Reginald Crawfurd, or was more resolute in asserting with zeal and intrepid courage the liberties of his country; so that he was an eye-sore to the English and all that were in their interest in the west, by whom he was, together with Sir Alan Montgomerie and Sir Bryce Blair, treacherously murdered at a banquet at Ayr, in 1297;"* leaving two sons, 1st, REGINALD, his successor in Lowdon, and 2nd, HUGH, who inherited Crosby Monoch, &c. and termed West Lowdon, of whom afterwards "Sir Reginald, called Sir Ronald the younger," says Nesbit, "was just such another patriot, for defence of the liberties of his distressed country, as his father had been. He was among the first of his countrymen who joined Sir William Wallace, and was with him in all the dangers to which he was exposed. He was one of the first that resorted to Bruce when he set about recovering the lost liberties of his country. But being taken prisoner at Galloway, along with Alexander and David Bruce, the king's brothers; they were all three sent prisoners to London, where they were condemned to death, and executed in 1306; without respect either to their merit or quality; which lays a great load on the memory of that king (Edward) who could destroy and cut off such men, whose only crime was their strenuous support of the liberty of their country. He left one only daughter, Dame Susan Crawfurd, who married Sir Duncan Campbell, of Redcastle; whereupon they have an investiture under the great seal of the great estate of Lowdon to them and their heirs, whom failing, to the lady and her heirs." From this marriage lineally descends the present FLORA-MUIR CAMPBELL-ROWDON-HASTINGS, COUNTESS OF LOUDON, in her own right, and her son the present MARQUIS OF HASTINGS. (See *Burke's Peerage*.) Sir Reginald thus dying without male issue, the representation of the house of Crawfurd reverted to his cousin-german,

* The motto of the family "I bide my time," is said to have been adopted by his descendants, descriptive of their desire for revenge.

HUGH CRAWFURD, of Crosby, &c. second son of Sir Reginald, who was murdered at Air, in 1297. Those his lands of Crosby, and others named below, are naturally omitted in the enumeration of the lands inherited by Susan, as set forth in her retour or envestiture. They were devised to the now male heir by her grandfather, in whose time we find, in the history of Sir William Wallace, that "he found refuge from the persuit of the English at his uncle's castle of Crosby." "This family," says Nesbit, "were from their first descent from Lowdon, possessed of the 14 pound lands of Crosby—the 6 pound land of Monoch and Gill—the 5 merk lands of Auldmuir, and 5 merk lands of Whiteside, all in the shire of Air," and subsequently of the 12 pound land of Auchnames, Renfrewshire. George Crawfurd remarks their possession of the lands of Crosby and Monoch, "how," he observes, "I cannot say, but the thing is certain." And Hamilton, of Wishaw, in his History of the Sheriffdoms of Lanark and Renfrew, says, "This (Crosby) is ane very ancient family, and claims to be chief of the clan." Hugh Crawfurd, of Crosby, died prior to the year 1320, when he was succeeded by his son,†

REGINALD CRAWFURD, of Crosby, who obtained in 1320, a grant of the lands of AUCHINAMES, in Renfrewshire, for his services to Robert Bruce, as well as an augmentation to his arms of two lances in saltire, commemorative of his exploits at Bannockburn. To him succeeded his son,

REGINALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames‡ and Crosby, whose name appears prefixed as a witness to a charter by Robert, the high steward, in 1358. His son and successor,

THOMAS CRAWFURD, § of Auchinames, is mentioned by Crawfurd, in his History of Renfrewshire, in which he relates the substance of a mortification to the church of Kilbarchan, dated 1401, for a monk to say mass for the salvation of his soul, and his wife's, and his father's, and mother's, and for the soul of Reginald Crawfurd, his grandfather. He wedded the daughter and heiress of Malcolm Galbraith, and was *s.* by his son,

ARCHIBALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heiress

† The same writer represents the castle of Auchinames as a "War tower now rapidly going to decay by reason of Crosby's becoming the residence of the family."

‡ Auchinames being the larger possession became the designation of the family, though in a different county and a less ancient estate.

§ Crawfurd, the eminent historian and genealogist, deduces the CRAWFURDS of KILBIRNIE from a younger brother of this Thomas, (see page 552).

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of Sir William Douglas, of Peircetoun, and had (with a younger child, Thomas, ancestor of the Crawfurds of Thirdpart) a son and heir,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded, first, —, daughter of Archibald, Earl of Angus; and secondly, a daughter of Houstoun, of Houstoun. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who, in 1488, acted as arbiter between the abbot and convent of Paisley, and the burgh of Renfrew. This gentleman accompanying his sovereign, JAMES IV. to the battle of Flodden, was there slain in 1513, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who obtained from his father in 1498, a charter of Crosby and Monoch. To him succeeded his son,

THOMAS CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, living in 1535. This laird *m.* Marion, daughter of Montgomery, of Hazlehead, great grandau. of Alexander, Master of Eglinton, son of Alexander, 1st Lord Montgomerie, and by whom he had three sons, successive Lairds of Auchinames, by the eldest of whom,

JOHN CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, he was succeeded at his decease. This gentleman being slain at the battle of Pinkie in 1547, and dying without issue, the estates devolved on his next brother,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded Annabel, daughter of Chalmers of Gadgirth, and had one son,

JAMES, who *m.* the Lady Elizabeth Cunningham, daughter of William sixth Earl of Glencairn, by a daughter of Gordon of Lochinvar, and predeceasing his father, left an only child,

JANE, on whom he settled the lands of CROSBY. This lady wedded, about the year 1606, PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, and thus the ancient estates of the family were reunited.

William Crawfurd died in 1582, when the barony of Auchinames reverted to the male heir his uncle,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who *m.* a daughter of John Frazer, third laird of Knock* (by Margaret, his wife, only child and heiress of Sir John Stuart, of Glenderston, fourth son of John, first Earl of Lennox, grandson of the celebrated Sir John Stuart, Count Devereux, field-marshall of France), and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded, in 1587, a daughter of Sir Patrick Houstoun, of that Ilk, and was *s.* by his son,

* A branch of the Lovat family.

PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who espoused in 1606, Jane Crawfurd, heiress of Crosby, and thus again united the ancient estates of Crosby and Auchinames. He had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
James, whose issue is extinct.
ROBERT, of Nethermains, who continued the family.
Patrick.
John.
Hugh, minister of Cumnock, father of Hugh Crawfurd, of Gride.
Margaret.
Jane.
Katherine.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Hunter, of Hunterston.

Auchinames was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who was infeft in 1649. He *m.* Anna, daughter of Sir Coll Lamont, of Inneryne, and had, with several daughters, a son and heir,

ARCHIBALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, Crosby, &c. the sixteenth baron or chief of this family descended from Loudoun in a direct male line. He *m.* a daughter of Porterfield, of that Ilk, and had a son,

WILLIAM, who *m.* Helen, daughter of Sir Thomas Burnet, of Crimond, and dying *vitâ patris* left an only daughter, who wedded Patrick Edmonston, of Newton, and had several children.

Archibald having left no male issue the estates of Auchinames and Crosby were brought to judicial sale in 1715, during the minority of his grand-daughter, and were purchased by Patrick Craufurd, merchant Edinburgh, younger brother to David Craufurd of Drumsoy, (of the Kerse family) and eventually his heir. Hence Drumsoy is styled of Auchinames. Crosby, acquired as above, is still possessed by his descendant, John Craufurd. The above Patrick of Drumsoy, married Jane, second daughter to Archibald of Auchinames, but the representation of the family through female went by his grand-daughter to the Edmonstons—the male representation reverted to his uncle,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, designed by Nisbet, "Captain Robert Crawfurd, of Nethermains;" and that the Nethermains so alluded to, was the Nethermains of Kilwinning, whence sprang the Crawfurds of Newfield, is sufficiently attested by the will of Patrick Crawfurd, of Auchinames, lately discovered among the records of the Commissary Court of Glasgow. This testament bears date at Crosby, parish of Largs, the XII day of December, 1648, and in it are enumerated his children by name; it is "witnessed by William Craufurd, younger, of Auchinames, my son; Robert Hunter, of Hunterston, my son-in-law; and Robert

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Crawfurd, of *Nayrmains*,* also my lawful son," and written by his son James, who was bred to the bar.†

Robert Crawfurd married Christian, dau. and co-heiress of Robert Brown, of Nethermains and Burrowlands; which latter estate was conveyed by the younger sister to her husband, Alexander Blair, of Giffordland. He died in 1678, leaving three sons,

ROBERT,
PATRICK, } successive heirs.
MOSES,

Captain Crawfurd was succeeded by his elder son,

ROBERT CRAWFORD, M.D. of Nethermains, who *m.* first, a daughter of the Rev. George Crawfurd, minister of Kilbride,‡ and secondly Agnes Dickie, but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his brother,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, esq. of Nethermains, who had an only daughter AGNES, who wedded in 1709, John Boyd, esq. of Craneberry Moss, and appears to have alienated Nethermains to a family of the name of Glasgow. Her retour, dated 1723, calls her nearest heir to her grandfather, Captain Robert Crawfurd, who was "tertius legitimus filius Patricii Crawfurd, de Auchenames."

On the demise of Patrick Crawfurd, of Nethermains without male issue, the representation devolved on his brother,

MOSES CRAWFURD, esq. who *m.* first Marion Francis, of the ancient family of Francis of Stane, and had a son Archibald, (named after his cousin-german, the last of Auchinames, then resident at Crosby,) who died in infancy, and a daughter Christian. He wedded secondly, Janet Allason, grand-daughter of Allason, of Curreath, and had by her (who died in 1738,)

ROBERT, his heir.
Archibald, whose son Moses emigrated to America, and had a son Moses, a Lieut. R. N. lately deceased.
David.
Jane.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Crawfurd died in 1723, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, esq. born in 1707, who espoused Marion Brison, co-heiress of the lands of Groateholme, in the parish of Kilvinning. This is the same person described in note above as Portioner of Groatholm. They had issue,

Robert, died young.
MOSES.
Archibald, born in 1746, who died in India.
Patrick, *b.* in 1748, also died in India.
George, died young.
Janet.
Agnes.
Jean.
Elizabeth, *m.* to R. Thompson, esq. of Dolgerrack.

Mr. Crawfurd died in 1772, and was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

MOSES CRAWFURD, esq. who went to India about the year 1765, and there attained the rank of Major in the company's service. He was second in command at the capture

* Although the parish registers do not extend sufficiently back to show by record of marriage how this property was acquired, that is shown by the following documents. There is upon record a process which attests the grandmother of Robert Crawford, portioner of Groateholme below, (the grandson of Robert and Christian Crawfurd), to have been the proprietress (heiress) of Nethermains. And from the registry of Sasins and Retours, it is clearly established that there was no heiress or female proprietor during the seventeenth century, except Christian Brown its first, and Agnes Crawfurd this Robert of Groateholme's cousin-german, its last proprietrix. In the registry of Sasins, An. 1649, there appears the deed of resignation to his daughter, by Robert Brown, of Moat, Burrowlands and Nethermains, "of all the lands *antiqui extentus* of Nethermains, Kilwinning, in favour of Robert Crawfurd and Christian Brown, *his spouse* and their heirs," &c. This shows the property came by female, and who she was. Now for similar proof of her husband. The tenour of Agnes's Retour below in 1723, attest this: "Qui jure dicunt quod quondam Capitanus Robertus Crawfurd *tertius legitimus filius Patricii Crawfurd de Auchenames* Avus Agnate Crawfurd," &c. And farther, "in favorum dicti quondam Capitani Roberti Crawfurd et quondam *Christianæ Brown*, &c. Et quod dicta Agneta Crawfurd est legitima et propinquior hæres dicti quondam Capitani Roberti Crawfurd sui avi in Omnibus et Singulis prædictis Terris de *Nethermains*," &c. Nor was there any proprietor during the seventeenth century of the name of Crawfurd, except Robert or Captain Robert Crawfurd and his three immediate successors and descendants. See Supplement to Robertson's Ayrshire County History quoting further proof illustrative of this point, continued by parish registers and other documents corroborative of entries of baptisms in an old family bible of *Captain Crawfurds'* as he is styled in the MSS., the same as in Retour, now in possession of his great-great grandson, Colonel Crawfurd, of Newfield. Also notorial copy of parole evidence of Colonel Boyle, of Shewalton, corroborated by his mother's the late honourable Mrs. Boyle, touching this (the Newfield branch) being the representative as the male descendants of Auchnames. Christian Brown or Crawfurd, died in 1700, aged ninety-three.

† See *Robertson's* interesting "Account of the Principal Families in Ayrshire."

‡ Representative of the Thirdpart branch, cadets of Auchnames, whom Robertson mistakingly inserts in the pedigree of this family, but rectifies in his Supplement. He was ancestor to Crawfurd of Newark.

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of Beechigar, a strong hill fort on the Ganges, and was left in command of that place with a garrison of 2000 men. Returning home in 1783, he purchased the estate of Newfield, and wedded, in two years after Margaret, eldest daughter of the late John M'Kerrell, esq. of Hillhouse, by whom he had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

John, Major 6th Foot, who serving during the Peninsular War, was present at the battles of Salamanca and Orthes, and wounded and taken prisoner in the latter engagement.

Archibald, Major of Artillery in the East India Company's Service, who *m.* Octavia, daughter of the late Colonel James Phelp, of Coston House, in the county Leicester, and has a son,

Archibald.

Patrick, M. D. who died in India.

Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. Dr. Alexander Hill, Minister of Daily, and has issue.

Major Crawfurd died in 1794, and was succeeded by his eldest son, ROBERT CRAWFURD, esq. of Newfield, now representative of the Crawfurds, of Crawfurd, Crosby, &c.

Arms.—Quarterly, first and fourth, gu. a fesse ermine for CRAWFURD, of Crawfurd; Second and third, arg. three escutcheons sa. for LOUDOUN, of Loudoun; and a central coat gu. thereon a fess erm. surmounted by two spears saltier ways for CROSBY.

Supporters.—Two stags gu.

Crest.—A phœnix rising from the flames gu.

Mottoes—"God shaw the right," and "I bide my time."

Estates—In Ayrshire.

Seat—Newfield, near Kilmarnock.

*** Of the other families of the name of CRAWFURD, all are descended from Loudoun, or cadets of such.

The principal are,

CRAWFURD, of Crawfurdland, in Ayrshire, descended from the first Hugh Crawfurd, of Loudoun, now represented by female heirs. Lieutenant-colonel Walkingshaw Crawfurd, of Crawfurdland, who distinguished himself at the battles of Dettingen and Fontenoy, was the twenty-first, and last male heir of that branch.

CRAUFURD, of Carse or Kerse, in King's Kyle, Ayrshire, also sprung from Hugh Crawfurd first of the name of Loudoun. From this branch are Craufurd of Drumsoy (now styled of Auchinames, through purchase of that estate), and Craufurd of of Doonside. The arms of this (Kerse) family are distinct from all the others of the name—being argent, three stags' heads gules. The spelling of the name is also different.

CRAWFURD, of Ardmillan, in Ayrshire, according to Robertson, descended from Loudoun; but, by George Crawfurd's MS. Advocate's Library, Edinburgh, derived from Crosby or from Kilbirnie.

SWETTENHAM OF SWETTENHAM.—The late Millington Eaton Swettenham had no son GEORGE, but a brother of that name, who *d. s. p.*

ANDERTON OF EUXTON.

The following extract from the Mercurius Politicus of August the 16th, a republican paper, describing a visit of King Charles II. to the Andertons of Euxton, shows the violent spirit of the times.

"August 14, 1650. This day Charles Stuart lodged at Euxtonburgh, six miles on this syde of Preston, being Sir Hugh Anderton's house, who was prisoner at Lancaster, but sett at liberty by the Scotts. This Anderton is a bloody papist, and one that, when Prince Rupert was at Bolton, boasted much of being in blood to the elbows on that cruell massacre. The next night theyr king lodged at Brine, six miles from Warrington, being Sir William Gerard's house, who is a subtile jesuited papist. This dissembling Scott trusts none so well in Lancashire for his hostes as the papists."

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HISTORY

OF THE

COMMONERS OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

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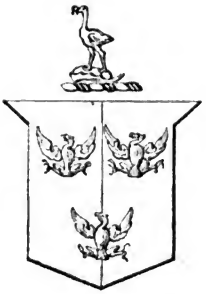
COKE, OF HOLKHAM.

COKE, THOMAS-WILLIAM, Esq. of Holkham, in the county of Norfolk, *m.* first, Jane, daughter of James Dutton, esq. by whom (who *d.* in June, 1800) he has three daughters, viz.



1. Jane-Elizabeth, *m.* first in 1796, to Charles-Nevinson, Viscount Andover, who was killed by the accidental bursting of his fowling piece, in 1800. Her ladyship espoused, secondly, in 1806, Vice Admiral Sir Henry Digby, K.C.B. and has issue,
   - Edward St. Vincent Digby, *b.* 21st June, 1809.
   - Kenelm-Henry Digby, *b.* 8th August, 1811.
   - Jane-Elizabeth Digby, *m.* first, 15th Sept. 1824, to Lord Ellenborough, which marriage was dissolved by act of parliament in 1830, and secondly, to Baron Venningen.
2. Anne-Margaret, *m.* in September, 1794, to Thomas Anson, esq. of Shuckborough, afterwards created VISCOUNT ANSON, by whom (who *d.* in 1818) her ladyship had, with several other children,
   - Thomas-William Anson, present EARL OF LICHFIELD.
3. Elizabeth-Wilhelmina, *m.* in 1822, to John-Spencer Stanhope, esq. of Cannon Hall, in the county of York, and has issue.

Mr. Coke espoused, secondly, in February, 1822, Lady Anne-Amelia Keppel, daughter of William-Charles, present Earl of Albemarle, and has issue,

THOMAS-WILLIAM, *b.* 26th December, 1822.
Edward Keppel, *b.* 20th August, 1824.
Henry-John, *b.* 3rd January, 1827.
Wenman-Clarence-Walpole, *b.* 13th July, 1828.
Margaret-Sophia, *b.* 7th March, 1832.

Mr. Coke represented the county of Norfolk for many years in parliament. He succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father in 1776.

Lineage.

The family of COKE, from which Mr. Coke derives through female descent, and which he now represents, is deduced by CAMDEN, from

WILLIAM COKE, of Doddington, in the county of Norfolk, mentioned in a deed, anno 1206, who was father, by his wife Felice, of

GEOFFREY COKE, of Doddington, from whom descended

SIR EDWARD COKE, the celebrated lawyer. This eminent person, the son of Robert Coke, esq. of Mileham, in the county of Norfolk, and Winifred, his wife, daughter, and one of the heirs of William Knightley, of Morgrave-Knightley, in the same shire, was born at the seat of his father, and at ten years of age sent to the grammar-school at Norwich, whence he removed to Trinity College, Cambridge, where he studied for four years, and was in some years afterwards chosen high-steward of that university. From Cambridge he removed to Clifford's-Inn, and, the year after, he was entered a student in the Inner-Temple, whence he was called to the bar, and being chosen reader in Lyon's-Inn, acquired so much celebrity, that he very soon

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attained considerable practice. About this period he married Bridget, daughter and coheir of John Paston, esq. of Huntingfield Hall, in the county of Suffolk, third son of Sir William Paston, of Paston, with whom he acquired a fortune of thirty thousand pounds. An alliance, too, that brought him honours and preferments as well as wealth. The cities of Coventry and Norwich soon after elected him their recorder. The county of Norfolk returned him to parliament, and the House of Commons placed him in the speaker's chair. In the 35th of Elizabeth (1592), Mr. Coke was appointed *Solicitor*, and the next year *Attorney-general*. In 1603 he received the honour of knighthood from King James I. at Greenwich, and in three years afterwards was elevated to the bench as chief of the court of Common Pleas, from which he was advanced, in 1613, to the dignity of CHIEF JUSTICE OF ENGLAND (being the last person who bore that title), and sworn of the privy council. His lordship incurred subsequently, however, the displeasure of the court; and while in disgrace, hearing that a noble lord had solicited from the crown a portion of the lands belonging to the church at Norwich, which he had recovered, and settled thereon, he cautioned the peer to desist, or that he would resume his gown and cap, and come into Westminster Hall once again, to plead the cause of the church. Between his paternal property, the great marriage portion he had with his wife, and his valuable offices and lucrative practice at the bar, Sir Edward Coke realized an estate so ample, that each of his sons possessed a fortune equal to *that* of an elder brother. Camden, in his *Britannia*, says, "that he was a person of admirable parts, than whom, as none ever applied himself closer to the study of the law, so never did any one understand it better. Of which he fully convinced England, by his excellent administration for many years together, whilst attorney-general, and by executing the office of Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas with the greatest wisdom and prudence; nor did he give less proof of his abilities in his excellent *Reports*, and Commentaries upon our Laws, whereby he has highly obliged both his own age and posterity." His lordship *d.* 3rd September, 1633, at the advanced age of eighty-three. A noble monument was erected to his memory at Tittleshall church, Norfolk, with his effigies habited in judge's robes, lying at full length, under a canopy supported by two marble pillars, on the top of which are four large figures, and between the pillars two marble tables, with these inscriptions:—

FIRST TABLE.

DEO OPTIMO MAXIMO.

Hæ Exuviæ Humanæ Expectant
Resurrectionem Piorum
Hic Situs est non Perituri
Nominis EDVARDUS COKE
EQUES AURATUS Legum anima
Interpres Oraculum non Dubium
Arcanorum Promicondus Mysteriorum
Cujus Fere unius Beneficio
Jurisperiti nostri sunt Jurisperiti Eloquentiæ Fulmen
Torrens Fulmen
Suadæ Sacerdos unicus
Divinis Heros
Pro Rostris ita Dixit
ut Literis insudasse crederes non nisi
Humanis
Ita Vixit ut non nisi Divinis
Sacerrimus intimæ Pietatis
Indigator
Integritas Ipsa Veræ Semper
Causæ Constantissimus Assertor
Nec favore nec Muneribus Violandus
Eximie Misericors Charior erat
Huic reus Quam sibi
(Miraculi instar est)
Sicoccalus sæpe ille audiit Sententiam
In se Prolatam Nunquam Hic Nisi
Madidoculus Protulit Scientiæ Oceanus
Quique Dum Vixit Bibliotheca viva,
mortuus dici meruit Parens
Duodecim Liberorum Tredecim
Librorum Pater
Facessant Hinc Monumenta
Facessant Marmora
(Nisi quod Pios Fuisse Denotarint Posteros)
Ipse sibi suum est monumentum
Marmore Perennius
Ipse sibi sua
Est Æternitas.

SECOND TABLE.

DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF
SIR EDWARD COKE, KNT.
A late Reverend Judge. Born
At Mileham, in this county of Norfolk.
Excellent in all Learning, Divine
and Humane. That for his own, this
for his Country's Good, especially
in the Knowledge and Practice of the
Municipall Laws of this Kingdome,
a famous Reader, a sound
Counsellor; in his younger Years
Recorder of the Cities of Norwich and
London. Next Solicitor-General

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to Queen Elizabeth, and Speaker of the Parliament in the XXXV Years of hir Reigne. Afterwards Attorney-General to the same Queen, as also to her Successor, King James, to both a faithful Servant for their Majties. for their Safties. By King James constituted Chief Justice of both Benches successively, in both a just, in both an exemplary Judge, one of his Majtys most Hon. Privie Councill, as also of Council to Queen Anne, and Chief Justice in Eire of all her Forrests, Parks, and Chases, Recorder of the Citie of Coventrie, and High Steward of the University of Cambridge, whereof he was sometime a Member of Trinitie Colledge. He had two Wives. By Bridget his first Wife (one of the Daughters and co-heirs of John Paston, Esq.) he had Issue seven Sons, and three Daughters; and by the Lady Elizabeth, his second Wife (one of the Daughters of the Right Hon. Thomas, late Earl of Exeter) he had issue two Daughters.

A CHAST HUSBAND,

A PROVIDENT FATHER.

And beneath the effigies the following inscription :—

"He Crown'd his Pious Life with as Pious and Christian Departure at STOKE POGES in the County of BUCKINGHAM on Wednesdaye the third Day of Sept. in the year of our Lord MDCXXXIII
And of his Age LXXXIII
His Last Words
THY KINGDOME COME THY WILL BE DONE
Learn Reader to Live so
That thou mayst so die."

Sir Edward Coke's daughters, by his last wife, were,

Elizabeth, who *d.* unmarried.

Frances, *m.* to John Villiers, Viscount Purbeck, son and heir of Sir George Villiers, by Mary, Duchess of Buckingham, and eldest brother of George, Duke of Buckingham, *d. s. p*

His surviving children, by his first wife were,

Robert (Sir), *m.* Theophila, only dau. of Thomas, Lord Berkeley and *d.* 19th July, 1653, issueless.

Arthur, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir George Walgrave, knt. of Hitcham, in the county of Norfolk, and left at his decease, 6th December, 1629, four daughters, his co-heirs.

John, of Holkham, in the county of Norfolk, *m.* Meriel, daughter and heiress of Anthony Wheatley, esq. (son of William Wheatley, Prothonotary of the court of Common Pleas), by whom he had seven sons and seven daughters, whereof EDWARD, his heir apparent, died before him, leaving no issue by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of George, Lord Berkeley, whereby the inheritance devolved, eventually, upon his youngest son,

JOHN, who dying unmarried, the estate of HOLKHAM, came to the heirs of HENRY COKE, of Thurrington, fifth son of Sir Edward Coke (next mentioned).

Henry, of Thurrington, in the county of Suffolk, *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Richard Lovelace, esq. of Kingsdown, in the county of Kent, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir John Rous, bart. of Henham Hall, in the county of Suffolk, and left an only son,

ROBERT, of whom hereafter, as inheritor of the principal part of Sir Edward Coke's fortune, and grandfather of the first peer.

Clement, *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of Alexander Reddish, esq. of Reddish, in the county of Lancaster (by a daughter and co-heiress of Sir Robert Langley, of Agecroft, in the same shire), by whom he acquired the estate of Longford, in Derbyshire, and was *s.* in May, 1619, by his elder son,

EDWARD COKE, who was created a baronet, 30th December, 1641. He *m.* Catherine, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Lodowick Dyer, knt. of Great Stoughton, in the county of Huntingdon, and had issue,

Robert } successive Baronets.
Edward }

Catharine, *m.* to Cornelius Clerk, esq. of Norton.

Sir Edward was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR ROBERT COKE, of Longford, second baronet, M.P. for the county of Derby, in the 1st of James II. who *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of —— Barker, esq. of Abrightlee, in the county of Sa-

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lop, but dying *s. p.* in 1617, the title and estates devolved upon his brother,

SIR EDWARD COKE, of Longford, third baronet, at whose decease, unmarried, 25th August, 1727, the baronetcy expired, while the estates passed, by the baronet's will, to Edward Coke, esq. brother of Thomas, first Lord Lovel.

Anne, *m.* to Ralph Sadler, esq. son and heir of Sir Ralph Sadler, knt.

Bridget, *m.* to William Skinner, esq. son and heir of Sir Vincent Skinner.

So much for the lord chief justice's children, we now return to the grandson of his son HENRY,

ROBERT COKE, esq. of Thurrington, in Suffolk, who, upon the decease of his cousin, (the son of his great uncle, John,) John Coke, esq. of Holkham, unmarried, inherited that estate, and thus became possessed of the chief part of the property of his great grandfather, Sir Edward Coke. He *m.* Lady Anne Osborne, daughter of Thomas, first Duke of Leeds, lord treasurer of England, and was *s.* at his decease, 16th January, 1679, by his only son,

EDWARD COKE, esq., of Holkham, who *m.* Carey, daughter of Sir John Newton, bart. of Barrow's Court, in Gloucestershire, and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Edward, of Longford, in the county of Derby, *d.* unmarried, in 1733, and bequeathed his estate to his younger brother,

Robert, vice-chamberlain of Queen Anne, *m.* in June, 1733, Lady Anne Holt, widow of John Holt, esq. of Redgrave, in Suffolk, and sister and co-heir of Philip, Duke of Wharton, but *d. s. p.*

Carey, *m.* to Sir Marmaduke Wyvil, bart. of Constable Burton, in Yorkshire, but *d.* issueless, in 1732.

Anne, *m.* to Philip Roberts, esq. a major in the 2nd troop of horse-guards, and had (with five younger sons and one daughter),

WENMAN ROBERTS, of whom presently, as eventual inheritor of the estates of the Cokes.

Mr. Coke *d.* 13th April, 1707, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS COKE, esq. of Holkham, who was made a Knight of the Bath, 27th May, 1725, and elevated to the peerage 28th May, 1728, as BARON LOVEL, of *Minster-Lovel, in the county of Oxford.* In 1733, his lordship was constituted joint post-master general, and created 9th May, 1744, *Viscount Coke, of Holkham*, and EARL OF LEICESTER. He *m.* 2nd July, 1718, Lady Mary Tufton,* fourth daughter and co-heiress of Thomas, sixth Earl of Thanet, and had an only son,

EDWARD, *Viscount Coke*, who *m.* in 1747, Lady Mary Campbell, daughter and co-heiress of John, Duke of Argyll and Greenwich, but died, in the lifetime of his father and mother, without issue, anno 1753.

This earl commenced the erection of that stately pile of building called Holkham Hall, in Norfolk, but did not live to see it completed. It was, however, finished by his widow, who survived him sixteen years. His lordship *d.* 20th April, 1759, when the EARLDOM OF LEICESTER, and inferior honors, became EXTINCT, while the entire of his extensive estates devolved upon (the son of his sister ANNE) his nephew,

WENMAN ROBERTS, esq., who assumed thereupon the surname and arms of COKE only. He *m.* Miss Elizabeth Chamberlayne, and had (with two daughters)

THOMAS-WILLIAM, his heir.

Edward.

Mr. Coke *d.* in 1776, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present THOMAS-WILLIAM COKE, esq. *of Holkham.*

Arms---Party, per pale, gu. and az. three eagles displayed ar.

Crest---On a chapeau az. turned up ermine, an ostrich ar. holding in its mouth a horse shoe or.

Motto---Prudens qui patiens.

Seat---Holkham Hall, Norfolk.

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* The abeyance of the BARONY DE CLIFFORD was terminated by the Crown in this lady's favor in 1734, and she became Baroness de Clifford, but outliving her only child Edward, Viscount Coke, the dignity fell again into abeyance at her ladyship's decease in 1775.

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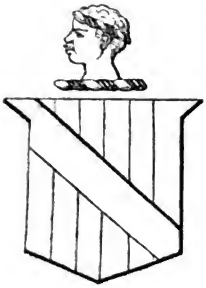
ANNESLEY, OF BLETCHINGDON.

ANNESLEY, ARTHUR, esq., of Bletchingdon, in the county of Oxford, *b.* in 1760, *s.* his father, Arthur Annesley, esq. in 1773, *m.* Catherine, daughter and heir of Admiral Sir Charles Hardy, (Governor of Greenwich Hospital) and has had, (with other children, who all died unmarried,)



1. ARTHUR, *b.* in 1785, *m.* Eleanor, dau. of Henry O'Brien, esq. of Blatherwycke Park, by whom he has issue,

ARTHUR.	Eleanor.
Temple.	Fanny.
Charles-James.	Matilda.
Henry.	Nea.

2. Charles, *b.* in 1789, in holy orders, Fellow of All Souls College, Oxford.
3. Catherine-Elizabeth, *b.* in 1791, *m.* to the Honorable and Reverend John-Evelyn Boscawen, second son of George, third Viscount Falmouth, and has issue.
4. Barbara-Caroline, *b.* in 1797, *m.* to Thomas-Tyrwhitt Drake, esq. of Shardeloes, Bucks, M.P. for Amersham.
5. Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Tyrwhitt-Drake, rector of Amersham, and *d.* in 1827.
6. Lucy-Susan.

Lineage.

This ancient family assumed its name from the town of ANNESLEY, in the county of Nottingham, the possessor of which, at the time of the Norman Conquest, was

RICHARD DE ANNESLEY, whose son and successor,

RALPH DE ANNESLEY, called *rito*, (the Briton,) founded the priory of Felley. He left issue by Aubrey his wife, a son and successor,

REGINALD DE ANNESLEY, living temp. HENRY II. who was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR REGINALD DE ANNESLEY, knt. who espoused the daughter and heiress of — Honskerle, and had an only son,

SIR JOHN DE ANNESLEY, knt. who had a grant, in the 4th EDWARD I. of free warren in all his demesnes in Annesley. He was sheriff of the counties of Derby and Nottingham, 14th EDWARD I. and also of the county of Gloucester 3rd 4th and 5th years of the following reign. Sir John *m.* Annora, dau. of Sir Robert Pierrepont, knt. and had three sons, viz.

JOHN, his successor.

Robert, of Roddington, founder, in 36th EDWARD III., of Annesley Chantry.

Ralph, of Kirkby Wodehouse.

Sir John de Annesley was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN DE ANNESLEY, knt. who *d.* 25th June, 1357, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN DE ANNESLEY, knt. who served in parliament as one of the knights of the county of Nottingham, and had livery of the manor of Hedynton and hundred of Belyndon, in Oxfordshire. He *m.* Isabell, daughter and co-heir of Margaret, third sister and co-heir of Sir John Chandos, Knight of the Garter, Baron of St. Saviour-le-Viscount in Normandy, Great Seneschal of Poicton, and High Constable of Aquitaine, by which lady he had issue,

THOMAS ANNESLEY, esq. OF ANNESLEY, M.P. for the county of Nottingham, 7th RICHARD II. This gentleman *m.* Agnes, daughter of Robert Clifton, of Clifton, by whom he had issue,

HUGH, his successor.

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Isabel, *m.* to Sir Gervase Clifton, knt. of Clifton, in the county of Nottingham.

Thomas Annesley was *s.* at his decease by his only son,

SIR HUGH ANNESLEY, knt. who *m.* —— dau. of Sir John Babington, of Chilwell, in the county of Notts, and left (with a daughter, Isabella, wife of Edmund Willoughby, esq.) an only son and successor,

SIR HUGH ANNESLEY, knt. of Annesley, who *m.* a daughter of William Fitz Williams, esq. and had two sons,

JOHN, of Annesley, who *d.* 15th HENRY VI. leaving a dau. and sole heiress,

ALICE, who *m.* Sir George Chaworth, knt. ancestor of the Viscounts Chaworth, and with her the manor and estate of ANNESLEY passed to the family of Chaworth, and is now in the possession of JOHN CHAWORTH-MUSTERS, esq.

THOMAS.

The second son,

THOMAS ANNESLEY, esq. of Rodington, was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM ANNESLEY, esq. of Rodington, who *m.* Mabel, daughter of — English, esq. and had (with four daughters) five sons, viz.

HUGH (Sir), of Maple Durham, in the county of Oxford, who left three daughters.

Bryan, Ralph, } both *d. s. p.*

ROBERT, of whom presently.

John.

The fourth son,

ROBERT ANNESLEY, esq. eventually succeeded to the family estates, and was of Newport Pagnell, in the county of Bucks. He *m.* Joan, daughter of William Cloville, of Coldhall, in Essex, by whom he had (with three daughters) an only son and heir,

GEORGE ANNESLEY, esq. of Newport Pagnell, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Dove, esq. and had eight sons and three daughters. The eldest son,

ROBERT ANNESLEY, esq. settled in Ireland. He *m.* Beatrice, daughter of John Cornwall, esq. of Moor Park, in the county of Hereford, and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR FRANCIS ANNESLEY, knt. who, for forty years, filled several of the highest official situations in Ireland. Upon the institution of the order of baronets of that kingdom, Sir Francis Annesley was the second person advanced to the dignity, by patent, dated 7th August, 1620, and in the following year, Sir Francis obtained a reversionary grant, by patent, dated 11th March, 1621, of the Irish Viscounty of Valentia at the decease of the then viscount, Sir Henry Power. He was put, however, into the more immediate possession of a peerage, by the title of BARON MOUNTNORRIS, *of Mountnorris, in the county of Armagh.* His lordship *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Philipps, of Picton Castle, and from this marriage the Earls of Anglesey, the Lords Altham, and the present Earl of Mountnorris, are descended (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*). The viscount espoused, secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir John Stanhope, and sister of Philip, first Earl of Chesterfield, by whom he had, with other issue, a son,

The Hon. FRANCIS ANNESLEY, of Clogmaghericatt, in the county of Down, who *m.* Deborah, daughter of Henry Jones, Bishop of Meath, by whom he had a son and successor,

FRANCIS ANNESLEY, esq. of Thorganby, in the county of York, M.P. for Westbury and Downpatrick. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Martin, of London, and had issue,

FRANCIS, his successor.

Henry, *d.* 1728.

Martin, in holy orders, rector of Frilsham, Berks, *m.* and had issue.

John.

James.

WILLIAM, who was created, in 1755, *Baron Annesley*, and in eight years after, Viscount Glerawley. The great grandson of this nobleman is the present WILLIAM, *Earl of Annesley.*

Arthur, *d.* in 1786.

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Macguire, esq.

Mr. Annesley *d.* in 1750, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Rev. FRANCIS ANNESLEY, LL.D. rector of the valuable living of Winwick, in the county of Lancaster, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heir of Sir Robert Gayer, of Stokepoges, in the county of Bucks, by Lady Elizabeth, sole daughter and eventual heiress of James Annesley, second Earl of Anglesey, and had issue,

ARTHUR, his successor.

Francis, in holy orders, of Eydon, in the county of Northampton, which manor he purchased. He *m.* Mary, daughter of John Walker, esq. of Bicester, but *d. s. p.* in 1811.

James, *d.* 9th December, 1777.

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Dr. Annesley was *s.* by his eldest son,

ARTHUR ANNESLEY, esq. of Bletchingdon, in the county of Oxford, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of William Baldwin, esq. of Arguileth, in Shropshire, and had issue,

ARTHUR, his heir.

Francis, *b.* in 1763, in holy orders, B.D. some time fellow of All Souls College, Oxford, resident of Eydon, county of Northampton, to which place he succeeded on the death of his uncle Francis, in 1811. Mr. Francis Annesley *d.* 13th December, 1831.

Anne, *m.* to Charles Warde, esq. of Squerries, in the county of Kent.

Elizabeth.

Mr. Annesley *d.* in February, 1773, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present ARTHUR ANNESLEY, esq. of *Bletchingdon.*

Arms—Paly of six arg. and az. a bend gu.

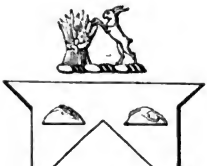
Crest—A moor's head in profile, couped ppr. wreathed about the temples.

Motto—Virtutis amore.

Seat—Bletchingdon, near Woodstock, Oxfordshire.

SHAKERLEY, OF SOMERFORD.

SHAKERLEY, CHARLES-WATKIN-JOHN, esq. of Somerford Hall, in the county of Chester, and of Park-place, Berkshire, *b.* 15th June, 1767, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Jacob Moreland, esq. of Capplethwaite, in the county of Westmorland, by whom he has surviving issue,



CHARLES-PETER, *b.* 27th December, 1792, who *m.* first, Rosalba d'Avaray, daughter of the Duke d'Avaray, and secondly, Jessy, daughter of Thomas Scott, esq. of Shipperton, in the county of Middlesex.

Geoffrey-Joseph, *b.* 25th March, 1800, who *m.* in 1827, Eleanor-Maria, daughter of the late Reverend James Webster, of Ashfield, county of Longford, Ireland.

Frances-Margarita, *m.* first, to Vigors Hervey, esq. of Killiane Castle, county of Wexford, and of Hammerton Hall, in the county of York; and secondly, the 26th November, 1832, to Thomas Read-Kemp, M.P.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was Buckworth, assumed, by act of parliament, in 1790, the surname and arms of SHAKERLEY only. He was high sheriff for Cheshire in 1791.

Lineage.

The ancient family of SHAKERLEY derives from ADAM DE SHAKERLEY, living temp. HENRY III. whose son,

HENRY DE SHAKERLEY, espoused Ellen, heiress of — Shotteworth, of Shotteworth, and from this marriage lineally descended

GEOFFREY SHAKERLEY, of Shakerley, living in the reign of HENRY VII. who *m.* first Joane, sister of Robert Langley, of Edgecroft, and had issue,

PETER, his successor.

William, living in 1536.

Margaret, who *d. s. p.*

Geoffrey Shakerley espoused, secondly, Anne,* daughter of Sir William Booth, of

* This lady had previously been married to John Legh, esq. of Booths, (son of John Legh, by Emma, daughter and co-heiress of Robert Grosvenor, of Holme), and had an only daughter and heiress,

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Dunham Massey, but had no further issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

PETER SHAKERLEY, esq. of Shakerley, living 8th Henry VIII. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Legh, esq. of Booths, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

GEOFFREY SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme, who *m.* first, the daughter of Lawrence Holland, and secondly, Isabella, daughter of Thomas Venables, of Kinderton. He *d.* 5th June, 1547, leaving issue, (by which wife is not positively ascertained, but probably by the first) six sons and four daughters, viz.

- PETER, his successor.
- Robert.
- Thomas.
- John, who *m.* Avice, daughter and co-heiress of Ralph Worseley, of Chester and Birkenhead.
- Edward.
- Francis.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Roger Anderton, esq. of Forde.
- Margaret, *m.* to Richard Massey, esq. of Sale.
- Jane, *m.* to John Bradshaw, esq. of Bradshaw.
- Anne, *m.* to Richard Rivington, esq. of Pilkington.

Geoffrey Shakerley was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Randle Mainwaring of Over Peover, and dying 6th January, 1553, was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEOFFREY SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme, who was sheriff of Cheshire in 1610. He espoused Jane, daughter of Sir George Beeston, of Beeston, and had issue,

1. HUGH, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Bunbury, esq. of Stanney, and dying *vitâ patris*, left issue,
   - PETER, successor to his grandfather.
   - Robert, who *m.* Amy, daughter of William Dod, esq. of Egerton Green.
   - John, Francis, } *d. s. p.*
   - Jane, *m.* to Francis Atwood, esq. of Middlewich.
   - Susan, Eliza, } *d.* unm.
   - Bridget, *m.* John Bolton, esq. of Little Bolton.
2. Peter, 3. Thomas, } *d. s. p.*
4. Geoffrey, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Buttery, esq. of Waterles.
5. Anne, *m.* to Henry Bunbury, esq. of Stanney.
6. Dorothy, *m.* to William Legh, esq. of Booths, sheriff of Cheshire in 1636.
7. Elinor.
8. Alice.

Geoffrey Shakerley *d.* in 1618, and was *s.* by his grandson,

PETER SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Philip Oldfield, esq. of Bradwall, and by her (who married after his decease William Vernon, the Cheshire Antiquary,) he had a son,

SIR GEOFFREY SHAKERLEY, knt. his successor in 1624. This personage, a staunch and devoted loyalist, suffered severely for his attachment to the STUARTS. He was several times imprisoned, and had his lands confiscated. Upon the restoration, however, he obtained restitution, and was appointed by the king governor of Chester Castle. In Pennant's Wales is recorded a gallant exploit of this stout cavalier. During the battle between Poyntz and Sir Marmaduke Langdale, on Rowton Heath, Colonel Shakerley was commissioned to carry the intelligence of an advantage of the Royalists to the king, in Chester, then beleaguered, and to avoid a troublesome circuit, he crossed the Dee in a tub, his horse swimming at the side; and offered to carry back the king's commands in a quarter of an hour, in the same manner. CHARLES delayed, Poyntz rallied, and the royal cavalry were destroyed, which put an end to his Majesty's project of joining Montrose, who was then in force in Scotland. Sir Geoffrey espoused first, Katherine, daughter of William Pennington, esq. of Muncaster, in the county of Cumberland, by whom (who *d.* 4th April, 1673) he had issue,

- PETER, his successor.
- Geoffrey, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Francis Keynell, esq. of the island of Nevis, but *d. s. p. m.*
- Anne, *m.* to Charles Hurleston, esq. of Picton, and had issue.
- Katherine.

ELIZABETH, who succeeded to the manor of HOLME, and her grandmother's share of Grosvenor's lands, but the Booths estate reverted to her father's heir male. She wedded (as stated above) Peter Shakerley, esq.

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He *m.* secondly, Jane, daughter of John Dolben, esq. of Segroyt, in Denbighshire, and had further issue,

GEORGE, of whom hereafter as successor to his half brother Peter.

John, twin with George, *d. s. p.* in 1709.

Sir Geoffrey Shakerley *d.* in 1696, at the age of 78, and was interred at Nether Peover.* His eldest son and heir,

PETER SHAKERLEY, of Holme, was governor of Chester. He *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Thomas Mainwaring, bt. but dying issueless in 1726, he settled his estates upon his half brother,

GEORGE SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme and Gwersyllt, who *m.* Ann, youngest daughter of Sir Walter Bagot, of Blythefield, in the county of Stafford, by whom (who *d.* in 1767, at the advanced age of 89) he had issue to survive infancy,

1. GEOFFREY, *b.* in 1706, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John Hurleston, esq. of Newton, by whom (who remarried Lord Kilmorey) he left at his decease, in 1733, no surviving issue.
2. PETER, successor to his father.
3. John, *d. s. p.* in 1725-6.
4. George, in holy orders, *d. s. p.*
5. Frances, *m.* in 1748, Sir Watkin Williams Wynn, bart. and had two sons, of whom the elder,

   SIR WATKIN WYNN, bart. was father of the present Sir Watkin Williams-Wynn, bart. of Wynnstay, M.P. for Denbighshire.

Mr. Shakerley *d.* 2nd February, 1756, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

PETER SHAKERLEY, esq. of Holme, who *m.* twice, but had one daughter only, (by his first wife, Ann, daughter of John Amson, esq. of Lees), which daughter,

ELIZA SHAKERLEY, succeeded to the estates. This lady espoused in 1764, Charles Buckworth, esq. of Park-place, in the county of Berks, sometime a lieutenant in the royal British fusileers, and had, with other issue, a son, CHARLES-WATKIN-JOHN BUCKWORTH, esq. who has assumed the surname of Shakerley, and is the present proprietor.

Arms—Arg. a chev. vert between three hillocks of the second.

Crest—A hare ppr. resting her fore feet on a garb or.

Estates—Somerford Hall, Township of Somerford, parish of Astbury; Bigley cum Yate Houses, and Allostach and Brereton, in the parish of Brereton; all in the county of Chester. Shakerley, in the county of Lancaster. Park Place, Berks; and Winchester Street, in the city of London.

Seats—Somerford Hall, in Cheshire. Park Place, Berkshire.

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* In the north side of Holme chancel, in Nether Peover church, a large and handsome mural monument of marble is erected to the memory of Sir Geoffrey, with the following inscription:

M. S.
Galfridi Shakerley, de Shakerley
in agro Lancastriensi,
qui a castris reportavit gloriam,
adhuc adolescens.
Ob. fidem utrique CAROLO et ecclesiæ periclitanti
præstitam
iterum, iterumque carcere conclusus,
rei familiaris despendium, et quicquid iniquum
excogitavit
parricidalis democraticorum furor,
eadem animi constantia qua prius discrimina
belli sustinuit
adversis major nec secundis impar.
A Rege tandem restaurato ad equestrem dignitatem
promotus
Arcis Cestrensis præfectus fuit;
hoc munus, ab eo sponte depositum,
PETRUS, primogenitus
ex CATHARINA filia GUL. PENNINGTON de
Muncaster
pari vigilantiâ ac fide administravit;
ex eadem lectissima conjuge
(cujus ossa sunt hic recondita)
tres insuper suscepit liberos.

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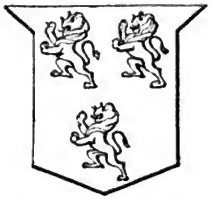
EYSTON, OF EAST HENDRED.

EYSTON, CHARLES, esq. of East Hendred, in the county of Berks, *m.* Maria-Theresa, daughter of T. P. Metcalfe, esq. of Barnborough, Yorkshire, and has issue,

CHARLES.	Mary-Anne.	Frances.
George.	Isabella.	Catherine.

Mr. Eyston served the office of high sheriff for the county of Berks, in 1831.

Lineage.



The Eystons have enjoyed their Berkshire estates, in the male line, since the reign of HENRY VI. but inherit them from families in whose possession they were at a much earlier period.

ROBERT DE TURBEVILLE was seised of a manor in East Hendred, early in the reign of HENRY III. and from him the estate passed to

RICHARD DE TURBEVILLE, who lived temp. EDWARD I. and left an only daughter and heiress,

AMICIA DE TURBEVILLE, who espoused William de Arches, and was *s.* at her decease by her son,

WILLIAM DE ARCHES, knight for Berks in 1336, whose son,

JOHN DE ARCHES, also represented that county in the 8th and 14th of RICHARD II. and 4th and 6th of HENRY IV. He left at his decease a son and heir,

WILLIAM RAWLIN DE ARCHES, who dying without male issue, his estates passed to his only daughter and heiress,

MAUD DE ARCHES, who conveyed those, (since denominated the manor of Arches,) with other territorial possessions to her husband, John Stowe, of Burford, in the county of Oxford, whose name occurs in the list of Berkshire gentry of 1433. The only daughter and heiress of this marriage,

ISABEL STOWE, espoused

JOHN EYSTON, (whose family had, for three generations before, possessed a manor in Isleworth, in Middlesex, now belonging to the Duke of Northumberland,) and was *s.* by her son,

WILLIAM EYSTON, esq. of East Hendred, living there in 1494, who was father of

THOMAS EYSTON, esq. of East Hendred. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Robert Hyde, esq. and had a son, his successor,

JOHN EYSTON, esq. of East Hendred, living in 1544, who *m.* Maud, daughter of Humphrey Tirrell, esq. of Wauley, Essex, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN EYSTON, esq. *b.* in 1531, who *m.* first, Joan Clifford, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Jane, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Berington, of Streatly, in the county of Berks, and had several children, by the eldest of whom,

WILLIAM EYSTON, esq. he was succeeded at his decease, in 1590. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of James Thatcher, esq. of Priesthawes, in Sussex, by whom he had fourteen children. Adhering to the tenets of the Roman Catholic religion, Mr. Eyston had his lands repeatedly sequestered during the reign of CHARLES I. He *d.* in 1649, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM EYSTON, esq. *b.* in 1611, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of George Smith, esq. of Ash, in the county Palatine of Durham, and had issue,

William, who was cast away in a vessel sailing between Marseilles and Leghorn, in the eighteenth year of his age.

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George.
John.
Joseph.
Frances, an Austine nun, at Paris.

This gentleman, a great sufferer during the civil wars, both on account of his religion and loyalty, *d.* 11th April, 1670, when his estates passed to his eldest surviving son,

George Eyston, esq. who adhering, like his predecessors, to the religion of his forefathers, suffered both imprisonment and sequestration, and was obliged to compound heavily for his estates, at the corrupt period when the perjuries of Titus Oates were hailed by a blood-thirsty faction, as a second revelation. He *m.* in 1644, Anne, daughter of Robert Dormer, esq. of Peterly, in the county of Bucks, by whom he had five sons,

Charles.
George.
Robert.
William.
John.

Dying in 1691, he was *s.* by his eldest son,

Charles Eyston, esq. who *m.* in 1692, Winifred-Dorothy, daughter of Basil Fitzherbert, esq. of Swinnerton, in the county of Stafford, and had ten children, viz.

Charles, his successor.
Basil, *d. s. p.*
Thomas-John, who inherited the estates upon the demise, issueless, of his elder brother,
William-George.
Winifred-Anne.
Frances.
Jane.
Mary.
Anne-Catherine.
Catherine-Mary.

This Charles Eyston was a diligent and curious antiquary, and a friend and correspondent of Thomas Hearne, of antiquarian celebrity, of Dr. Rawlinson, and of several other persons eminent in literary and scientific pursuits. He *d.* in 1721, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Charles Eyston, esq. who *m.* Mary-Magdalen, daughter of Thomas Hawkyns, esq. of Nash Court, in the county of Kent, but dying without issue, in 1747, in the 42nd year of his age, was *s.* in the estates by his next surviving brother,

Thomas-John Eyston, esq. who *m.* Mary, daughter of George Bruning, esq. of East Meon, Hampshire, of an ancient family in that county, and had issue,

Basil.
John.
William.
George.
Matthew-Robert.
Mary-Magdalen.
Winifred, *m.* to Bryan Barrett, esq. of Milton, in the county of Berks.
Mary, *m.* to the late Charles Butler, esq. of Lincoln's Inn, an eminent lawyer, and recently one of the king's counsel. Mr. Butler obtained high reputation by his literary labours, and by his advocacy of religious liberty. He was a Roman Catholic, and lived to witness the total repeal of the law which had so long and so unjustly oppressed his brethren. He *d.* 2nd June, 1832. (See vol. iii. p. 253.)

Mr. Eyston *d.* in 1796, at the advanced age of eighty-two, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Basil Eyston, esq. *b.* in 1748, who *m.* Mary, dau. and heir of Richard Huddleston, esq. of Gray's Inn, a younger son of Richard Huddleston, esq. of Sawston, and had

Charles, his heir.
Basil.
George.
Ferdinand.
John.
Jane.

He *d.* in 1817, and was *s.* in his estates by his eldest son, Charles Eyston, esq. the present proprietor.

Arms—Sable, three lions rampant or, two and one.

QUARTERINGS:

Stowe. Arg. a chevron gu. between three crows sable, beaked or.
Arches. Gu. three arches arg. capitals and pedestals or.
Turbeville. Ermine, a lion rampant gu.
Berington. Sable, three dogs courant in pale argent, collared or.
Thatcher. — a cross moline, a chief —
Lawkener. Az. three chevrons arg. on the upper a pallet.

Seat—East Hendred House, county of Berks.

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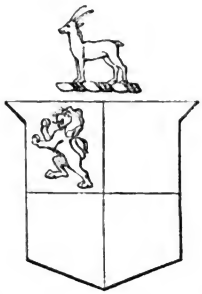
BYNG, OF WROTHAM.

BYNG, GEORGE, esq. of Wrotham Park, Middlesex, M.P. for that shire, *b.* 17th May, 1764, *m.* Harriet, eighth daughter of the late Sir William Montgomery, bart. Mr. Byng has been, for a great many years, the popular member for the county of Middlesex; in the many fierce contests which have occurred in his time, his seat has never been disputed.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the noble and ancient house of BYNG, Viscounts Torrington.

ADMIRAL GEORGE BYNG, (eldest son of John Byng, esq. of Wrotham), one of the most distinguished officers in the naval annals of Great Britain, received the honour of knighthood from Queen Anne, 22nd October, 1704; was created a baronet 14th November, 1715; and elevated to the peerage 9th September, 1721, by the titles of *Baron Byng* and VISCOUNT TORRINGTON. His lordship *m.* in 1691, Margaret, daughter of James Master, esq. of East Langdon, in the county of Kent, and had eleven sons and four daughters, of whom

PATTEE, *s.* his father, as second viscount, but dying *s. p.* the honors of the family passed to his brother,

GEORGE, third viscount, whose great-grandson is the present *George Byng*, VISCOUNT TORRINGTON.

ROBERT, of whom hereafter.

JOHN, the unfortunate Admiral Byng, so unjustly executed in 1757, under the sentence of a court martial.

His lordship's third son,

THE HON. ROBERT BYNG, M.P. for Plymouth, was appointed one of the commissioners of his majesty's navy, 21st June, 1731; and, in 1739, governor of Barbadoes. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Jonathan Forward, esq. and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor.

Robert, smothered in the Black Hole at Calcutta 20th June, 1756.

John, *d.* in 1764.

Mr. Byng *d.* in 1740, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE BYNG, esq. M.P. for Middlesex, who *m.* Anne, daughter of the Right Hon. William Conolly, of Castletown, in Ireland, and had issue,

GEORGE, present representative of the family.

Robert, *d.* in 1829.

John (Sir), K.C.B. G.C.H. lieutenant-general in the army, and colonel of the 29th regiment of foot, a gallant and highly distinguished officer during the late Spanish war, and at the battle of Waterloo, who has twice received the thanks of parliament for his services, and who has obtained from the crown an honorable augmentation of his arms. Sir John was created BARON STRAFFORD in the year 1835. He *m.* first, Mary, eldest daughter of Peter Mackenzie, esq. and has

George-Stevens, M.P. captain in the army and comptroller of the household, *b.* 8th June, 1806; *m.* 7th March, 1829, Lady Agnes Paget, fifth daughter of Henry William, present Marquess of Anglesey, and has issue,

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1. George-Henry-Charles, *b.* 22nd February, 1830.
2. Henry-William-John, *b.* 21st August, 1831.
3. Francis.

1. Agnes.

Sir John Byng *m.* secondly, Marianne, second dau. of Sir Walter James, bart. and has further issue,

William-Frederick, an officer in the army.

Harriet-Frances, *m.* in 1828, to Captain Charles Ramsden.

Frances.

Caroline-Frances, *m.* in 1835, to Sir Walter George Stirling, bart.

Mr. Byng *d.* in 1789, and was *s.* by his eldest son, GEORGE BYNG, esq. now M.P. for Middlesex.

Arms—Quarterly, sa. and ar. in the first quarter, a lion rampant of the second.

Crest—An heraldic antelope statant, erm. horned, tusked, maned, and hoofed, or.

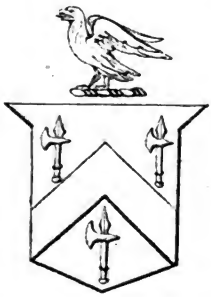
Motto—Tuebor.

Seat—Wrotham Park, Middlesex.

CONGREVE, OF CONGREVE AND ALDERMANSTON.

CONGREVE, WILLIAM, esq. of Aldermanston, in the county of Berks, and of Congreve, in the county of Stafford, *m.* Mary, second daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Pepperrell, bart.

Lineage.



This family, one of the most eminent in the county of Stafford, was settled at CONGREVE soon after the CONQUEST, and thence derived its surname.

RICHARD CONGREVE, esq. of Congreve and Stretton, was one of the thirteen Staffordshire gentlemen upon whom *King* CHARLES II. intended to have conferred the order of the royal oak, were the institution of such a degree of knighthood persevered in. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, and grandaughter of Sir Anthony Fitz-Herbert, the eminent judge, by whom he had two sons,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. William, a colonel in the army, father of

WILLIAM CONGREVE, the celebrated DRAMATIST, *b.* in 1672.

This distinguished person is spoken of in terms of admiration by every English writer who has had occasion to mention his name. Steele made him the patron of his Miscellany, and Pope inscribed to him the translation of the ILIAD. Placed by circumstances beyond the pecuniary anxieties of an author's profession, he is said to have affected contempt for the profession itself. The anecdote of his telling VOLTAIRE when he came to visit him, that he desired to be considered as a gentleman SOLELY, and not in the light of an author, is one of the mortifying proofs that the highest gifted minds are not always the strongest. The latter years of Congreve's life were rendered miserable by sickness and infirmity. Catarrhs in his eyes produced at length total blindness, and repeated attacks of gout prematurely undermined his

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constitution. He sought relief from the waters at Bath, but the accident of being overturned in his carriage, left a permanent pain in his side, and, probably, accelerated his death, which occurred in January, 1729, in the sixtieth year of his age. The remains of the poet were interred with great solemnity in Westminster Abbey, and Henrietta, Duchess of Marlborough, erected a monument to his memory. To this lady, who is said to have entertained a most romantic regard for him, he bequeathed the great bulk of his fortune. Congreve's occasional poems are so far below mediocrity, that we have not deemed it necessary at all to allude to them. As a dramatist, his fame is imperishable, and he stands, if not at the *head*, in the very first class of writers of comedy. Not so much, however, for his humorous and natural portraits, as for those of eccentricity. His wit, indeed, flashes upon us almost to annoyance, and it is often difficult to distinguish the *false* humour of his fools from the genuine sallies of his lively characters. We shall conclude these observations with Congreve's literary character, from the pen of *Doctor* JOHNSON. "Congreve has merit of the highest kind; he is an original writer, who borrowed neither the model of his plot, nor the manner of his dialogue. He formed a peculiar idea of comic excellence, which he supposed to consist of gay remarks and unexpected answers, but that which he endeavoured he seldom failed of performing. His scenes exhibit not much of imagery or passion; his personages are a kind of intellectual gladiators—every sentence is to ward or strike; but they are the work of a mind replete with images, and quick in combination."

Mr. Congreve was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN CONGREVE, esq. of Congreve and Stretton, *m.* Mary, dau. of T. Nichols, esq. of Boycot, in the county of Salop, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Ralph, a colonel in the army, and lieutenant-governor of Gibraltar, who *m.* Anne, daughter of —— Hanmer, esq. and had a son and a daughter, viz.

Ralph, M.P. an officer in the yeoman of the guard, *m.* Charlotte, only child of William Lord Stawell, by his wife Elizabeth, heiress of the Forsters, of ALDERSMANSTON. He *d.* without issue, but surviving his wife, bequeathed his estates (which had been settled on the survivor) to the elder branch of his own family.

Anne, *d.* unmarried.

William, a colonel in the army, and ancestor to Sir William Congreve, bt.

The eldest son,

JOHN CONGREVE, esq. of Congreve and Stretton, *m.* Abigail, dau. of John Harewood, esq. of Shrewsbury, and had three sons, viz.

WILLIAM, his successor.

Charles-Walter, in holy orders, archdeacon of Armagh, *d.* unm. in 1777.

RICHARD, who eventually inherited the family estates.

Mr. Congreve *d.* in 1728, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM CONGREVE, esq. of Congreve, who sold the ancient estate of Stretton, the residence of the family since the reign of EDWARD II. He *m.* Jane Waller, a relative of the poet, Waller, but dying *s. p.* in 1779, was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

REV. RICHARD CONGREVE, of Congreve, who *m.* Martha, daughter and heiress of John Jones, esq. of Fynnant, in the county of Montgomery, and had issue,

WILLIAM, present proprietor.

Richard, of Burton, in the county of Chester, who *m.* Mary-Anne, daughter of George Birch, esq. of Hampstead, in Staffordshire, and has a numerous family.

Mariamne, of Iswyd Park, Flintshire.

Mr. Congreve was *s.* at his decease by his elder son.

Arms—Sa. a chevron between three battle axes arg.

Crest—A falcon rising.

Motto—Non moritur cujus fama vivit.

Seat—Aldermanston-House Berkshire.

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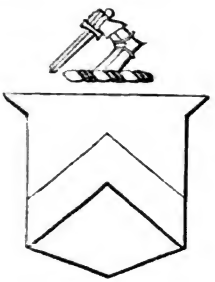
BASTARD, OF KITLEY.

BASTARD, EDMUND-POLLEXFEN, esq. of Kitley, Devonshire, *b.* 12th July, 1784, *m.* 22nd Jan. 1824, the Hon. Anne-Jane Rodney, only surviving dau. of George, second Baron Rodney, of Rodney Stoke, (by Anne, dau. and co-heiress of the Rt. Hon. Thomas Harley, of Berrington, in the county of Hereford,) and has (by her, who *d.* in 1833,) three sons,



EDMUND-RODNEY-POLLEXFEN, *b.* 7th September, 1825.
Baldwin-John-Pollexfen, *b.* 11th March, 1830.
William-Pollexfen, *b.* 12th January, 1832.

Mr. Bastard, who represented the county of Devon in several parliaments, succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1816.

Lineage.

The family of BASTARD has been seated in Devonshire ever since the CONQUEST. Robert Bastard appears in Domesday Book to have had grants of Efford Meavy, Stonehouse, Blackford, Badestone, Haraldesore, Cumbe, Dunestantone, and Bicheford, all in the county of Devon. His descendants have intermarried with the heiresses of Crispin and of Killiowe, in the county of Cornwall, and into the families of Fitz-Stephen, Besilles, Damarell, Gilbert, Reynell, Hele, and Bampfylde, and have at different periods served as sheriffs of the county. Their seat for many generations was at Garston, near Kingsbridge, until about the end of the seventeenth century.

WILLIAM BASTARD, esq. by marriage with the heiress of Pollexfen, of Kitley, acquired that estate, which has since been the family residence. His son,

POLLEXFEN BASTARD, esq. of Kitley, *m.* Lady Bridget Poulett, daughter of John, first Earl Poulett, and was *s.* at his decease in 1733, by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BASTARD, esq. of Kitley. In 1779, a powerful French fleet appearing in the Channel, great alarm was excited for the safety of the Dock Yard and Arsenal at Plymouth, on account of a large number of French prisoners confined there, for the removal of whom no troops could be spared from the garrison, already insufficient for the defence of the place. Mr. Bastard, as a reward for his services in conducting these prisoners to Exeter, assisted only by the gentry and peasantry of the neighbourhood whom he had collected on the occasion, was created a baronet by his late Majesty. The title was gazetted in 1779, but has never been assumed. He *m.* Ann, daughter of Thomas Worsley, esq. of Hovingham, in the county of York, and had issue,

JOHN-POLLEXFEN, his successor.
EDMUND, who inherited the estates, upon his brother's decease.

Mr. Bastard was *s.* at his decease, in 1782, by his elder son,

JOHN-POLLEXFEN BASTARD, esq. who was elected in 1784 member for Devon, which county he continued to represent until his death. He *m.* Sarah, widow of — Wymondesold, esq. of Lockinge, in the county of Berks, by whom he acquired the estates belonging to that family, but dying without issue in 1816, he was *s.* by his brother,

EDMUND BASTARD, esq. sometime M.P. for Dartmouth, who *m.* Jane, daughter and heiress of Captain Pownoll, R.N. of Sharpham, Devon, and had issue,

EDMUND-POLLEXFEN, present proprietor,
John, a captain in the Navy, and M.P. for Dartmouth, who inherited the Pownoll estates, and resides at Sharpham. He *m.* Frances, daughter and co-heiress of Benjamin Wade, of the Grange, in the county of York, esq.

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Philomen-Pownoll, in holy orders, *m.* Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. Justice Park.

Mr. Bastard died the same year he inherited the estates, and was *s.* by his eldest son, EDMUND-POLLEXFEN BASTARD, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms.—Or, a chevron az.

Crest.—A dexter arm embowed in plate armour, ppr. garnished or, the elbow towards the sinister, the hand in a gauntlet grasping a sword also ppr. pommel and hilt gold, in bend sinister the point downwards.

Motto—Pax potior bello.

Estates—Chiefly in Devonshire; KITLEY the present residence, first possessed in 1700. The original property at different periods since the Conquest, but the dates uncertain. Some possessions in Cornwall about 1630, and an estate in Berkshire about 1780.

Seats — Kitley, near Yealmpton, and Buckland, near Ashburton, both in the county of Devon; and Lockinge, Berkshire.

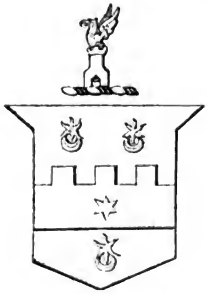
BATEMAN, OF KNYPERSLEY HALL.

BATEMAN, JOHN, esq. of Knypersley Hall, county of Stafford, and of Tolson Hall, in the county of Westmoreland, *b.* 31st October, 1782, *m.* 30th May, 1810, Elizabeth, second daughter of the late George Holt, esq. of Redivals, in Lancashire, and has issue, an only son,

JAMES, *b.* 18th July, 1812.

Mr. Bateman served the office of High Sheriff for Staffordshire in 1830.

Lineage.



THOMAS BATEMAN, esq. of Tolson Hall, in the county of Westmoreland, dying in 1736, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN BATEMAN, esq. of Tolson Hall, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Branthwaite, esq. of Carlinghill, in the county of Westmoreland, (direct lineal descendant from, and inheritor of the estates of, Robert Branthwayt, of Carlinghill, keeper of the Tower of London temp. JAMES I. and secretary to Sir Richard Weston, K.G. lord treasurer of England for Irish affairs), by whom he had issue,

JAMES, his successor.

John, *d.* unmarried, in 1816.

Mr. Bateman *d.* in 1783, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JAMES BATEMAN, esq. of Tolson Hall, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Edward Nicholson, of Kendal, merchant, and grandaughter to the Rev. William Nicholson, of Old Hutton, by Margaret, first cousin to Secretary Cragg, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

James, *b.* in 1784, *d.* in Germany in 1800.

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Thorpe, esq. of Manchester,

Margaret, *m.* to O. P. Wathen, esq. fifth son of Sir Samuel Wathen, of Woodchester, in the county of Gloucester.

Susanna, *m.* to Richard Gould, esq. third son of Thomas Gould, esq. of Northaw, in the county of Herts.

Mr. Bateman *d.* in 1824, and was *s.* by his elder son, JOHN BATEMAN, esq. present proprietor.

Arms—Az. on a fesse embattled between

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three crescents, issuant from each an estoile arg. the chemical character of Mars sa.

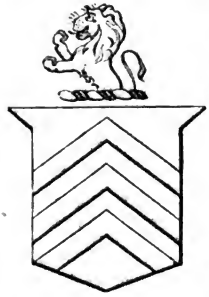
Crest—A tower arg. issuant therefrom a demi-eagle, wings elevated sa. charged on the breast with the chemical character of Mars or; in the beak a wreath of oak, ppr.

Estates—In the townships of Strickland Kettle, Skelsmergh, and Burneside, Westmoreland, first acquired in 1622 and 1752. In the townships of Manchester, Salford, and Redivals, Lancashire, first possessed in 1793. In the townships of Knypersley, Upper Biddulph (including the manor of Knypersley, the great tithes of the parish of Biddulph, and the perpetual advowson of the vicarage of Biddulph), Wolstanton Horton, Rushton Spencer, and Norton le Moors, Staffordshire, first possessed in 1809. In the township of Stroud, Gloucestershire, obtained in 1818; and in the townships of Congleton and Buglawton, Cheshire, acquired in 1823.

Seat—Knypersley Hall, in the county of Stafford; and Tolson Hall, Westmoreland.

WISE, OF FORD HOUSE.

WISE, AYSHFORD, esq. of Ford House, and Wonwell Court, both in the county of Devon, *b.* 20th April, 1786, *m.* in June, 1809, Mary, daughter of the Reverend Thomas Whitby, of Creswell-Hall, in Staffordshire, (by Mabella, daughter of T. Turton, esq. of Orgreve, and sister of the late Mrs. Portman, of Bryanstone) by whom he has had issue,



JOHN-AYSHFORD, *b.* in 1810.
Henry-Whitby, *b.* in 1813, *d.* in 1828.
Reginald, *b.* in 1814.
Maribella.
Lucy.
Julia.
Philippa-Ferrers.

Mr. Wise succeeded his father, 19th May, 1809. He represented Totness in parliament, from 1813 to 1817.

Lineage.

This family, which resided in England before the NORMAN CONQUEST, deduces its descent from

WILLIAM WISE, OR GWISS, living about forty years after that great event. He was *s.* by his son,

SERLONIUS FITZ-WISE, who had a daughter, *m.* to Fulford, of Fulford, and a son, his successor,

OLIVER WISE, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN WISE, Lord of Greston, father of

HENRY WISE, whose son,

WILLIAM WISE, held sixteen librates of land in Cornwall, in the 40th of HENRY III. (anno 1255). He was *s.* by his son,

SERLONIUS WISE, lord of the manor of Thrusselton; which lands he inherited from the Viponts. He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WISE, who had two sons,

JOHN.

Oliver, who left a daughter,

Thomasine, *m.* to Hugh, son and heir of Sir T. Beaumont.

The elder son,

JOHN WISE, inherited lands from the Trevages and Sydenhams, and was sheriff of the county of Devon, in the 5th of HENRY IV. His son,

THOMAS WISE, *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Robert Brett, esq. of Slottiscombe, (descended from Alured de Brito). By this lady he acquired the manor of Stoke Dama-

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rell, where the Wises built a house, called Mount Wise. He had issue,

JOHN WISE, of Sydenham, in Devonshire, who *m.* Thomasine, daughter of Sir Baldwin Fulford, of Great Fulford, in Devonshire, and had issue,

OLIVER.

Alicia, *m.* to James Russell, esq. and was mother of John, first Earl of Bedford.

He was *s.* by his son,

OLIVER WISE, of Sydenham. This gentleman *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Tremayne, esq. of Collacombe, in the county of Devon, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN WISE, of Sydenham, who *m.* first, Maria, daughter of James Chudleigh, esq. of Ashton, in the county of Devon, by whom he had THOMAS, Nicholas, and Anna. He espoused, secondly, Dorothy, daughter of — Legh, of Legh, and had two other sons and a daughter. He wedded, thirdly, Anna, daughter of Sir George Mathew, of Rader, in Wales, and had one son, Leonard. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES WISE, of Sydenham, who *m.* Alicia, daughter of James Dinham, esq. of Wortham, in the county of Devon, and had, with other issue,

JOHN, his successor.

William (Sir). Of this gentleman the following quaint anecdote is related. "Having one day lente HENRY VIII. his signet to seale a letter, which having powdered eremites on the seale, why how now, Wise, quoth the king, what, hast thou lice here? And if it like your majestie, quoth Sir William, a louse is a rich coate, for by giving the louse, I part names with the French king, in that he giveth the floure de lice. Whereat the king laughed heartily to heare how prettily so byting a taunt (namely proceeding from a king) was so daintily turned to so pleasante a conceite."

James Wise was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WISE, of Sydenham, who *m.* Alicia, daughter of John Harris, of Hayne, serjeant-at-law to *King* HENRY VIII. and had, with other issue,

1. THOMAS, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Buller, esq. of Shillingham, in Cornwall, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS WISE, who was made a Knight of the Bath at the coronation of *King* JAMES I. and was sheriff of Devonshire in the 9th of the same monarch. He represented Beeralston in parliament in 1620, and following years. Sir Thomas built the seats of Sydenham House and Mount Wise. The former, says Westcote, "is the seat of the knightly and dignous family of Wise, and beautified with buildings of such height, as the very foundations are ready to reele under the burthen." Sir Thomas *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Robert Stafford, esq. of Stowford, in the county of Devon, and dying in 1629, left (with a daughter, Margaret, *m.* to Sir Samuel Rolle, M.P.) a son and successor,

THOMAS WISE, of Mount Wise and Sydenham, who was sheriff of Devonshire in 1638 and representative of that shire in parliament anno 1640. He *m.* the Lady Margaret Chichester, daughter of Edward, Earl of Donegal, by whom he had, with other issue, a daughter, Margaret, *m.* to Sir John Molesworth, of Pencarrow, and a son, his successor.

SIR EDWARD WISE, K.B. *b.* in 1632, of Mount Wise and Sydenham. This gentleman supported the royal cause and was member for Oakhampton, in the parliament which restored *King* CHARLES II. He *m.* first, in 1651, Arabella, daugh. and one of the co-heirs of Oliver, Lord St. John,* and had issue,

St. John, Thomas, } both *d. s. p.*

ARABELLA, *m.* in 1673, to Edward Tremayne, esq. of Collacombe. This lady, who was sole heir of her father, conveyed Mount Wise, Stoke Damarell, the manors

* By Lady Arabella Egerton, daughter of John, first Earl of Bridgewater, and grandaughter of the Earl of Bolingbroke, by Elizabeth, daughter of William Paulet, grandson of Sir George Paulet, brother of William, first Marquess of Winchester.

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of Sydenham, Stowford, and other lands, to her husband. She *d.* 31st January, 1696.

Sir Edward Wise espoused, secondly, Radigund, daughter of J. Eliot, esq. of Port Eliot, and *d.* in 1675.

2. John.

The second son,

JOHN WISE, esq. who was of Totness, *m.* Emma, daughter of Richard Vavasor, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM WISE, esq. of Totness, *b.* in 1560, who *d.* in 1626, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WISE, esq. of Totness. This gentleman *m.* in 1631, Susanna, sister and co-heir of T. Prestwood, esq. and dying 6th September, 1670, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WISE, esq. of Totness, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Lewis Full, esq. of Ash, in Devonshire, and had a daughter, Mary, *m.* in 1697, to A. Champernowne, esq. and afterwards to J. Sawle, esq. of Penrice Castle. Mr. Wise espoused, secondly, in 1684, Dorothy, daughter of J. Brookinge, esq. of Totness, and had issue,

JOHN.

LEWIS.

Samuel, *m.* Trephana, daughter of — Coplestone, esq. of Bowden, and dying in 1730, left

JOHN, who succeeded eventually to the estates and representation of the family.

Lewis.

Samuel, *d.* in 1746.

Mary, *m.* to W. Payne, esq.

John Wise *d.* 26th July, 1702, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WISE, esq. who *d.* in 1743, and was *s.* by his brother,

LEWIS WISE, esq. who *d.* in 1744, and was *s.* by his nephew,

JOHN WISE, esq. of Totness, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heir of John Ayshford, esq. of Wonwell Court, in the county of Devon, and had, with other issue,

JOHN, his successor.

George-Furlong, *m.* Miss Dacres, and was father of Cap. W. Wise, and other issue.

Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. B. Trist.

Dorothy, *m.* to M. Milbank, esq. of Thorpe Hall, in the county of York, father of the member for Camelford.

Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. D. Amyatt.

Jane, *m.* to the Rev. J. Clarke.

Sarah, *m.* to John Julian, esq.

Mr. Wise *d.* in 1765, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WISE, esq. of Totness, and Wonwell Court, *b.* 27th August, 1751. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Froude, esq. of Edmaston (by Phillis, daughter and heir of Richard Harrell, esq.) and had issue,

AYSHFORD, his heir.

Frederic.

John, his Majesty's consul-general in Sweden.

Mr. Wise was recorder of Totness, and a deputy-lieutenant of the county of Devon He *d.* on the 19th May, 1807, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present AYSHFORD WISE, esq. of Ford House, and Wonwell Court.

Arms—Quarterly; 1. Sa. three chevronels, ermine. 2. Arg. guttée de sang, three copper cakes sa. 3. Gu. a cross pattée vaire. 4. Sa. on a fess or between two crosses pattée arg. as many pallets, gu. 5. Ar. three hawks gu. membered, beaked, &c. or. 6. Gu. a chev. per fesse indented ar. and az. between three martlets ar. 7. Arg. on a bend gu. three stags courant or. 8. Sa. a pelican in her piety or. 9. Arg. three bendlets gu. within a bordure charged with twelve bezants sa. 10. Gu. a fesse ar. betw. three escallops or. 11. Or, on a chev. gu. a crescent on the first. 12. Ar. three ash crops vert. betw. two chevronels sa. 13. Or, on a bend sa. three horse shoes or. 14. Gules, an arm in armour, holding a battle-axe, ar.

Crest—The old crest of the Wises, of Sydenham, was a mermaid, ppr. In 1400, a demi-lion rampant, gu. guttée ar. holding in his paws a regal mace, was granted to the family. Mr. Wise likewise bears the crest of the Ayshfords—a Saracen's head in profile, ppr. issuing out of a wreath of leaves ppr.

Motto—Sapere aude.

Estates—Wonwell Court, and the Barton of that name, in the parish of Kingston; manor of Skenbeny, near Modbury, and Bigbury Bay; all of which came into the family with the heiress of the Ayshfords. Manor of Little Totness. The great and small tithes of the parish of Totness, which came into the family in 1602. The Barton of Cot, in the parish of Darlington, acquired by the Wises about the same period.

Seats—Ford House, near Newton Abbot, and Wonwell Court, both in Devonshire.

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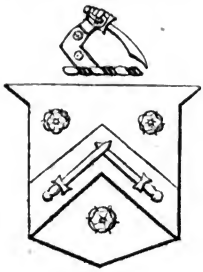
RICKETTS, OF COMBE.

RICKETTS, THOMAS-BOURKE, esq. of Combe, in the county of Hereford, *b.* 28th September, 1780, *m.* 4th August, 1804, Harriet, second daughter of the late General William Loftus, colonel of the second dragoon guards and lieutenant of the Tower of London, (a descendant of Adam Loftus, Archbishop of Dublin, temp. QUEEN ELIZABETH) and has issue,



GEORGE-CRAWFORD, an officer in the guards.
William-Loftus.
Thomas-Henry-John.
Harriet-Anne.
Elizabeth-Margaret.
Jane-Spencer-Perceval, } twins.
Frances-Spencer-Perceval, }
Louisa-Georgiana-Letitia.

Lineage.

This family, whose surname was originally RICARDS, is of Norman extraction.

The first person we find upon record is,

—— RICARDS, esq. who *d.* leaving three sons, viz.

Oswald, *d. s. p.*

THOMAS, who carried on the line of the family.

William-Henry, *d. s. p.*

The second son,

COLONEL THOMAS RICARDS, a gallant soldier in the army of CHARLES I., was killed in support of the royal cause at the siege of Lichfield. He *m.* Miss Elizabeth Rugely, of Rugely, in Staffordshire, and had two sons,

John, who *d.* without issue;

and

WILLIAM RICARDS, esq. a captain in Cromwell's army, who, accompanying the expedition under Penn and Venables, was present at the conquest of Jamaica, in 1655, and subsequently obtained the command of Bluefield's fort in that island. His commission having been made out in the name of RICKETTS, he and his descendants have ever since retained that designation. He *m.* about the year 1672, Mary, daughter of — Goodwin, esq. a younger son of Sir Francis Goodwin,* and the Lady Elizabeth Grey, only daughter of Arthur, fourteenth Lord Grey de Wilton, by his lordship's first wife, DOROTHY ZOUCH, (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*) by whom (who *d.* in 1758, at the advanced age of 96) he had issue,

John, *d. s. p.*

William, of Ridgeland, in Jamaica, who settled in the Jerseys of North America, and, having married Mary, daughter of —— Walton, esq. of New York, became the founder of the family of RICKETTS, of North America.

Jacob, *d.* without issue.

GEORGE, of whom presently.

Benjamin, *d. s. p.*

Oswald, captain R.N. lost on the rocks of Bermudas.

Violetta, *d.* unmarried.

Rachel, *m.* to Thomas Johnson, esq. and had issue.

Captain William Ricketts *d.* in 1700, leaving his wife his executrix and sole guardian of his children. His fourth son,

GEORGE RICKETTS, esq. of Canaan, in Jamaica, major-general of the militia, *d.* in 1760, at the advanced age of 80, in consequence of fatigues occasioned by military duties during the rebellion of that year. He *m.* first, Sarah, daughter of Raynes Waite, esq. of Chertsey, Surrey, and grandaughter of Colonel Thomas Waite, M.P. for Rutlandshire, in the Long Parliament (Colonel

* Sir Francis Goodwin's eldest son, Arthur Goodwin, esq. of Winchendon, or Winchingdon, Bucks, left an only daughter and heiress,

JANE GOODWIN, who *m.* Lord Wharton.

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Waite made the Duke of Hamilton prisoner in the civil wars, and was one of the judges who sat upon the trial of, and passed sentence upon the unfortunate CHARLES I.) Mr. Ricketts had no less than twenty-seven children, of whom,

JOHN, the eldest, continued the line of the family.

William-Raynes, R.N. was lost at sea.

Jacob, of Midgham, Jamaica, *m.* Hannah, daughter and co-heir of Joseph Poyntz, esq. of Iron Acton, in the county of Gloucester, and had an only son,

George-Poyntz Ricketts, esq. governor of Barbadoes in 1798, who *m.* Sophia, daughter of Walter Watts, esq. of South Hill, Berks, (formerly governor of Bengal,) and aunt of the late Lord Liverpool, by whom (who *d.* in 1830) he left issue at his decease in 1800, four sons and a daughter, viz.

1. GEORGE-POYNTZ.
2. Charles-Milner.
3. Mordaunt. 4. Frederick.
5. Isabella, *m.* to —— Batson, esq.

Thomas-Waite, was killed in 1743 by a schoolfellow (William Chetwynd), at Clare's academy, Soho-square. William Chetwynd was tried for the murder, and found guilty.

William-Henry, of Canaan, Jamaica, and of Longwood, Hants, a bencher at Gray's-inn, *b.* in 1736; *m.* in 1757, Mary, daughter of Swynfen Jervis, esq. of Meaford, Staffordshire, and sister of the late EARL ST. VINCENT, by whom he had issue,

1. WILLIAM-HENRY-JERVIS RICKETTS, esq. a captain R.N. drowned by the upsetting of his barge in 1805. He espoused, 9th November, 1793, Lady Elizabeth-Jane Lambert, only daughter of Richard, sixth Earl of Cavan, and had two daughters, viz.

Martha-Honoria-Georgiana, who *m.* in 1822, the late Osborne Markham, esq. and has assumed the surname of JERVIS only.

Henrietta-Elizabeth-Mary, *m.* in 1817, to Captain Edmund Palmer, R.N.

2. EDWARD-JERVIS RICKETTS, present VISCOUNT ST. VINCENT (see *Burke's Dictionary of the Peerage and Baronetage*).

3. Mary, *m.* to William, Earl of Northesk.

Sarah, *m.* John Woodcock, esq. and *d. s. p.*

Mary, *m.* Richard Houghton, of Esher, in Jamaica, esq.

Major-general George Ricketts, of Canaan, espoused, secondly, Sarah, daughter of —— Bennet, esq. and widow of John Lewis, esq. of Cornwall, in Jamaica, but had no issue. He wedded, thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of William Cleaver, esq. of Westmoreland, in Jamaica, by whom he left a posthumous son,

George-William, *b.* in 1760, who inherited by bequest of his father, the estate of New Canaan, in St. James's, Jamaica. He *m.* Letitia, co-heiress of Carew Mildmay, esq. of Shawford, Hants, and sister of Lady Mildmay, of Dogmersfield, in the same shire, and had issue,

1. George-Robert-Goodwin.
2. Carew. 3. Henry.
4. William. 5. Edward.
6. Letitia, who *d.* unmarried.
7. Eliza. 8. Marianne.

Major-general Ricketts was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN RICKETTS, esq. of Prospect, who *m.* 4th March, 1750, Anne, daughter of Alexander Crawford, esq. of Crail, in Fifeshire, of the ancient Scottish family of Crawford, a lineal descendant in the male line from Sir Gregan Crawford, who saved the life of king DAVID I. when hunting; in commemoration of which event that monarch founded Holy-Rood Abbey, and granted particular arms to the family of his preserver, which ensigns Mrs. Anne Ricketts and her descendants were, by the laws of Scotland, entitled to bear, upon the death of her brother without issue. By her mother, the daughter of Sir Thomas Wiseman, she derived from Anne, sister of EDWARD IV. through the noble families of Rutland and Essex. By this lady he had issue,

GEORGE-CRAWFORD, his successor.

John, *d.* unmarried.

Alexander, *b.* 30th August, 1753; *m.* Miss Waite, and had issue,

1. Henry-John, a major in the army, who gallantly distinguished himself in the Ashantee war, as

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brigade-major to Sir Charles Mac-Carthy.
2. George, of Jamaica
3. Barret, *d.* young.
4. Marianne.
5. Elizabeth-Williams.

William-Henry, *b.* in 1755, who left issue, one son and a daughter, viz.
1. George St. John.
2. —— *m.* to Alexander Bayley, esq. of Jamaica.

Jacob, *d.* unmarried.
Sarah.
Anne.

Mr. Ricketts was *s.* at his decease, in 1767, by his eldest son,

6. George-Crawford Ricketts, esq. of Gray's-inn, who, being called to the bar in 1772, went out to Jamaica, where he practised as a barrister for many years, until appointed his majesty's attorney and advocate-general, and a member of the honorable council of that island. Returning to England in 1802, he settled at Ayshford Hall, near Ludlow, and, in four years after, purchased the estate of Combe, in Herefordshire. He married, 19th March, 1775, Frances, youngest daughter of Nicholas Bourke,* esq. by Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Fearon, esq. for several years chief-justice of the island of Jamaica, and had issue,

George-Crawford, *d.* young.
Thomas-Bourke, his heir.
George, *d.* young.
George-William (Sir), one of the judges of the supreme court of judicature at Madras, who *d.* unm. 15th July, 1831, on his passage from Madras to the Mauritius, to which island he was going for the benefit of his health, and was buried at sea.
John-Bourke, *m.* Isabella, daughter of Thomas Parker, esq. (by Eliza, daughter of Charles Pallmer, esq. and sister of Charles-Nicholas Pallmer, esq. of Norbiton, late M.P. for the county of Surrey), by whom (who *d.* in November, 1830) he has issue,
1. Frederick-St. Vincent.
2. Another son.
3. Isabella-Maria.
4. Caroline-Susan.

Mary-Anne, *d.* young.
Mary-Bourke, *m.* in 1798, to Captain Roberts Anderson, of the 20th light dragoons, and *d.* 18th April, 1821, leaving issue,
1. William.
2. Frances.

Eliza-Bourke, *m.* 29th August, 1803, to the Rev. Robert Fitzwilliam Hallifax, rector of Richards Castle, and son of the late Right Rev. Dr. Samuel Hallifax, lord bishop of St. Asaph, and left issue at her decease, 14th April, 1814,
1. Robert-Dampier, a captain in the army.
2. Henry-Crawford, an officer in the army.
3. Catherine-Frances, *m.* to Sir Charles Cuyler, bart. and has issue.
4. Louisa-Eliza-Bourke.
5. Caroline-Charlotte.
6. Georgiana-Lukin.
7. Octavia-Gertrude.

Louisa-Frances.
Anne, *d.* in 1805.

Mr. Ricketts *d.* in 1811, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present Thomas-Bourke Ricketts, esq. of Combe.

Arms—Erminois, or, a chevron charged with two swords in saltire ppr. the dexter surmounting the sinister, hilts and pommels or, between three roses gu.

Crest—An arm embowed, habited, erminois, charged with two roses gu, cuffed az. the hand grasping a similar ppr.

Motto—Quid verum atque decens.

Estates—Combe, in the hundred of Wigmore, Herefordshire, and Prospect Estate, in the parish of Westmoreland, and Lyndhurst, in the parish of Manchester, Jamaica.

Seat—Combe, Herefordshire.

* This Nicholas Bourke was a member of the ancient Irish house of Bourke, or De Burgh, springing from David Bourke, of Money-Crower, esq. who left three sons,
Edmund, ancestor of Nicholas Bourke, esq.
John, from whom the Earls of Mayo derive.
Miles.

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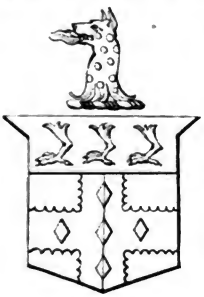
MUNDY, OF MARKEATON.

MUNDY, FRANCIS, esq. of Markeaton, in the county of Derby, *b.* 29th August, 1771, *m.* 16th December, 1800, Sarah, daughter of John Leaper Newton, esq. of Mickleover, in the same shire, and has issue,



WILLIAM, *b.* 14th September, 1801, espoused 28th October, 1830, Harriot-Georgiana, eldest daughter of James Frampton, esq. of Moreton, in the county of Dorset.
Marian.
Laura.
Emily.
Constance.

Mr. Mundy, who represented the county of Derby for several years in parliament, succeeded to his estates at the decease of his father in 1815.

Lineage.

This eminent family is supposed to derive its surname from the abbey of MONDAYE, in the dukedom of Normandy.

JOHN MUNDY, living in the time of EDWARD I., *m.* Isabel, daughter of Robinget Eyre, of Hope, and left a son,

RICHARD MUNDY, who wedded Maryon, daughter of Sir John de Lalande, knt. and from this marriage lineally descended

SIR JOHN MUNDY, knt. of Chekenden, in the county of Oxford, who served the office of LORD MAYOR OF LONDON in 1522-3. This opulent citizen married twice, and left issue, by his second wife, Juliana, daughter of William Brown, esq. viz.

VINCENT, his heir.
George, } who both *d. s. p.*
Christopher, }
Thomas, prior of Bodmin, in the time of Henry VIII.
John, of Ryalton, in Cornwall.
Margaret, *m.* first, Nicholas Jennings, alderman of London; and, secondly, Edmond Howard, lord deputy of Clays, (his second wife) and, thirdly, Henry Mannox.
Eleanor, *m.* to John Harleston, esq. of South Ockenden, in Essex.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Tyrrell, knt. of Gypping, in the county of Suffolk.
Jane, *m.* to Sir Thomas Darcy, of Tolleshunt Darcy, county of Essex.
Mildred.

Sir John, who was seised of Markeaton, Mackworth, Allestry, &c. died in 1538, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

VINCENT MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton; in the commission of the peace for the county of Derby anno 1558. This gentleman was father of

EDWARD MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Burnet, esq. of Winkbourne, in the county of Nottingham, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1607, by his eldest son,

FRANCIS MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton. This gentleman espoused Katharine, daughter of William Smyth, esq. of Quarndon, in Derbyshire, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Edward, of Virginia, died, leaving issue.
Adrian, of Quarndon; *b.* in 1608; *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Bruyn, esq. of the county of Derby, and had two daughters, viz.
1. Millicent, *m.* to John Musters, esq. of Colwick-hall, Nottinghamshire, and hence descends the present JOHN CHAWORTH-MUSTERS, esq.
2. Catharine.
William.
Thomas.

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Millicent, *m.* to Sir German Pole, knt. of Radborne.

Jane, *m.* to Edward Pegge, esq. of Ashbourn, in the county of Derby.

Mr. Mundy, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Derby in 1617, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Francis Coke, knt. of Trusley, in the county of Derby, and had issue,

Francis, who *d. s. p.* in his father's lifetime.

WILLIAM, successor to the estates.

Gilbert, who was sheriff of Derbyshire in 1697, espoused Mary, daughter of William Shenson, esq. and hence descends,

EDWARD-MILLER MUNDY, esq. of Shipley.

Edward, M.P. for Derby in 1710, died in 1713.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir William Mydleton, bart. of Belsay Castle, in the county of Northumberland (his second wife).

Mr. Mundy was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton, who was succeeded by his son,

FRANCIS MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton. This gentleman *m.* Philippa, only daughter and heiress of Michael Wrightson, esq. of OSBASTON, by whom he acquired that estate. He was sheriff of Derbyshire in 1694, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

FRANCIS MUNDY, esq. of Osbaston and Markeaton, who wedded Anne, daughter of Sir John Noel,* and had three sons and two daughters, viz.

WRIGHTSON, his heir.

Francis, recorder of Tamworth in 1760.

John.

Anne, *m.* to William Forrester, esq. of Hertfordshire.

Mary, *d. s. p.*

This gentleman, the friend of ADDISON, STEELE, and the other eminent literary men of his day, died in 1720, only six months after standing successfully a severe contest for the representation of the county of Leicester. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WRIGHTSON MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton, D.C.L. in the university of Oxford, high sheriff for Derbyshire in 1737, and M.P. for the county of Leicester in 1747. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Robert Burdett, esq. and sister of Sir Robert Burdett, bart. of Foremarke, by whom he had one son and four daughters, namely,

FRANCIS-NOEL-CLARKE, his successor.

Anne, *m.* to the Rev. H. Ware, D.D. a descendant of the celebrated Sir James Ware, and had (with a son, Major Ware, who married Mrs. Tarrant) two daughters: the elder *m.* to Sacheverel Chandos-Pole, esq. of Radbourn-hall, in the county of Derby; the younger to the Rev. Samuel Crowther.

Mary, *m.* to Nicholas Heath, esq.

Millicent, *m.* to Capt. French.

Elizabeth, *m.* in 1799, to Robert, seventh Earl Ferrers (his lordship's second countess).

Mr. Mundy died before 1760, and was *s.* by his son,

FRANCIS-NOEL-CLARKE MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of —— Ayrton, esq. but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir Robert Burdett, bart. and had two sons, viz.

1. FRANCIS, his heir.
2. Charles-Godfrey, of Burton Hall, near Loughborough, in the county of Leicester (see *Mundy, of Burton*).

Mr. Mundy was the author of two admired descriptive poems, NEEDWOOD FOREST and the FALL OF NEEDWOOD. He died in 1815, and the magistrates of his native county, Derbyshire, caused his bust, by CHANTRY, to be placed in the county hall, as a testimonial of the deceased's long and eminent services, in the situations of justice of the peace, chairman of quarter sessions, &c. &c. He was *s.* in his estates by his elder son, the present

FRANCIS MUNDY, esq. of Markeaton.

Arms—Per pale; gu. and sa. on a cross engrailed arg. five lozenges purpure; on a chief or, three eagles' legs erased, a-la-guise az.

Crest—A wolf's head erased sa. bezantée, fire issuing from his mouth, ppr.

* Great-grandson of Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Cleveland. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*, article Wentworth, Marquess of Rockingham).

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Motto—Deus providebit.

Estates—At Markeaton, Mackworth, and Allestree, all in the county of Derby. In the possession of the family since the early part of the reign of HENRY VIII. if not previously, as there is good reason to believe from certain documents that the Mundys possessed lands at Markeaton so far back as the year 1399.

Town Residence—44, Queen Anne-street.

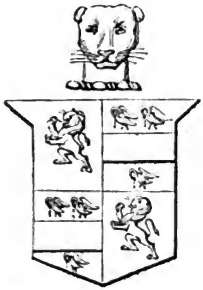
Seat—Markeaton, near Derby.

CHARLTON, OF LUDFORD.

CHARLTON-LECHMERE, EDMUND, esq. of Ludford, in the county of Hereford; of Witton Court, Shropshire, and of Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester, *b.* 20th September, 1789, *s.* to the estates and representation of the united families of Charlton and Lochmere, upon the demise of his father.

Mr. Lechmere-Charlton is great-grand nephew and representative of Nicholas Lord Lechmere, of Eversham. (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*) He represents the Borough of Ludford in parliament.

Lineage.



The family of CHARLTON* is of very ancient extraction,

SIR ALAN CHARLTON, knt. of Appley Castle, in the county of Salop, had issue,

1. JOHN (Sir), who *m.* Hawise, daughter and heiress of Owen ap Gryffith, the last Prince of POWYS, and in her right acquired the feudal barony of POLE, held in capite from the crown; but in the next year, Gryffin de la Pole, uncle to the said Hawise, pretending a right to the castle of Pole, (afterwards called RED CASTLE), raised a body of the Welsh, and regularly besieged it, his niece and her husband being at that time residing therein; whereupon the king directed his precept to Roger de Mortimer, then justice of Wales, to march thither for their relief and protection. Again, however, they were disturbed by the said Gryffin, who had summons to appear before the king, to answer for his proceedings: and to render John Charlton and his wife more secure in their title, they had a royal charter in the 7th of EDWARD II. confirmatory of all their lands and castles in NORTH WALES, SOUTH WALES, and POWYS; in which year (26th July, 1313) John Charlton was summoned to parliament as BARON CHARLTON, and from that period to 25th July, 1353. His lordship was subsequently JUSTICE of Ireland, and dying in 1353, was *s.* by his son,

   JOHN DE CHARLTON, second baron, who was *s.* by his son,

   JOHN DE CHARLTON, third baron, who was *s.* by his brother,

   EDWARD DE CHARLTON, fourth baron, who leaving daughters only, the title is supposed to have fallen into ABEYANCE, as it still continues. (See

* Among its distinguished members we may enumerate Lud Charlton, bishop of Hereford; George Charlton, bishop of Landaff; and Guy Charlton, bishop of Chichester.

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Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.)

2. ALAN, of whom we have to treat.
3. Isabella, *m.* to John de Sutton, lord of Dudley, from which alliance derived the earls of Warwick and Leicester.

The second son,

SIR ALAN CHARLTON, knt. of Appley Castle, marrying Ellen, one of the co-heirs of the Lord Zouch, acquired the lordship of Wisheford. In the 5th of EDWARD II. he was constituted governor of Montgomery and Wigmore Castles, and obtained permission from the king to embattle his own castle of Appley. His son and successor,

THOMAS CHARLTON, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS CHARLTON, whose son,

ROBERT CHARLTON, was father of

RICHARD CHARLTON, who *m.* twice. By his first wife he had a son, WILLIAM, and by the second, (a daughter of — Mainwaring, of Peover) a son,

RICHARD CHARLTON, of Tearne, who *m.* twice, and had issue,

ROBERT CHARLTON, who was father of

ROBERT CHARLTON, who espoused Alice, daughter and co-heir of Richard Tyler, of Hardwicke, in the county of Salop, and had two sons,

ANDREW, who *m.* first, Judith, daughter of Edward Cludd, esq. and secondly, Frances, only daughter of Sir Philip Eyton, of Eyton, knt. Hence derived the Charltons of Shropshire.

ROBERT.

The second son,

ROBERT CHARLTON, esq. of Whitton, who suffered severely for his loyal adherence to King Charles II. *m.* first, Emma, daughter of Thomas Harby, esq. of Adston, in the county of Northampton, and sister to Sir Job Harby, knt. by whom he had issue,

JOB, his successor.

Clement, } *d.* young.
James, }

Emma, *m.* to Sir Henry Barnard, by whom she was grandmother of the Duke of Chandos, Lord Middleton, and Earl Tilney.

Elizabeth, *m.* to — Serle, esq. and had issue.

Katherine, *m.* to Richard Coke, esq. of Trusley, in the county of Derby.

He espoused, secondly, Anne, daughter of Richard Wyche, esq. and sister to Sir Peter Wyche, knt. by whom he had four sons and four daughters, who all *d.* unmarried, except Lettice, the wife of John Bright, esq. of Acton, in the county of Salop.

His only surviving son and successor,

SIR JOB CHARLTON, received the honor of knighthood, was appointed chief justice of Chester, and nominated one of the judges of the Common Pleas, temp. CHARLES II. In the 2nd of JAMES II. he was advanced to the dignity of a baronet, and was speaker of the House of Commons. He *m.* first, Dorothy, dau. and heiress of William Blunden, esq. of Bishop's Castle, by whom he had

FRANCIS, his successor.

Jane, *m.* to Thomas Hanmer, esq. of the Fenns, in Flintshire, and had two sons, William and Job, and a daughter, *m.* to Admiral Cornwall, of Berington.

Dorothy, *m.* to Sir Edward Leighton, of Wattlesborough, bart.

Mary, *m.* to — Burrell, esq. of Essex.

Sir Job *m.* secondly, Lettice, daughter of Walter Waring, esq. of Oldbury, and had further issue,

Gilbert, who *m.* Anne, dau. and co-heir of Harvey Staunton, esq. of Staunton, in Nottinghamshire, and had with other issue, a dau. Anne, who *m.* Richard Brough, esq. and was grandmother of Elizabeth Brough, *m.* to the Rev. Dr. Aspinshaw, who has assumed the surname of Staunton, and is the present DR. STAUNTON of Staunton. (See p. 526.)

Emma, *m.* 1st. to Thos. Cornwallis, esq. of Abermarles, and 2ndly, to Dr. J. Robinson, lord bishop of London.

Sir Job Charlton was *s.* at his decease, 27th May, 1697, by his eldest son,

SIR FRANCIS CHARLTON, bart. who *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. Mr. Bromwych, by whom he had a son, BLUNDEL, his successor; and secondly, Miss Cam, by whom he left two sons, and a daughter, Emma, *m.* to John Lloyd, esq. of Aston, in Shropshire. Sir Francis *d.* 21st April, 1729, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR BLUNDEL CHARLTON, bart. who *m.* Mary, sister of Lord Foley, and had issue,

FRANCIS (Sir), his successor, as sixth baronet, who *d.* unmarried, in 1784, when the title expired.

Robert-Job, in holy orders, rector of Brampton, in the county of Hereford; and vicar of Kidderminster, Worcestershire, *d.* before his brother, unm.

Emma, *d.* unmarried.

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ELIZABETH, *m.* to Edmund Lechmere,* esq. of Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester, knight in parliament for that shire, in 1734, and had issue,

NICHOLAS LECHMERE, of Hanley Castle, *b.* in 1733, who succeeded to the Charlton estates upon the demise of his uncle, Sir Francis Charlton, in 1784, and assumed that additional surname. He espoused Susanna, daughter of Jesson Case, esq. of Powyck, and had issue,

1. EDMUND, present possessor.
2. Francis, *b.* in 1790.
3. Emma, *d.* in 1809.

Mr. Lechmere Charlton, was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

EDMUND LECHMERE-CHARLTON, esq. now representative of the two families of Lechmere and Charlton.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, or, a lion rampant, gu. for CHARLTON. Second and third, gu. a fess between three pelicans or, vulning their breasts ppr. for LECHMERE.

Crests—A leopard's head front faced, gu. for CHARLTON. Out of a ducal coronet, a pelican, vulning itself, ppr.

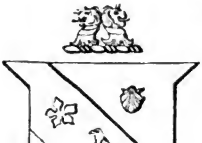
Estates—Hanley, Worcestershire; Wilton, Shropshire; and Ludford, in the county of Hereford.

Seats—Ludford, Herefordshire; Whitton Court, Shropshire; and Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester.

* Mr. Lechmere was representative of the ancient family of that name, for an account of which, see article PATESHALL, of Allensmore.

PETER, OF HARLYN.

PETER, WILLIAM, esq. of Harlyn, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 22nd March, 1785; *m.* 12th January, 1809, Frances, only daughter and heiress of John Thomas, esq. of Chiverton, in the same county, by whom he has issue,



John-Thomas-Henry, of Christ Church, Oxford, *b.* 23rd January, 1810.
William-Rous, an ensign of the 67th foot, *b.* 15th May, 1812.
Robert-Godolphin, *b.* 31st July, 1818.
George-Carew, *b.* 3rd August, 1821.
Algernon, *b.* 9th May, 1823.
Granville-Carminow, *b.* 15th December, 1825.
Frances-Mary.
Anna-Maria.
Ellen-Jane.

Mr. Peter has been, for many years, a deputy warden and lieutenant, and one of the chairmen of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of the county of Cornwall.

Lineage.

This family has been for several centuries resident, and possessed of lands, in the west of England. According to Risdon and other antiquaries, the Lady Alice Pole, in the reign of Henry III. gave the manor and castle of Compton, in Devonshire, "to one of the family of Peter, whose posterity afterwards took the name of the place." Another branch settled at Torr-Newton, in the adjacent parish of Torr-Brian, of which was,

JOHN PEETER or PETRE, who lived in the reigns of Richard II. and Henry IV. By his wife Alice he left issue two sons,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Nicholas, who succeeded to his mother's estates in Dorsetshire, and residing at Bakebeare, in that county, was M.P. for Shaftesbury in the 28th of Henry VI. and *d. s. p.*

JOHN PETER, the elder brother, inherited

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his father's estates in Devonshire, and left issue by his wife, a son named

WILLIAM PETER, who, as it appears from an inquisition taken in the 12th of Edward IV. was seised of Torr-Newton, Bakebeare, and other lands in the counties of Devon, Dorset, and Hants, and was at that time twenty-four years of age. By his wife Joan, he had several children, among whom were

1. JOHN, who inherited Torr-Newton and other estates in Devon, and who, by Alice, daughter of John Collins, esq. of Woodlands, in the same county, was father of Sir William Peter or Petre, principal secretary of state in the reigns of HENRY VIII., EDWARD VI., MARY, and ELIZABETH, and ancestor of the *Lords* PETRE, of Writtle, in the county of Essex.
2. WILLIAM.

WILLIAM PETER, the younger son, succeeded to his father's estates at Milton in Hampshire, and Bakebeare in Dorsetshire, and further increased his patrimony by his marriage with Joan, the only daughter of Sir Roger Arundel, of Calwoodley, in the county of Devon, by which lady he had issue three sons,

1. Roger, who *d.* young.
2. William, who succeeded his father, but *d. s. p.* in the 37th Henry VIII.
3. JOHN.

The third son,

JOHN PETER, resided at Bowhay, near Exeter, and was one of the representatives of that city in the first parliament of PHILIP and MARY. He married his cousin Wilmot, daughter of John Peter, esq. of Torr-Newton, and sister to Sir William Petre, and died in 1579, at a very advanced age, leaving a numerous progeny of sons and daughters, amongst whom were

1. John, who was M.P. for Dartmouth in the 1st of PHILIP and MARY (the same parliament in which his father represented Exeter), and *d. s. p.* in the life-time of his father.
2. Otho, who succeeded his father in his Devonshire estates, and was seated at Bowhay.*
3. THOMAS.

THOMAS PETER, the third son, to whom his father had made gift of divers lands in Cornwall (which lands had been acquired by William Peter in marriage with Joan Arundel), espoused Agnes, daughter of Thomas Godolphin, esq.† (by his *second* wife, a daughter of — Granville), and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT PETER, esq. who was bred a soldier, and served with credit under Sir Edward Poynings at Havre, and in the Low Countries. In the 13th of Elizabeth he was M.P. for Fowey, in the 14th, for Penryn, and in the 28th of the same reign, for Dartmouth. He *m.* Thomasine, daughter of John Kestell, of Kestell, in the county of Cornwall, esq. and left issue,

HENRY PETER, esq. who was M.P. for Fowey in the first parliament of James I. and who *m.* in 1609, Deborah, daughter of John Treffry, esq. of Place. Henry Peter *d.* in 1619, leaving issue, a son,

THOMAS PETER, esq. *b.* in 1610, who *m.* in 1632, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Henry Michell, esq. of Harlyn, in the county of Cornwall, which place had been acquired by the Michells, in the reign of Henry VII. in marriage with an heiress of the Tregoyes, a family, which, according to Carew, ranked amongst the English nobility, in the time of WILLIAM the Conqueror. Having been an active royalist in the civil wars, between Charles and his Parliament,

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* Bowhay descended from father to son to JOHN PETER, esq. of Bowhay, who left an only daughter, FRANCES, who *m.* Sir Allen Apsley, governor of the Tower, and had issue,

1. Sir PETER-APSLEY, whose only daughter and heiress, Catherine, *m.* her cousin Allen, first Earl Bathurst.
2. Frances, *m.* to Sir Benjamin Bathurst.

Upon Otho Peter (a member of this branch of the family) the following curious epitaph is to be seen in Exminster Church, near Exeter.

"In sempiternam memoriam Othonis Peter armigeri mæstissimus ejus filius hoc monumentum p. p. p.

Conditur hâc Petrâ pietatis Petra Petræus
Omen habet nomen nam Petra vera fuit
Vicinis pacis—sponsæ constantiæ—amoris
Natis—pauperibus Petra patrocinii
Indole tam propriâ, quam stemmate fulsit avito
Marte suo clarus, conjuge, Prole, Patre
Fama fidesque viri nobiscum in sæcula præstat,
Mens generosa Deum cœlitus orta petit
Sic Petra Petram operit,—corpus Petra, nempe
Petræi hæc,
At Christo fruitur mens meliore Petra.
Obt . . . die Junii 1607.

† The Duke of Leeds, the representative of this ancient family, is descended from Thomas Godolphin, by his *first* wife, who was a daughter of Edmund Bonithon, of Bonithon, esq.

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Thomas Peter was for a long time imprisoned by Cromwell, but procured his release 2nd February, 1653, through the influence and interference of his maternal kinsman, the celebrated Hugh Peters,* who was chaplain to the Protector. He *d.* in 1675, leaving issue three sons, and a daughter, ——, the wife of Henry Vincent, esq.

His eldest son and successor,

GREGORY PETER, esq. of Harlyn, was High Sheriff of Cornwall in the last year of King William's and the first of Queen Anne's reign. He was *m.* in 1658, to Elizabeth, daughter of John Goove, of Goovehayes, in the county of Devon, esq. and dying in 1710, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN PETER, esq. who *m.* in 1685, Ann, second daughter of Sir John Coryton, of Newton-Ferrars, bart. M.P. for the county of Cornwall, and *d.* in 1733, leaving issue (besides several daughters),

1. HENRY, his successor.
2. William, Rector of Mawnan, who, by his wife Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. William Smith, chaplain to Queen Anne, left issue two sons,
   WILLIAM, *m.* to Harriet, daughter and co-heiress of the Honourable George Hamilton, second son of James, sixth Earl of Abercorn.
   ROBERT, Rector of Sully, who *m.* Martha, daughter of — Franklin, esq. of Glamorganshire.
3. Jonathan, of Porthcothan, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Edward Hoblyn, esq. by Bridget, daughter and co-heiress of John Carew, of Penwarne, esq. and grandaughter of the celebrated Richard Carew, of Antony, author of the 'Survey of Cornwall,' &c.

Mr. Peter was an active magistrate and country gentleman, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

HENRY PETER, esq. High Sheriff of the county of Cornwall in the 20th of George II. By his wife Mary, only daughter and heiress of William Harpur, esq. of Trevarthen (descended from the ancient Derbyshire family of that name), he had issue a son, and successor,

WILLIAM PETER, esq. who *m.* his cousin Mary, daughter of Jonathan Peter, esq. of Porthcothan, and resided at Harlyn. Like his ancestors for many generations,—

"Whose doom contending neighbours sought,
Content with equity unbought."

he discharged the duties of a county magistrate and English country gentleman, with no less credit to himself than advantage to all around him, and dying in 1776, was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

HENRY PETER, for many years colonel of the Royal Cornwall Militia, and a magistrate and deputy warden and lieutenant of the county. He was *m.* in 1782, to Anna Maria youngest daughter of the late Thomas Rous, esq. of Piercefield, in the county of Monmouth, and dying in 1821, has been *s.* by his eldest son, WILLIAM PETER, esq. now of Harlyn, and representative of this ancient family.

Arms—1. Gules on a bend or, between two escallop shells argent, a Cornish chough proper between two cinquefoils azure, for PETER. 2. Argent a saltire sable, for CORYTON. 3. Argent on a chevron azure, between three cinquefoils gules, as many horse-shoes or, for FERRARS. 4. Gules two lions passant guardant or, for BODULGATE.

Crest—Two lions' heads erased and endorsed, the first or, the second azure, gorged with a plain collar counterchanged.

Mottoes—Sans Dieu rien, and Sub libertate quietem.

Estates---The manor of TREGELLOW, with TRELOUZA, and other lands in the parish of Padstow. A part of the property acquired by William Peter with Joan Arundel.

HARLYN, and other estates in the parishes of St. Merryn, St. Ervan, Little Petheric, Padstow, &c. acquired in 1632, with the heiress of Mitchell.

The manor of Trefeock, with Trevarthen and Trentinny, came by the heiress of Harpur, in 1717.

CHIVERTON, with the manors of Tywarnhayle, Bosvellack, Ventongemps, and other lands in the parishes of St. Agnes, St. Allen, Cubert, Newlyn, &c. acquired with the heiress of THOMAS.

Seats—Harlyn near Padstow, and Chiverton, near Truro, in the county of Cornwall.

* Hugh Peters (of a family which had been driven from Antwerp, on account of its religion) was the son of Thomas Dykewoode Peters, a merchant of Fowey, by Martha, daughter of John Treffry, esq. of Place. The name of *Peters* was first assumed by Thomas *Dykewoode*, the grandfather of Hugh. The Rev. Charles Peters, the learned Commentator on the Book of Job, and the able antagonist of Bishop Warburton, was of this family.

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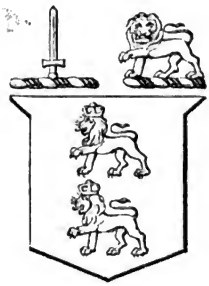
DYMOKE, OF SCRIVELSBY.

The King's Champion.



DYMOKE, HENRY, Esq. of Scrivelsby Court, in the county of Lincoln, The Honorable THE KING'S CHAMPION, *b.* 5th March, 1801; succeeded to the estates and the hereditary championship at the decease of his father, the Reverend John Dymoke, on the 3rd Dec. 1828, having previously executed the official duties of champion as deputy for that gentleman at the coronation of his late Majesty King GEORGE IV. Mr. Dymoke *m.* 14th January, 1823, Emma, daughter of William Pearce, esq. of Weasenhall, in Norfolk, and Holm Cottage, Richmond, Surrey, by whom he has an only daughter,

EMMA-JANE, *b.* 11th February, 1826.

This gentleman is the seventeenth of his family who has inherited the ancient office of CHAMPION.

Lineage.

This family ranks in point of antiquity, male and female, with the most ancient in the kingdom. It derives the singular office of CHAMPION from the celebrated baronial house of MARMYUN, or MARMYON, with the feudal MANOR OF SCRIVELSBY, to which the championship is attached.

At the time of the Norman Conquest,

ROBERT DE MARMYON, Lord of Fontney, in Normandy, having by grant of King William the castle of Tamworth, in the county of Warwick, with the adjacent lands, expelled the nuns from the abbey of Polesworth, to a place called Oldbury, about four miles distant. "After which," (writes Sir William Dugdale,) "within the compass of a twelvemonth, as it is said, making a costly entertainment at Tamworth Castle, for some of his friends, amongst whom was Sir Walter de Somervile, Lord of Whichover, in the county of Stafford, his sworn brother, it happened, that as he lay in his bed, St. Edith appeared to him in the habit of a veiled nun, with a crosier in her hand, and advertised him, that if he did not restore the abbey of Polesworth, which lay within the territories belonging to his castle of Tamworth, unto her successors, he should have an evil death, and go to hell. And, that he might be the more sensible of this her admonition, she smote him on the side with the point of her crosier, and so vanished away. Moreover, that by this stroke being much wounded, he cryed out so loud, that his friends in the house arose; and, finding him extremely tormented with the pain of his wound, advised him to confess himself to a priest, and vow to restore the nuns to their former possessions. Furthermore, that having so done, his pain ceased; and that in accomplishment of his vow, accompanied by Sir Walter de Somervile, and the rest, he forthwith rode to Oldbury; and, craving pardon of the nuns for the injury done, brought them back to Polesworth, desiring that himself, and his friend Sir Walter de Somervile, might be reputed their patrons, and have burial for themselves and their heirs in the abbey—the Marmions in the chapter house—the Somerviles in the cloyster. However some circumstances in this story (continues Dugdale,) may seem fabulous, the substance of it is certainly true; for it expressly appeareth by the very words of his charter, that he gave to Osanna the prioress, *for the establishing of the religion of those nuns there, the church of St. Edith, of Polesworth, with its appurtenances, so that the convent of Oldbury should remain in that place;* and likewise bestowed upon them the whole lordship of Polesworth: which grant King Stephen afterwards confirmed." The castle and manor of Tamworth, in Warwickshire, and the manor of Scrivelsby, in the county of Lincoln, were granted by the Conqueror to this Robert de Marmion, to be held by grand

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serjeanty, "to perform the office of champion at the king's coronation," (the Marmions, it is said, were hereditary champions to the Dukes of Normandy, prior to the conquest of England). Robert Marmion was succeeded at his decease by his son and heir,

ROBERT DE MARMYON, Lord of Fontney, in Normandy, where he possessed a fortified castle, which was besieged by Geoffrey, of Anjou, in the 4th of King Stephen, and demolished. This Robert having a great enmity to the Earl of Chester, who had a noble seat at Coventry, entered the priory there in the 8th of Stephen, and, expelling the monks, turned it into a fortification, digging at the same time divers deep ditches in the adjacent fields, which he caused to be covered over with earth, in order to secure the approaches thereto; but the Earl of Chester's forces drawing near, as he rode out to reconnoitre, he fell into one of those very ditches, and broke his thigh, so that a common soldier, presently seizing him, cut off his head. He was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT DE MARMION, who, in the 31st Henry II., being constituted sheriff of Worcestershire, continued in that office until the end of the four-and-thirtieth year of the same reign. He was also justice itinerant in Warwickshire, and some other counties, and again sheriff of Worcestershire in the 1st of Richard I. In five years afterwards he attended that monarch into Normandy, and in the 15th of King John he was in the expedition then made into Poictou. This feudal lord died about the year 1217, leaving issue, by different mothers,

ROBERT, his successor.

Robert, jun., who had the estate of Witringham and Coninsby, in the county of Lincoln.

William, of Torington.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT DE MARMION, who appears to have sided with the French, when they seized upon Normandy in the beginning of King John's reign, for the murder of Arthur, Duke of Brittany; but afterwards to have made his peace, for in the 5th of Henry III. he had livery of Tamworth Castle and his father's other lands. He is supposed to have returned to Normandy in twelve years afterwards, and to have died there in 1241, when he was *s.* by his son,

PHILIP DE MARMION, who was sheriff for the counties of Warwick and Leicester, from the 33rd to the 36th of Henry III.—in the latter of which years he was questioned for sitting with Richard de Mundevill, and the rest of the justices, for gaol delivery at Warwick, having no commission so to do. The next year he attended the king into Gascony; upon his return whence he was taken prisoner by the French at Pontes, in Poictou, with John de Plessets, then Earl of Warwick, notwithstanding they had letters of safe conduct from the king of France. In the 45th of the same reign this feudal lord had summons to be at London with divers of the nobility, upon the morrow after *Simon and Jude's day;* in which year the defection of many of the barons began further to manifest itself, by their assuming the royal prerogative, in placing sheriffs throughout different shires. In this period of difficulty Philip de Marmion, being of unimpeachable loyalty, had, by special patent from the king, the counties of Suffolk and Norfolk committed to his custody, with the castles of Norwich and Orford: a well-judged confidence, for through all the subsequent fortunes of Henry III. he never once swerved from his allegiance. He was present at the battle of Lewes—and his fidelity was rewarded after the royal victory of Evesham, by some valuable grants for life, and the governorship of Kenilworth Castle. He *m.* Joane, youngest daughter, and eventually sole heiress of Hugh de Kilpec, of Kilpec Castle, in Herefordshire, by whom he had four daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

Joane, *m.* to William Morteyn, and died *s. p.* in 1294.

Margery, *m.* to Ralph Cromwell, and had an only daughter and heiress,

Joane, *m.* to Alexander, Baron Freville, whose grandson,

SIR BALDWIN DE FREVILLE, *Lord Freville*, claimed the championship in the 1st Richard II. by the tenure of Tamworth Castle, but the matter was decided against him, in favour of Sir John Dymoke.

Maud, *m.* to Ralph Botiller, and *d. s. p.*

JOAN,* who had the manor of Scrivelsby, *m.* Sir Thomas de Ludlow, knt. and had issue,

John de Ludlow, who *d. s. p.*

* Banks, in his History of Marmyun, says, that this lady was by a second wife, Mary.

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MARGARET DE LUDLOW, sole heiress of her brother, with whom we shall proceed as wife of SIR JOHN DYMOKE.

MARGARET DE LUDLOW, upon the decease of her brother, became sole heiress (Banks makes her grandaughter of Sir Thomas de Ludlow and Joan Marmyon), and inherited the manor of SCRIVELSBY, in Lincolnshire; she espoused

SIR JOHN DYMMOK,* knt. and this gentleman thus acquired, with that baronial estate, the office of KING'S CHAMPION. In the 46th and 47th of EDWARD III. Sir John Dymoke represented with William Marmyun, the county of Lincoln in parliament, and in the 1st Richard II. he was again one of the knights for Lincolnshire. At the coronation of this monarch he executed the office of KING'S CHAMPION, and was the first person so officially employed at the coronation of an English prince.† Sir John *d.* in the 4th of the same reign, leaving Margaret, his wife, surviving, who *d.* in the 2nd HENRY V. at which time, THOMAS, her son and heir, was sixty years of age and upwards. The said

SIR THOMAS DYMMOK was one of those eminent persons who, immediately prior to the coronation of *King* HENRY IV. was made a Knight of the Bath, at the Tower. On the coronation day he performed the office of CHAMPION as deputy to his mother, then living. And again at the coronation of the renowned HENRY V. he executed the duties of the same office, in the same manner, on behalf of his mother. Sir Thomas *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Sir Richard Hebden, knt. (by his wife, the daughter and heir of Rye) and dying in the last year of HENRY V. was *s.* by his son,

SIR PHILIP DYMMOK, then twenty-two years old and upwards, who officiated as CHAMPION at the coronation of HENRY VI. Upon this occasion a mandate was made by the King to the keeper of his wardrobe, to deliver to the said Philip Dymmok (then not knighted) such furniture, &c. as his ancestors had been accustomed to have upon these occasions. This Champion espoused Joane, daughter of Sir Christopher Conyers, of Stokeburn, and *d.* in the 33rd HENRY VI. leaving his son, and successor,

SIR THOMAS DYMMOK, then twenty-seven years of age and upwards. This Champion made a conspicuous figure in the reign of EDWARD IV. His connection, however, with the Lords Welles, and a suspicion that he favoured the Lancastrian interest, led him to a premature death upon the scaffold (refer to *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage, article* WELLES). Sir Thomas *m.* Margaret, second daughter, and eventually one of the co-heirs of Lionel, Lord Welles, by Joane, his wife, daughter and heir of Sir Robert Waterton,* and had issue,

ROBERT (SIR), his successor.

Lionel (SIR), who *m.* Joane, daughter and co-heir of Richard Griffith, esq. of Stickford, in the county of Lincoln, and had three surviving daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

1. —— *m.* to —— Hopton.
2. Alice, *m.* to Sir William Skipwith.
3. ——, *m.* to J. Goodrich, of Bolingbroke.

Sir Lionel was sheriff of the county of Lincoln in the 7th HENRY VIII. he *d.* 17th August, 1519, and was buried at Horncastle, where a monument erected to his memory still remains.

Anne, *d.* in 1462.

The elder son and heir,

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* This family acquired its surname, it is presumed, from the manor of DIMMOK, in the county of Gloucester.

HENRY DYMMOK, living temp. EDWARD III. *m.* a daughter of —— Plessetis, and had issue,

JOHN DYMMOK, who *m.* Felicia, daughter of —— Harevill, and had a son,

SIR JOHN DYMMOK, the husband of Margaret de Ludlow.

† His right was, however, disputed by Sir Baldwin Freville, then Lord of Tamworth, who exhibited before the court of claims his pretensions to be KING'S Champion, and to the service appertaining to that office, by reason of his tenure of Tamworth Castle, viz.

"To ride completely armed upon a barbed horse into Westminster Hall, and there to challenge the combat with whomsoever should dare to oppose the King's title to the crown."

Which service the Barons Marmyon, his ancestors, Lords of that castle, had theretofore performed. But Sir John Dymoke counter-claimed the same office as Lord of Scrivelsby. Whereupon the constable and marshal of England appointed the said Sir John Dymoke to perform the office at that time.

* The WATERTONS were a Lincolnshire family of distinction, and were frequently sheriffs of that county.

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SIR ROBERT DYMOKE was of very tender years at the time of his father's unhappy death. But he had no sooner arrived at maturity, than the King, as if to compensate for the fate of his father, admitted him to have livery of all his inheritance, as well of those lands which came through the late Champion, as of those other estates which had devolved upon him through his mother, the co-heiress of Welles and Waterton, without any account to be taken, either as to their value and extent, or of such fine as the King might be entitled to claim due to the crown upon such occasions.* Sir Robert officiated as Champion at the coronations of RICHARD III HENRY VII. and HENRY VIII. He was a military man, and one of the principal commanders at the siege of Tournay, where, after the surrender of the city, he was constituted King's treasurer. He was a KNIGHT BANNERET, and was sheriff of Lincolnshire in the 2nd RICHARD III. 18th HENRY VII. and 1st Henry VIII. This distinguished champion espoused, first, Anne, daughter of Alexander Cressnore, by whom he had three daughters. He *m.* secondly, Jane, daughter and co-heir of John Sparrow, of London, by whom he had a son,

EDWARD, his successor.

Sir Robert *d.* 13th April, 1544, and was buried at Scrivelsby. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR EDWARD DYMOKE. This gentleman was sheriff of the county of Lincoln, in the life-time of his father, anno 1536; an office which he also filled in the 1st EDWARD VI. and 2nd and 3rd of PHILIP and MARY, in which reigns, as well as in that of *Queen* ELIZABETH, he was repeatedly returned one of the county representatives to parliament. He officiated as CHAMPION at the coronations of EDWARD VI. *Queen* MARY, and *Queen* ELIZABETH. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir George Talboys, sister and heir of Gilbert, Lord Talboys, of Kyme,* by whom (who espoused secondly, Sir Robert Carr) he had issue,

ROBERT, *his successor.*

Charles (Sir), of Howell, in the county of Lincoln, and M.P. for the city of Lincoln in 1502, *m.* Margaret, relict of Anthony Butler, of Coats, and left no issue.

Edward (Sir), who was sheriff of Lincolnshire in 1584, and member in several parliaments for that county. He *m.* Troth, daughter of Thomas Dymoke, and left two daughters, viz.

Margaret, *m.* to William Marbury.

Frances, *m.* to —— Baker.

Sir Edward Dymoke *d.* in 1566, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT DYMOKE, esq. who *m.* Bridget, eldest daughter and co-heir of Edward, Lord Clinton (afterwards Earl of Lincoln), by Elizabeth, his first wife, daughter of Sir John Blount, knt. and widow of Gilbert, Lord Talboys. By this lady he had a numerous family, of which, the eldest and youngest sons were

EDWARD (Sir), his successor.

Nicholas, who *m.* ——, daughter of Danvers, and had a son,

EDWARD, who succeeded, upon the death of the honorable champion, Charles Dymoke, his cousin, to the manor of Scrivelsby, with the championship.

The champion *d.* in 1580, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR EDWARD DYMOKE, who claimed and exercised the office of champion at the coronation of *King* JAMES I. He *m.* first, Catherine, daughter of Sir James Harrington, by whom he had a son, Charles, who *d.* young, and a daughter, Bridget, baptized at Hackney, 6th November, 1597. He espoused, secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir John Monson, knt. and had another son, Edward, who also deceased young. Sir Edward wedded, thirdly, 13th November,

* The tide of opinion and affairs had now become greatly changed; inasmuch as *King* EDWARD had married Cecily, his daughter, to John, the half-brother of that very Richard, Lord Welles, whom he had beheaded but a few years before; and, moreover, created the said John, Viscount Welles. Thus the said John, Viscount Welles, was maternal uncle to the young Dymoke; and he through the same alliance, was become the great nephew of the man who had taken away the life of his father. *Banks's Hist. of Marmyun.*

* The children of Gilbert, Lord Talboys, all deceasing without issue, the inheritance came to be divided between the sisters and co-heirs of the said Gilbert; in which division the castle and manors of North and South Kyme (the old baronial seat of the Kymes) fell to the Dymoke family, who possessed the same until the last century, when they were sold by the Honourable Champion, Lewis Dymoke.

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1610, Mary, daughter of —— Poulteney, esq. of Misterton, and dying in 1625, was *s.* by the only son of this marriage,

CHARLES DYMOKE, esq. This gentleman was a zealous supporter of *King* CHARLES I. He *d.* unm. at Oxford, in 1644. By his will, proved 8th July in the same year, he ordered that the sum of £300 should be expended upon a tomb for him at Scrivelsby; he bequeathed to his majesty the sum of £2000 to relieve his necessities, and he charges his estates, and the rents in his tenants' hands, with the payment thereof. Dying a bachelor, the inheritance of the baronial manor of Scrivelsby, with the office of king's champion, devolved, by virtue of a settlement made by him, upon the next male heir, his cousin (the son of his uncle, Nicholas Dymoke),

SIR EDWARD DYMOKE, who performed the duties of champion at the coronation of *King* CHARLES II. having previously received the honor of knighthood. This gentleman *m.* 21 June, 1624, Jane, dau. of Nicholas Cressy, esq. of Fulnetby, and had, with other issue,

i. CHARLES, his successor.
ii. Edward, of Grebby Hall, Lincolnshire, whose granddau. and eventual heir, Elizabeth Dymoke, *m.* the Rev. Thomas Wells, and was great grandmother of the present DYMOKE WELLS, esq. of Grebby Hall. (See vol. ii. p. 516.)
iii. Nicholas.
iv. John, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of T. Welborne, esq. and left a son,
CHARLES, who *m.* Mary, daughter of —— Needham, and had issue,
John-Needham.
EDWARD, who inherited the estates and championship under the will of his cousin, the Hon. Champion Lewis Dymoke. Of this Edward more presently.

Sir Edward was sheriff of Lincolnshire in 1662. He died soon afterwards, and was buried at Scrivelsby, 8th January, 1663-4. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR CHARLES DYMOKE, who officiated as champion at the coronation of *King* JAMES II. This gentleman was set down by *King* CHARLES II. as one of the projected knights of the Royal Oak. He *m.* Eleanor, dau. of Lewis Watson, Lord Rockingham, and had issue,

Charles, who *d.* young.
Edward, who *d.* in France, in his twentieth year, and was brought over and interred at Scrivelsby, 13th May, 1694.
CHARLES, his heir.
LEWIS, successor to his brother.

He *d.* about the year 1688, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

CHARLES DYMOKE, esq. This gentleman fulfilled the duties of champion at the coronation of WILLIAM and MARY, and likewise at the coronation of *Queen* ANNE. He represented the county of Lincoln in parliament, from 1698 to 1701. He *m.* Jane, dau. of Robert Snoden, esq. but dying *s. p.* 17th Jan. 1702-3, was *s.* by his brother,

LEWIS DYMOKE, esq. who officiated as champion at the coronation of the two first monarchs of the line of Brunswick. He was M.P. for the county of Lincoln from 1702 to 1705 inclusive, and from 1710 to 1713. This gentleman lived to the advanced age of ninety-one years, being baptized at Scrivelsby, 14th Feb. 1669, and being buried there 25th Feb. 1760. He *d.* unmarried, and the estates at Scrivelsby devolved, under his will, upon his cousin,

EDWARD DYMOKE, esq. who, not living at the period of a coronation, had no opportunity of performing his official duties as champion. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of —— Segrave, and relict of James Coward, and dying 12th Sept. 1760, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DYMOKE, esq. who performed the duties of champion at the coronation of *King* GEORGE III. The following paragraph is taken from the British Chronologist for the month of September, 1761.

> "Sept. 18. A colonel's guard mounted at Whitehall, and were placed at all the avenues to the abbey, hall, &c.; at night Westminster Hall was illuminated, and John Dymoke, esq. put on his armour and tried a grey horse (which his late majesty rode at the battle of Dettingen) before their Royal Highnesses the Duke of York and Prince Henry, the Duke of Devonshire, &c.; several other horses were walked and rode up and down the hall; and Earl Talbot also tried the horse he intended to ride on the coronation day."

This gentleman *m.* Martha, daughter and heir of Josiah Holmes, esq. and had with three daughters, two sons, viz.

LEWIS, his heir.
JOHN, successor to his brother.

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He *d.* 6th March, 1784, and was *s.* by his elder son,

LEWIS DYMOKE, esq. This gentleman claimed before the house of lords the old BARONY OF MARMYON,* but unsuccessfully. He was sheriff of Lincolnshire in 1789. Not living in the time of a coronation, he had no opportunity of officiating as champion. He *d.* unmarried, 12th May, 1820, and was *s.* by his brother,

THE REV. JOHN DYMOKE, rector of Scrivelsby, prebendary of Lincoln, &c. This gentleman being called upon to officiate as CHAMPION at the coronation of *King* GEORGE IV. was obliged, owing to his clerical character, to act by deputy, and he therefore appointed his elder son, the present HENRY DYMOKE, who fulfilled the duties of the office accordingly. Mr. Dymoke espoused, 19th July, 1799, Amelia-Jane-Alice, daughter of Captain Elphinstone, of the British navy, and admiral of the Russian fleet, by whom he had issue,

HENRY, *present champion.*
John.
Charlotte, } these ladies are both dead.
Mary, }
Maria-Georgiana, *m.* 21st July, 1832, to Sir John Mansel, bart.

He *d.* 3rd December, 1828, and was succeeded in the MANOR OF SCRIVELSBY, (by which the championship is conferred), and his other estates, by his elder son.

Arms—Sa. two lions passant, arg. crowned or.

QUARTERINGS.

LUDLOW. Az. three lions passant, regardaunt, arg.

MARMYON. Vairee, az. and arg. a fesse fretty gules.

KILPECK (so stated in the college books, but probably borne as the badge of office of CHAMPION, see Ralph Brooke's discovery of Camden's errors). Sa. a sword erect in pale arg. hilted or.

HEBDEN. Erm. five fussils in fesse gules.

RYE. Gules, on a bend arg. three rye stalks and ears, sa.

WELLES. Or, a lion rampant, double queued sa.

WATERTON. Barry of six, erm. and gules, over all, three crescents, sa.

ANGAYNE. Gules, a fesse dancettee or, between six cross crosslets of the last.

SPARROW. Arg. six sparrows, sa. three, two, and one, on a chief indented, gu. two swords in saltier between as many wolves' heads erased or.

TALBOYS. Arg. a saltier gules, on a chief of the second, three escallop shells of the first.

BAEERDEN. Gules, on a bend arg. three cinquefoils sa.

FITZWITH. Gules, two bends, or.

UMFREVILLE. Gules, a cinquefoil ar. within an orle of eight cross crosslets or.

KYME. Gules, a chevron or, between nine cross crosslets, arg.

Crests—First, a sword erect, arg. hilt and pommel or. Second, a lion passant arg. crowned or. Third, the scalp of a hare, ears erect ppr.

Motto—Pro Rege Dimico.

Seat—Scrivelsby Court, county of Lincoln.

The chief part of Scrivelsby Court, the ancient baronial seat, was destroyed by fire sixty or seventy years ago. In the part

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* In July, 1814, Lewis Dymoke, esq. uncle of the present champion, presented a petition to the crown, praying to be declared entitled to the BARONY OF MARMION, of Scrivelsby, in virtue of the seisure of the manor of Scrivelsby; which petition was referred to the attorney-general, who having reported thereon, the same was referred to the House of Lords, where evidence was received at the bar, and the claimant's counsel summoned up, when the attorney-general was heard in reply, and tendered some documents on the part of the crown; but the claimant died before the judgment of the house was given.

"With respect to this claim," says Nicolas, "it is to be observed, that though the manor of Scrivelsby was held by the service of performing the office of king's champion by Robert de Marmyon, in the reign of William the Conqueror, he was not by seisure thereof a baron, but by seisure of the barony and castle of TAMWORTH, which he held of the king in capite by knights' service; so that, if at this period baronies by tenure were admitted, the possessor of the manor and lordship of Tamworth, (which in the division of his property fell to the share of Joane, his eldest daughter, wife of William Mosteyn, and on her death *s. p.* to Alexander Freville, husband of Joan, daughter and heir of Ralph Cromwell, by Mazera, the next sister of the said Joan de Mosteyn,) would possess the claim to the barony enjoyed by Robert de Marmyon, he having derived his dignity from that barony instead of from the seisure of the manor of Scrivelsby. Moreover, if Philip Marmyon, the last baron, had died seised of a barony in fee, Lewis Dymoke was not even a co-heir of the said Philip, though he was the descendant of one of his daughters and co-heirs."

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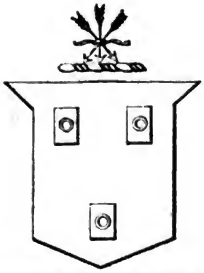
consumed was a very large hall, on the pannels of the wainscoting of which was depicted the various arms and alliances of the family through all its numerous and far-traced descents. The loss has been, in some degree, compensated by the addition which the late proprietors made to those parts which escaped the ravages of the flames. Against the south wall of the chancel, in the parish church of Scrivelsby, is a very handsome marble monument, ornamented with a bust of the Hon. Lewis Dymoke, champion at the coronation of the two first sovereigns of the House of Brunswick. On the north side of the chancel is a marble tablet to the memory of the Hon. John Dymoke, who performed the duties of champion at the coronation of *King* George III. On the floor of the south side of the communion table is a plate of copper, on which is an inscription to the memory of Sir Charles Dymoke, knt. who was champion at the coronation of *King* James II. At the eastern end of the aisle are two tombs, on one of which is the figure of a knight in chain armour, cross-legged, on the other that of a lady with a lion at her feet. By the side of these is the tomb of Sir Robert Dymoke, who was champion at the coronations of Richard III. Henry VII. and Henry VIII. On the floor of the aisle is also a stone which once contained a brass figure, with corner shields, and an inscription, all of which are now gone.

PAYNTER, OF BOSKENNA.

PAYNTER, JOHN, esq. of Boskenna, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* in 1790; *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father.

Lineage.



This family settled at a remote era at Lithney, in the county of Cornwall, where the monuments of its members are numerous. It afterwards acquired Deverell, in the neighbouring parish of Gwinear; and, subsequently, Trelissick, in the adjoining district of St. Erth.

William Camborne, alias Paynter, of Deverell, obtained, in 1569, a grant of the armorial ensigns now borne by this family. He espoused Eleanor Wilton, and was *s.* by his son,

George Paynter, who *m.* 29th April, 1565, Anne Anthorne, and was father of

William Paynter, esq. This gentleman commenced, in the year 1658, the purchase of the present property in the deanery of Buryan for his second son. He *m.* Mary Keigwin, and had issue,

1. Arthur, of Trelissick, who *m.* Sarah Praed, and was *s.* by his son,

Francis, who *m.* his first cousin, Margaret, daughter of Francis Paynter, esq. of Boskenna, and had an only daughter and heiress,

Mary, of Trelissick, who espoused John Hearle, esq. and had three daughters (co-heiresses), one of whom *m.* Captain Wallis, the circumnavigator; another, Henry-Hawkins Tremayne, esq. of Heligan, and was mother of the late member for Cornwall; and the third, Jane,

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espoused Colonel Francis Rodd, of Trebartha, and was mother of the present Francis Hearle Rodd, esq. of Trebartha.

2. FRANCIS, of whom we are about to treat.

The second son,

FRANCIS PAYNTER, esq. of Boskenna, *m.* Margaret, daughter of —— Pawlett, esq. of Kilborn, in Middlesex, and had issue,

FRANCIS, his successor.

Margaret, *m.* to her cousin, Francis Paynter, esq. of Trelissick, and had issue.

Mr. Paynter was *s.* at his decease by his son,

FRANCIS PAYNTER, esq. of Boskenna, who *m.* Mrs. Mary Hawkey, and was father of another

FRANCIS PAYNTER, esq. of Boskenna, who *m.* Mary, daughter of —— Gully, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES PAYNTER, esq. of Boskenna, who espoused Betty, daughter of —— Wetherhead, esq. and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Thomas, who *m.* Anne, daughter of W. Moody, esq. of Kingsdon, Somersetshire, and has issue.

Mr. Paynter was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, the present JOHN PAYNTER, esq. of Boskenna.

Arms—Az. three blocks arg. each charged with an annulet sa. (granted 22nd July, 1569).

Crest—Three broken broad arrows, or, knit with a lace and mantled gu. doubled arg.

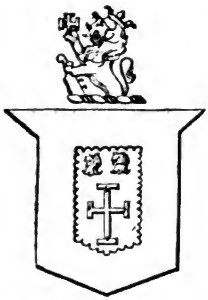
Estate—Boskenna, in the deanery of Buryan, Cornwall.

Seat—Boskenna, near Penzance.

ALLAN, OF BLACKWELL GRANGE.

ALLAN, WILLIAM, esq. of Blackwell Grange, in the county Palatine of Durham, *b.* 21st May, 1796, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his relative, George Allan, esq., 21st July, 1828. Mr. Allan is in the commission of the peace for the county of Durham.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the ancient family of Allan of Buckenhall and Brockhouse, in the county of Stafford.

GEORGE ALLAN, esq. of Yarm, in Yorkshire, (second son of William Allan, esq. of Brockhouse), *m.* a daughter of — Clifton, and had (with other children, who *d. s. p.*)

1. THOMAS, (eldest son) *b.* in 1651, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, who amassed a large fortune in the colleries, and purchased estates, a part of which still retains the name of Allan's Flatts, near Chester le Street. He left four sons,

   1. John, who *d.* unmarried.
   2. George, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, who *d.* 5th October, 1729, leaving four daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

      Anne, *m.* to William Hicks, surgeon of Chatham Hospi-

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tal, and had a son, George Hicks, M.D. of Stable-yard, St. James's.

Catherine, *m.* to Capt. Richard Pidgeon, and *d.* in 1786.

Susan, *d.* unmarried, 1781.

Rachael, *d.* unmarried.

3. Lionel, an eminent merchant, at Rotterdam, who *m.* Susan, eldest daughter of John Colville, esq. of Whitehouse, in the county of Durham, and sister to Camilla, countess of Tankerville, by whom (who *d.* 11th January, 1782, at the advanced age of 92) he had issue,

John, who was killed by a fall from his horse.

Charles, sometime of Rotterdam, afterwards of the city of Norwich, who left by his wife, Hannah, daughter of — Brown, two daughters, his co-heirs, viz; Susannah, *m.* to — Littledale, esq. and the younger, *m.* to M. Jackas, of Holland.

4. Thomas, of Allan's Flatts, who *s.* to the bulk of his father's property, was one of the principal coal-owners on the river Wear. Mr. Allan *d.* universally lamented, in 1740, leaving four daughters his co-heirs, (who conveyed the *whole* of their father's great wealth to their respective husbands) viz.

Susan, *m.* to Ralph Jennison, esq. of Walworth Castle, in the county of Durham, M.P. for Northumberland, and master of the stag hounds to King George II.

Margaret, *m.* to Jenison Shafto, esq. of Wratting Park, in the county of Cambridge, M.P. for Leominster.

Dorothy, *m.* to James Garland, esq. of Michael Stow Hall, in the county of Essex.

Camilla, *m.* to Robert Shafto, esq. of Benwell, in the county of Northumberland.

II. George (sixth son), *b.* in 1663, who settled at Darlington, as a general merchant, and making a large fortune by government contracts, built Blackwell Grange. He *d.* in 1743, leaving (with a daughter, Hannah, who *m.* Farrow Eden, esq. of Darlington, and *d.* in 1778) an only surviving son,

George, of Blackwell Grange, who *m.* in 1717, Thomasine, dau. and co-heiress of Arthur Prescott, esq. of Blackwell, in Durham, and *d.* 31st July, 1753, leaving

1. Dorothy, *d.* unm. in 1760.
2. Catherine, *d.* unm. in 1753, and buried with great funeral pomp, in Darlington Church.
3. Anne, who eventually became sole heiress. She *d.* in Oct. 1785, and devised all her estates in Durham and Yorkshire to her cousin, and nearest male relation of her name, James Allan, esq. of Darlington. The memory of this lady, who was long distinguished for her benevolence and extensive charities, is so much and deservedly revered at Darlington, that her portrait hangs over the chimney-piece of every respectable parlor in that place.

III. Robert (seventh son), who *d.* at Antigua, leaving an only dau. and heiress, Elizabeth, who *m.* John Burke, esq. and had an only dau. and heiress, Elizabeth, who *m.* Martin Blake, esq. and *d.* in 1771, leaving a son and four daughters, of whom

Margaret Blake, *m.* John Thomlinson, esq. M.P. and left a dau. Mary, the wife of Edward Beeston Long, esq. (See vol. ii. p. 165.)

IV. Nicholas (eighth son), of whom presently.

V. James (ninth son), *d.* young.

The eighth son of George Allan, of Yarm,

Nicholas Allan, esq. of Staindrop, in the county of Durham, *m.* in 1691, Elizabeth, only dau. of William Sober, esq. of Cockerton, county of Durham, (son of Robert Sober, esq. of Nestfield, in the latter shire, which estate descended to the Allans) and had fourteen children, upon the youngest of whom

James Allan, esq. of Blackwell Grange, the family estates eventually devolved. This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, daughter of

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William Pemberton, esq.* by Elizabeth, daughter of John Killinghall, esq. of Middleton St. George, in the county of Durham, descended from John de Kyllynghall, who *d.* seised of the manor of Nether Middleton, in 1417, and whose son and heir, John Kilynghall, *m.* Beatrice, daughter of John Clervaux, of Croft, in Yorkshire, esq. representative of that ancient Norman family. Mr. Allan *d.* in 1790, seised, (besides leaving a large personal property,) for term of life and in fee, of estates at Blackwell Grange, Polam Hill Farm, Dodmires, Darlington, Hill House, Nestfield, &c. in the county of Durham, and of the manors or lordships of Nether Worsall, Appleton-upon-Wiske, and Barton, and estates at Ergholme, and a moiety of the manor of Dalton-upon-Tees, in the North Riding of the county of York, and left issue,

GEORGE, his successor.

James, *d.* unmarried, 26th September, 1800.

Robert, of Sunniside, in the county of Durham, lord of the manor of Barton, in the county of York, and of the manor of Ingleton, and of estates at Bishop Wearmouth, Nestfield, &c., Durham. He *m.* Elizabeth, one of the daughters and co-heiresses of Robert Harrison, a wealthy merchant at Sunderland, and dying 28th March, 1806, possessed of a large personal property, left issue,

1. ROBERT, of Newbottle, in the county of Durham, *b.* 10th April, 1769, who *m.* Hannah, third dau. of Wm. Havelock, ship-owner, and sister of William Havelock, esq. late of Ingress Park, Kent, (which he sold to government for upwards of £70,000,) and left at his demise, 27th December, 1813,

   WILLIAM, who *s.* to Blackwell Grange at the demise of his relative George Allan, esq. 21st July, 1828, and is the PRESENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FAMILY.

   Robert-Henry, F.S.A. of Newbottle House, and of Durham, the author of a history of the city of Durham, &c. *b.* 22nd January, 1802.

   John-Edward, *b.* 25th June, 1803.

   George-Thomas, *b.* 11th October, 1804.

   James, *b.* 2nd December, 1807.

   Elizabeth-Anne, *m.* 21st May, 1832, to Benjamin Dunn, esq. of Harworth, in the county of Durham.

   Anne.

   Johanna-Mary.

   Mary-Emma.

   Caroline-Jane, *m.* 28th September, 1831, to William Hunter Burne, esq. capt. in the Durham militia, grandson of Charles Burne, esq. by Philadelphia, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Lambton, esq. of Hardwick, in the county of Durham, great grandson of Sir William Lambton, of Lambton, knt. slain at Marston Moor, (ancestor of the present Lord Durham).

2. JOHN, of Blackwell, in the county of Durham, M.A. a justice of the peace for that shire, as well as for the North Riding of the county of York. This gentleman, who is lord of the manor of Barton, in Yorkshire, and owner of estates at Blackwell, Nestfield, &c. in the County Palatine, was *b.* 29th August, 1778.

3. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Maling, esq. of Hylton, in the county of Durham, and *d.* in 1810.

4. Anne, *d.* unmarried in 1807.

5. Mary, *m.* 13th June, 1802, to John-Henry Johnson, esq. a captain in the north York militia.

The eldest son,

GEORGE ALLAN, esq. of Blackwell Grange, F.S.A. who is designated in Sir John Prestwick's *Respublica*, as "a learned, studious, and careful preserver of English antiquities, and a favourer of literature;" and by Mr. Surtees as an eminent antiquary and collector, was born 7th June, 1736. Besides

* By this marriage the manor and lordship of Barton, in the county of York, came to the Allans. William Pemberton was great-grandson of John Pemberton, esq. of Aislaby, and his wife, Isabel Grey, grandaughter of Sir Ralph Grey, knt. of Chillingham, ancestor of the present EARL GREY.

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several learned and valuable publications of his own, which were printed at his private press, at Blackwell Grange, Mr. Allan generously assisted, and was the patron and original promoter of Mr. Hutchinson's History of Durham. He *m.* 18th September, 1766, Anne, only daughter and heiress of James Colling Nicholson, esq. of Scruton, in the county of York, and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor.

James, *b.* 27th February, 1772, a capt. in the 29th regiment of foot, *d.* of the yellow fever, in the island of Grenada, 28th May, 1795.

Anne, *m.* to John Wright, esq. of Bolton-on-Swale, in the county of York, and *d.* in 1797, leaving two sons and two daughters.

Elizabeth, *m.* in November, 1791, to Seymour Hodgson, esq. of Richmond, in the county of York.

Hannah, *d.* young.

Dorothy, *d.* unmarried, 18th September, 1821.

Mr. Allan *d.* 18th May, 1800, and was *s.* by his elder son,

GEORGE ALLAN, esq. of Blackwell Grange, M.A., F.S.A., a gentleman, not more distinguished for his literary talents than for an elegant, accomplished, and generous mind. In 1813, upon the retirement of Mr. Ralph Lambton, Mr. Allan, after a long and severe contest, was elected a representative in parliament for the city of Durham.* He *m.* Prudence, daughter of William Williams, esq. but had no issue. Mr. Allan, who was a justice of the peace and deputy of the county of Durham, *d.* at St. Omer, in France, 21st July, 1828, and leaving no issue, the family estates devolved, as stated above, upon his relative, WILLIAM ALLAN, esq. now of Blackwell Grange.

* The numbers at the close of the poll were—
For Mr. Allan 410
Mr. Baker 360

Arms—QUARTERLY OF EIGHT.

ALLAN — Sa. a cross potent quarter pierced or, charged with four guttes de sang, in chief two lions' heads erased of the second, all within a bordure ingrailed erminois.

PEMBERTON—Ar. a chevron ermine between three griffins' heads couped sa.

HINDMARSH—Gu. in a marsh, a hind lodged ppr.

KILLINGHALL—Gu. a bend raguly arg. between three garbs or.

HERDEWYK—Or a maunch sa. between three martlets gu.

LAMBTON—Sa. a fess between three lambs passant arg. a trefoil gu. on the fess, for cadency.

DODSWORTH—Ar. a chevron sa. charged with three bezants or, between three bugle-horns, stringed of the second.

Crest—A demi-lion rampant arg. ducally crowned gu. holding in the dexter paw a cross potent or, and supporting with the sinister paw a rudder of the second.

Motto—Fortiter gerit crucem.

Estates — The manors or lordships of Nether Worsall, otherwise Low Worsall, of Appleton-upon-Wiske; estates at Eryholme, and a moiety of the manor or lordship of Dalton-upon-Tees, in the North Riding of the county of York. At Blackwell Grange, Polam Hill Farm, Dodmires, Darlington, Hill House, &c. in the county Palatine. All these possessions, excepting the manor or lordship of Appleton-upon-Wiske, purchased by Miss Ann Allan, were acquired by George Allan, esq. who was *b.* in 1663.

Seat—Blackwell Grange, in the county of Durham.

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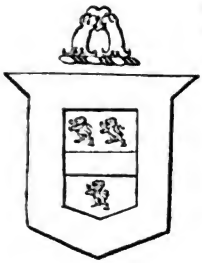
WILLIS, (DE ANYERS) OF HALSNEAD PARK.

WILLIS, RICHARD, esq. of Halsnead Park, and of Hall of the Hill, both in the county of Lancaster, *b.* 18th Sept. 1760, *m.* Cicely, only daughter of Joseph Fielden, esq. of Witton Park, near Blackburne, by whom (who *d.* in April, 1822) he has had issue,



RICHARD, of West Cottage, near Leicester, *b.* 16th July, 1787, *m.* 17th July, 1819, Lucy, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Atherton, esq. barrister at law, of the family of Atherton, of Atherton.

Joseph, of Calcutta, *b.* 9th July, 1789.

Daniel, *b.* 4th August, 1790.

John, *b.* 7th October, 1792, *m.* 8th March, 1821, Eliza, daughter of George Roach, esq. of Everton, near Liverpool, which lady (her marriage with Mr. Willis being annulled,) wedded, secondly, Robert Barnewall, esq.

Henry, *b.* 3rd April, 1795, lieutenant in the 13th light dragoons, *d.* while on service with his regiment at Reta, in the province of Leon, Spain, 13th October, 1813.

William, *b.* 5th May, 1798, a midshipman in the royal navy, *d.* at Corunna, in the Surveillante frigate, 31st August, 1812.

Thomas, *b.* 27th April, 1804.

Frederick, lieutenant in the 9th lancers, *b.* 17th July, 1805, *m.* 18th January, 1834, Elizabeth Louisa, eldest daughter of Sir William Gosset.

Edward, lieutenant in the 37th regiment of infantry, *b.* 8th Oct. 1806, *m.* 12th May, 1831, Harriette, daughter and co-heiress of the late lieut. col. Robbins, and has issue,

Edward-Richard-William.

Margaret-Dorothea, *m.* 1st May, 1821, to Charles-Robert Sherbourne, esq. of Hirst House, son of the late admiral, honorable Robert Digby.

Cecilia, *m.* 18th September, 1816, to Thomas Farrer, esq. son of the late James Farrer, esq. of Ingleborough, near Clapham, in the county of York, and has issue,

1. Thomas-Henry.
2. William.
3. Frederick-Willis.
4. Cecilia.
5. Mary.
6. Ellen.

Sarah.

Frances-Elizabeth.

Mary.

Caroline, *d.* 16th March, 1806.

Mr. Willis, who rebuilt the Hall at Halsnead, *s.* his father in 1790.

Lineage.

The family of DE ANYERS, or DANIEL, whence Mr. Willis derives in lineal descent, accompanied WILLIAM *the Conqueror* into England in 1066, and the name of its patriarch is to be found inscribed on the roll of Battel Abbey.* Owing, however, to the destruction of deeds in the turbulent times of CHARLES I. the lineage can only be traced with accuracy from the year 1250.

WILLIAM DE ANYERS, sen. of Daresbury, in Cheshire, espoused, in 1270, Agnes, daughter of Thomas de Legh, of High Legh of the West Hall, and had, with several daughters, three sons, viz.

1. THOMAS.
2. William, who inherited his father's lands in Daresbury, and left issue at his decease, in 1306, with several other children, a son and successor,

* *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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JOHN (Sir), knt. of Daresbury, whose son,

WILLIAM D'ANYERS, espousing Clemence, daughter and heiress of Alan de Norreys, obtained large possessions in Cheshire and Lancashire; and from this marriage descended the Daniells of Daresbury, a family which existed in 1666, when Sir Peter Leycester published his history of Bucklow Hundred, but which has been extinct now for several years.

3. John.

The eldest son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, had lands in Limme by grant of his father, 17th EDWARD II. and purchased, in 1301, Bradley, from Peter Dutton, lord of Warburton. He *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of Adam de Tabley, and had, with other children who all *d. s. p.*

THOMAS (Sir), who *m.* Isabel, daughter and heiress of William Baggiley, and dying in the lifetime of his father, 26th EDWARD III. left an only daughter,

MARGARET, heiress to all her mother's lands, those of her father being settled on the heirs male of the De Anyers: she *m.* thrice.

John (Sir), of Gropenhale, who married twice, but had issue only by his first wife, Joan, daughter of Sir William Boydell, and sister and co-heir to William Boydell, of Dodleston, in the county of Cheshire, viz.

Robert, *d. s. p.* in 43rd EDWARD III.

Margaret, affianced to Sir Robert Grosvenor, but *d.* unmarried.

Nicolaa, heiress to her mother's lands, left an only daughter and heiress,

Margaret, *m.* to Alan de Rixton, and *d.* without issue, 6th RICHARD II.

Thomas De Anyers, of Bradley, espoused, secondly, Joan de Norreys, and left, with two younger sons,

SIR THOMAS DE ANYERS, knt. of Over Tabley, who inherited his father's estates upon the decease of his half brother. Sir Thomas was a warrior of note, and served with distinction under the famous Hugh de Calveley, of Lea. He espoused Katherine, daughter and heiress of William, son of Adam de Over Tabley, and upon this marriage one-third part of Over Tabley was settled on Sir Thomas De Anyers and his wife. His eldest son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, of Over Tabley, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Aston, of Aston, and widow of Thomas Boydell, jun. of Gropenhale, and left at his decease, in 1431, with other issue, a son and successor,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, of Over Tabley, stiled the elder, who *m.* in 1413, Isabel, daughter and heiress of John Rixton, of Rixton, by which alliance he acquired lands at Warrington. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who espousing, in 1440, Maud, daughter of John Leycester, esq. of Nether Tabley, had, with other issue, a son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who *m.* Catherine de Middleton, or Milneton, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who took possession of Cherry Tree Hurst, in Lymme, as next heir, upon the decease, in 1493, issueless, of Thomas Daniell, of Lymme, the last heir of that family. The matter was not, however, fully settled until the award of William Hill, prebendary of Lichfield, 23rd HENRY VIII. when William Daniell, of Longdon, in Staffordshire, who claimed as next heir to Daniell, of Lymme, as son of William, brother of John Daniell, late of Cherry Tree Hurst, conveyed all his right in those lands to Thomas De Anyers, esq. grandson of this Thomas.

THOMAS DE ANYERS *m.* Blanch, daughter of Piers Warburton, esq. of Arley, and dying in 1494, was *s.* by his eldest son,

PIERS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who *m.* in 1499, Julian, daughter of Sir Peter Newton, secretary to Prince Henry, and was *s.* at his demise, in 1522, by his son,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who purchased from William Sneyd, 36th HENRY VIII. the property called Wiche's lands. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Wilbraham, esq. of Woothey, in the county of Chester, and had issue,

PETER, his successor.

THOMAS, who inherited, upon the demise of his brother.

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William (Sir), a lawyer of eminence, appointed a judge of the common pleas.

Richard, *d.* in 1605.

Ellen, *m.* in 1553, to John Massy, esq. of Codington.

Margaret, *m.* first, to Christopher Holford, esq. of Ilcoit, in Flintshire, son of Sir John Holford, of Holford; and, secondly, to James Barker, of Hamond.

Thomas De Anyers *d.* in 1551, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley. This gentleman purchased, in 1556, the Hall of Woodlands, in Over Tabley, which escheated to the crown upon the attainder of Matthew de Tabley, 22nd EDWARD IV. He espoused, in 1550, Alice, daughter of George Booth, esq. of Dunham Massey, by whom he had an only daughter,

DOROTHY, who *m.* William, son and heir of Richard Massy, esq. of Rixton, in the county of Lancaster.

Peter De Anyers dying thus without male issue, in 1557, was *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, who *m.* Alice, daughter of Foulk Dutton, esq. of Chester, and had, with other issue, a son,

PETER DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, his successor in 1575. This gentleman wedded, in 1574, Anne, daughter of Henry Mainwaring, esq. of Carinckam, in Cheshire, by whom (who subsequently married Thomas Ashold, esq. of Swetenham, in Cheshire, and *d.* in 1633) he had issue;

PETER, his successor.

Richard, *d. s. p.*

Frances, *m.* to Edward Littleton, esq. son of Littleton, of Pillaton.

Anne, *d.* unmarried.

Mary, *m.* first, to John Woodroot, esq. and, secondly, to John King, esq.

Jane, *d.* without issue.

The elder son and successor,

PETER DE ANYERS, esq. of Over Tabley, was but six years of age when his father died. In 1625, he represented the county of Chester in parliament, and marrying Christian, daughter of Richard Grosvenor, esq. of Eaton, in Cheshire, had issue,

1. PETER, of Over Tabley, a captain of a foot company in the regiment of John, Earl of Rivers, raised for the king's service. He *d.* at Oxford of a shot received at the siege of Gloucester, leaving (with a daughter, Margaret, who probably married into the Minchull family, a gentleman of that name being mentioned as the uncle of Sir Samuel Daniell) a son,

THOMAS, of Over Tabley, who *m.* Alice, niece of Henry Neville, esq. of Holt, in Leicestershire, and had (with other children who *d.* issueless)

1. SAMUEL (Sir), who served as colonel in King William's army, from which prince he received the honour of knighthood. He *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Robert Tatton, esq. of Withenshaw, in the county of Chester; and, secondly, Frances, daughter of the Hon. Robert Dormer, of Rowsham, in Oxfordshire, by whom he had an only daughter, Anne, who died in infancy. Sir Samuel *d.* 24th December, 1726, and by his testamentary injunction directs his body to be buried in his chapel at Rosthorne, where a monument is erected to his memory. His estates were left, by will, in the first instance strictly entailed upon strangers, of whom the first were his great nephews, the sons of Charles Duckenfield, esq. of Mobberly, in Cheshire, by whom the name and arms of Daniell were taken, the entail cut off, and the estates sold. Thus the surviving descendants of Sir Samuel's great uncle, Colonel William Daniell, were deprived of their inheritance, although Colonel William Daniell, in order to repair the injury the Tabley estates had sustained, had left from his own dau. his possessions in Staffordshire to Sir Samuel Daniell's father.

2 Sarah, who *m.* Hewitt Parker, esq. of Mobberley, and had an only daughter,

SARAH, who espousing Sir C. Duckenfield, bt. had

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with other children, who all *d.* unmarried, a son,

WILLIAM (Sir), bart. who assumed, by act of parliament, the surname of DANIELL upon inheriting the fortune of that family. Dying without issue, the estates passed from his relict to her second husband, John Astley, esq.

II. WILLIAM, of whom presently.

III. Thomas, slain at the battle of Brainford, in 1642.

IV. Margaret, *m.* to Richard Green, esq. of Congleton.

V. Christian, *m.* to George Devonport, esq. of Calveley.

VI. Mary, *m.* to Col. Finch, an officer in the parliament army, and a member of the noble family of Winchelsea and Nottingham.

VII. Elizabeth.

VIII. Anne, *m.* to Robert Sanford, esq. of Sanford.

The second son,

WILLIAM DE ANYERS, esq. was colonel of a regiment of infantry, in the service of the parliament, held under three several commissions, still preserved at Halsnead, viz. of Generals Fairfax, Cromwell, and Monk. He *m.* Dorothy Forth,* of Wigan, in Lancashire, co-heiress of William Forth, esq. of Wigan, by whom he had several children, viz.

William, Henry, } *d. s. p.*

Dorothy, *d.* unmarried.

ELIZABETH, of whom hereafter.

Mary, Anne, } *d.* unmarried.

Ellen, who *m.* 14th April, 1681, Martin Willis,† esq. of Halsnead, and had issue,

1. THOMAS WILLIS, esq. of Halsnead and of Hall o' th' Hill. This gentleman, who rebuilt the west front of Hall o' th' Hill, *d.* unm. in 1727, and was *s.* by his brother,

2. DANIELL WILLIS, esq. of Halsnead and Hall o' th' Hill, rebuilt the north front of Halsnead in 1727; he *m.* Anne, daughter of William Ffarrington, esq. of Shaw Hall, in the county of Lancaster, but dying without issue, 1st Nov. 1763, his estates passed to his cousin, Thomas Swettenham-Willis, esq. of Swettenham, at whose demise also, without children, the property devolved upon his kinsman, RALPH EARLE, esq.

The eldest surviving child,

ELIZABETH DE ANYERS espoused twice; by her second husband, William Hulton, esq. she had one son and a daughter, who both *d.* issueless; and by her first, Ralph Finch, esq. of the noble family of Winchelsea and Nottingham, an only daughter and heiress,

MARY FINCH, who *m.* John Earle, esq. of Liverpool, descended of the ancient house of Earle of Craglethorpe, in the county of Lincoln, and had issue,

John, *d. s. p.*

RALPH, of whom presently.

Thomas, who had two daughters,

1. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Earle, esq. of Spekelands, and has issue.

2. Jane, *m.* to Richard Gwillym, esq. of Bewsey, in the county of Lancaster, and has issue.

William, who *m.* Mrs. Anne Winstanley, and had issue,

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* This lady bore the arms of Holt and Forth, being grandaughter of —— Holt, esq. of Sherington and an heiress.

† The family of WILLIS claims descent from the eminent and ennobled family of WELLES. Brown Willis, M.P. the celebrated antiquarian, was one of its members, and his descendants have assumed of late years the surname of FLEMING, for estates left to them in Hampshire, where they are now resident. In the reign of CHARLES II. THOMAS WILLIS, of the Berkshire family of that name, and to which family a baronetcy was granted by King CHARLES I., came into Lancashire, and purchased estates in that county, which, together with others, are now in possession of Richard Willis, esq. of Halsnead Park. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Martin, esq. of Drogheda, and had issue.

MARTIN, of Halsnead, who espoused Ellen De Anyers, as above.

Bartha, who *m.* William Swettenham, esq. of Swettenham, in Cheshire, and had a son,

THOMAS, who assumed the surname of WILLIS upon inheriting the estates of his cousin, Daniell Willis, esq. Mr. Swettenham-Willis *d.* in 1783, and was *s.* in the Willis possessions by his relative, RALPH EARLE, esq.

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1. William, of Everton, *m.* and has issue.
2. Thomas, of Shekelands, who *m.* his cousin, Mary, daughter of Thomas Earle, esq. and had issue.
3. Mary, *m.* to Arthur Heywood, esq. of Larkhill.

Sarah, *m.* to the Hon. and Rev. John Stanley, rector of Winwick, in the county of Lancaster, and brother of Edward, eleventh Earl of Derby.

The eldest surviving son,

RALPH EARLE, esq. assumed, upon inheriting, 28th August, 1788, the Willis estates, in pursuance of the will of Daniell Willis, esq. of Halsnead and of Hall o' th' Hill, the surname and arms of that family. He espoused Dorothy, second daughter and heiress of Richard Aldersey, esq. of Liverpool, a branch of the Alderseys, of Aldersey, in Cheshire, and had issue,

RICHARD, present proprietor.

Willis, of Sandford Cottage, near Halsnead, who still retains the name of EARLE. He *m.* Annina-Cecilia Lutyens, an Italian lady, by whom he has, (with another son and daughter, both now deceased,)

1. Willis. 2. Sophia.

Mr. Willis was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, RICHARD WILLIS, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Arg. a fesse between three lions rampant gu. within a bordure, ermines.

QUARTERINGS.

DE ANYERS,	Holte,
De Tabley,	Finch,
Rixton,	Earle,
Forth,	Aldersey.

Crest—Two lion's paws erect and erased, holding a human heart, gu.

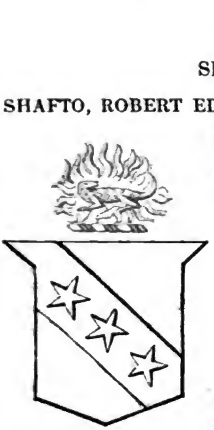
Motto—Virtus tutissima cassis.

Estates—Halsnead Park, near Prescot: Hall of the Hill, near Chorley; and Monks Hall, near Eccles, all in Lancashire. Mullenstown, near Ardee, county Louth, Ireland.

Seats—Halsnead Park, and Hall of the Hill, both in Lancashire.

SHAFTO, OF WHITWORTH.

SHAFTO, ROBERT EDEN-DUNCOMBE, esq. of Whitworth Park, in the county palatine of Durham, *b.* 23rd March, 1776, *m.* in November, 1803, Catherine, third daughter of Sir John Eden, bart. of Windlestone, and has had issue,



ROBERT-DUNCOMBE, *b.* in London, 7th April, 1806.
John-Duncombe, *b.* 16th May, 1807.
Thomas-Duncombe, *b.* in 1811.
Frederick-William-Duncombe, *b.* 18th July, 1812, and *d.* in 1820.
Slingsby-Duncombe, *b.* 11th August, 1811.
Arthur-Duncombe, *b.* 11th January, 1815.
Catherine, *m.* 17th May, 1827, to William-Charles Harland, esq. of Sutton Hall, in Yorkshire.
Maria-Georgiana.

Mr. Shafto, who represented the City of Durham in parliament, in 1804, succeeded his brother in July, 1802.

Lineage.

The family of SHAFTO is of great antiquity in the north of England. Some little incidental proof of the rank which the old lords of Shafto held on the border may be gathered from song and tradition. At the "*Raid of the Redswire*," in 1575, a hostile meeting between the Scotch and English Wardens, one of the war-cries of the latter was, "*A Schaftan* and a Fenwick." The Scots had the honour of the day, and amongst the many English who were taken prisoners or wounded,

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"Young Henry Schaftan he is hurt,
A souldier shot him with a bow."*

CUTHBERT FOLLIOTT, second or younger son of Sir John Folliott, had issue,

THOMAS FOLLIOTT, who is said to have first assumed the surname of SHAFTO, from his residence at Shafto-Crag, in Northumberland. From him sprung, sixth in descent,

WILLIAM SHAFTO, esq. who left by his wife ——, heiress of Bavington, in Northumberland, a son and successor,

EDWARD SHAFTO, esq. of Bavington, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Swinburne, esq. of Nafferton, in the county of Northumberland, and had, with other issue,

CUTHBERT, who *s.* at Bavington, and marrying Isabel, daughter and co-heir of Roger Bertram, esq. was ancestor to the Shaftos of Bavington, now represented by

ROBERT-INGRAM SHAFTO, esq. of Bavington.

Alexander, who *m.* Anne, daughter of —— Fenwick, esq. of Little Harle.

MARK, of whom presently.

The third son,

MARK SHAFTO, esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, served the office of mayor of that city in 1548. He *m.* Margaret Riddell, and had issue,

EDWARD, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant-adventurer, who *m.* Isabel Ogle, and left at his decease, in 1576, several children.

Mark, alderman of Newcastle, who served the office of sheriff of that city in 1573, and mayor the subsequent year. He *d. s. p.* in 1593.

NINIAN, of whom hereafter.

Leonard, *d.* unmarried, 6th Dec. 1594.

Launcelot, *d. s. p.*

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Greenwell, esq.

The third son,

NINIAN SHAFTO, esq. of Newcastle, *m.* Anne, daughter of Henry Brandling, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and dying in 1581, was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT SHAFTO, esq. alderman and sheriff of Newcastle in 1607, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Robert Eden, esq. of that place, and had surviving issue,

ROBERT, to whom his father devised Benwell Tower, in the county of Northumberland, ancestor of the SHAFTOS OF BENWELL.

MARK, of whom we are about to treat.

Ninian, *m.* Jane Carr, and *d.* in 1647, leaving issue.

Eden, *m.* to Anthony Metcalfe, esq.

Anne, *m.* to John Clavering, esq. of Axwell, in the county of Durham.

Dorcas, *m.* to Henry Cock, of Newcastle, merchant.

Mary, Alice, Isabel, } *d.* unmarried.

Robert Shafto's second surviving son,

MARK SHAFTO, esq. barrister-at-law of the Honourable Society of Gray's Inn, and recorder of Newcastle in 1648, purchased Whitworth, in the county of Durham, in 1652. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Legard, of Newcastle, merchant, and had issue,

ROBERT (Sir), his successor.

Thomas, a Hamburgh merchant.

Jane, *m.* 10th January, 1652, to William Strother, esq. of Fowerby, in the county of Northumberland.

Mary.

Mark Shafto *d.* 25th February, 1659, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR ROBERT SHAFTO, knt. of Whitworth, in the county of Durham, barrister-at-law, who, being appointed recorder of Newcastle in 1660, received the honour of knighthood at Whitehall, 26th June, 1670. He was constituted serjeant-at-law in 1674, and in 1685 resigned the recordership, to which situation he was a second time chosen, at the Revolution in 1688. He *m.* in 1661, Catherine, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Widdrington, knt. of Cheeseburn Grange, in the county of Northumberland, serjeant-at-law (by Frances, his wife, daughter of Ferdinando, Lord Fairfax, of Cameron), and left at his decease 21st May, 1705, an only son and successor,

MARK SHAFTO, esq. of Whitworth, *b.* in 1662, who served the office of high sheriff (by patent) of the county of Durham in 1709. He *m.* Catherine, eldest daughter of Sir John Ingleby, of Ripley, bart. and eventually co-heir in blood of her nephew, Sir John Ingleby, bart. and had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

JOHN, successor to his brother.

Catherine, *m.* 31st January, 1715, to Sir John Eden, of Windlestone, bart. and left issue.

* Minstrelsy of the Scottish Border.

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Mr. Shafto *d.* 28th December, 1723, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT SHAFTO, esq. of Whitworth, M. P. for the city of Durham, 1st GEORGE I. who *m.* Dorothy, fifth daughter of Henry Dawney, second Lord Viscount Downe, by whom (who married after his decease, Rev. Thomas Eden, D. D. Prebendary of Durham, fourth son of Sir Robert Eden, of Windlestone) leaving no issue, the estates devolved upon his only brother,

JOHN SHAFTO, esq. of Whitworth, M. P. for the city of Durham, from 1729 to 1742. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of Thomas Jackson, esq. of Nunnington, in the county of York, town clerk of the city of London, by whom (who remarried after his decease ——Wynne, esq. and *d.* in 1768) he had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

Thomas-Goodfellow, D. D. Rector of Brancepeth and Canon Residentiary of Christ Church, Oxford, *d.* unmarried 17th October, 1797, and was buried in Christ Church Cathedral.

Dorothy, *m.* 19th April, 1763, to Wilmot Vaughan, Earl of Lisburne, and *d.* in 1805.

Margaret, *d.* unmarried, in 1818.

Mr. Shafto *d.* 3rd April, 1742, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT SHAFTO, esq. of Whitworth, who espoused, 18th April, 1774, Anne, daughter and sole heiress of Thomas Duncombe, esq. of Duncombe Park, in the county of York (by Diana, his wife, youngest daughter of Henry Howard, fourth Earl of Carlisle, coheir of her mother, Frances, his wife, only child of Charles Spencer, third Earl of Sunderland, by his Countess, Arabella, youngest daughter and co-heir of Henry Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle), and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

ROBERT-EDEN-DUNCOMBE, present proprietor.

Thomas, *b.* 23rd August, 1777.

This gentleman, who represented the county of Durham in parliament from 1760 until 1768, and subsequently the borough of Downton, for several years, *d.* 24th November, 1797, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SHAFTO, esq. of Whitworth, at whose decease, unmarried, in July, 1802, the family estates devolved upon his next brother, ROBERT-EDEN-DUNCOMBE SHAFTO, esq. present representative of this branch of the family.

Arms—Gu. on a bend arg. three mullets az.

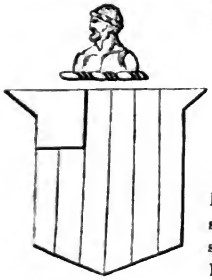
Crest—A salamander reguardant vert, in the middle of flames ppr.

Estates—At Whitworth, Bishop's Close, Byer's Green, North Bedburn, Bitchburn, and Witton-le-Wear, in the county of Durham.

Seat—Whitworth Park, in the county of Durham.

SHIRLEY, OF EATINGTON.

SHIRLEY, EVELYN-JOHN, esq. of Eatington Park, in the county of Warwick, *b.* in 1788, *m.* in 1810, Eliza, daughter of Arthur Stanhope, esq. cousin to the Earl of Chesterfield, and has had issue,



EVELYN-PHILIP, *b.* in 1812.
Arthur, *b.* in 1813, Captain of Dragoons.
Sewallis, *b.* in 1816, *d.* 10th June, 1836.
George-Edward, *b.* in 1817, *d.* 16th March, 1832.
Walter-Devereux, *b.* in 1829.
Selina.
Louisa.

Mr. Shirley, who represented the county of Monaghan for sometime in parliament, and is now member for Warwickshire, inherited the estates upon the demise of his father, 17th May, 1810.

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Lineage.

This is a branch of the noble and ancient family of Shirley, Earls of Ferrars, springing from

SIR ROBERT SHIRLEY, knt, first EARL OF FERRARS, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Lawrence Washington, esq. of Caresden, in Wiltshire, and had, with several other children,

1. ROBERT, who predeceased his father, leaving one son and a daughter, viz.
   - ROBERT, who also *d. vitâ patris*, unmarried.
   - Elizabeth, who *m.* James, fifth Earl of Northampton, and succeeded, as heiress of her brother, to the baronies of Ferrers, of Chartley, Bourchier, and Lovaine.
2. WASHINGTON, who *s.* his father as second Earl of Ferrers, but *d. s. p. m.* when the honors devolved upon his brother.
3. HENRY, third earl, at whose decease, unmarried, the title passed to his nephew.
4. Lawrence, who left three sons, viz.
   - LAWRENCE, fourth Earl of Ferrers, *d. s. p.*
   - WASHINGTON, fifth earl, also *d.* without issue.
   - ROBERT, sixth earl, who had issue,
     - ROBERT, his successor, as seventh earl.
     - WASHINGTON, PRESENT EARL, (see *Burke's Peerage*).

The (first) earl espoused, secondly, in 1699 Selina, daughter of George Finch, esq. and had issue,

1. Robert, M.P. for Stamford, who *d. s. p.*
2. George, *d.* young.
3. GEORGE, of whom hereafter.
4. Sewallis, comptroller of the household to Queen Charlotte, M.P. for Callington; who *m.* Margaret, Countess Dowager of Orford, but *d. s. p.*
5. John, *d.* unmarried, in 1768.
6. Selina, *m.* to Peter Bathurst, esq. of Clarendon Park, Wilts, and *d.* leaving issue.
7. Mary, *m.* to Charles Tryon, esq. of Bullwick, in the county of Northampton, and *d.* in 1771.
8. Anne, *m.* to Sir Robert Furnese, and *d.* in 1779, leaving a daughter,
   - Selina, *m.* to Sir Edward Dering, bt.
9. Frances, } *d.* unmarried
10. Steuarta, }

The third, but, eventually, eldest surviving son of the second marriage,

The Hon. GEORGE SHIRLEY, of Eatington, in the county of Warwick, a captain in the first regiment of foot guards, *m.* Mary, daughter of Humphrey Sturt, esq. and had two sons and two daughters, viz.

- GEORGE, his successor.
- EVELYN, who inherited upon the demise of his brother issueless.
- Selina, *m.* to Sir Thomas-George Skipwith, bart.
- Margaret, *m.* to John Smith, esq. of Comb Hay.

He *d.* 22nd Oct. 1787, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE SHIRLEY, esq. of Eatington, who *m.* twice; but dying *s. p.* in 1793, the estates devolved upon his brother,

EVELYN SHIRLEY, esq. of Eatington, who espoused Phillis-Byam, daughter of Charlton Wollaston, esq. and had issue,

- EVELYN-JOHN, present proprietor.
- Charles, *b.* 15th Nov. 1792; *m.* 7th Dec. 1819, Anne-Charlotte, 2nd dau. of the Hon. and Rev. George Bridgeman.
- William, *b.* 23rd March, 1794.
- James, in holy orders, *b.* 15th Jan. 1802, *m.* in 1831, Catherine Louisa, eldest daughter of the Rev. John Dolphin.
- Horatio, *b.* 8th Dec. 1805, Capt. in the army.
- Arthur-George-Sewallis, *b.* in 1810.
- Selina.
- Mary, *m.* to George Morant, esq.
- Frances, *d.* unm. in 1836.
- Emily-Harriet, *m.* to the late Lord Suffield.

Mr. Shirley *d.* 17th May, 1810, and was *s.* by his son, EVELYN-JOHN SHIRLEY, esq.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, paly of six, or and az. a canton ermine: second and third, France and England quarterly, within a border arg.

Crest—The bust of a Saracen, side-faced and couped, ppr. wreathed about the temples, or and az.

Motto—Honor virtutis præmium.

Estates—In Warwickshire; and in the county of Monaghan, Ireland.

Seats—Eatington Park, in the county of Warwick; and Lough Fea, in the county of Monaghan.

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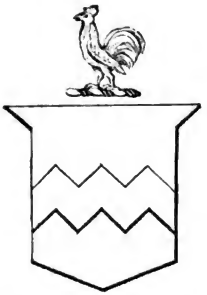
VAVASOUR, OF WESTON.

VAVASOUR, WILLIAM, esq. of Weston Hall, in the county of York, *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of John Cooke, esq. of Swinton, in the same shire, by whom he has no issue. Mr. Vavasour succeeded to the estates of his family, and the representation of the ancient house of VAVASOUR, upon the decease of his brother in 1795.

Lineage.



The eminent family of VAVASOR, or VALVASOR (as Camden has it), derived their name from their office, being formerly king's valvasor, a degree then little inferior to the baronial. "There are," says Bracton, "for the civil government of mankind, emperors, kings, and princes, magnates or VALVASORS, and knights."

SIR MAUGER LE VAVASOR is mentioned in Doomsday Book, as holding in chief of the Percys, Earls of Northumberland, considerable manors and estates in Stutton, Eselewood, Saxall (Saxon), &c. He was father of another

SIR MAUGER LE VAVASOR, father of

SIR WILLIAM LE VAVASOR, lord of Haselwood, judge in the reign of Henry II. and one of the witnesses to the charter of the abbey of Sawley, in Yorkshire, refounded by Matilda de Percy, Countess of Warwick. To this abbey he himself also made a considerable donation of land. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT LE VAVASOR, who in 21st Henry III. was high-sheriff of Nottingham and Derby; and from 31st of the same reign having served for eight years successively. He had likewise the custody of the honor of Peverell. He *m.* Julian, daughter of Gilbert de Ross, of Steeton, by whom he had issue,

1. JOHN (Sir), his successor.
2. Maude, *m.* to Theobald, brother of Hubert, Archbishop of Canterbury, from whom descended the family of Butler, dukes, marquesses, and earls of Ormonde; and from whom also descended her majesty, Queen Elizabeth, by her grandfather, Sir Thomas Boleyne, created Earl of Wiltshire and Ormonde.

Sir Robert *d.* 38th Henry III. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN LE VAVASOR, knt. Lord of Haselwood, who gave to the abbot and convent of Thornton, to the church and canons of St. Peter in Howden, stone from his quarry in Theves-dale (now called Jackdaw Cragg), near Tadcaster, to build their churches, and repair other edifices. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Sir Robert Cockfield, knt. by whom he had, with a younger son, MALGER, of whose descendants we are about to treat,

Sir William le Vavasor, who *s.* his father at Haselwood, which he had license to castellate from King Edward I. in whose reign he was employed in the Gascoigne and Scotch wars; and was so esteemed, that he had summons to parliament among the barons, from 28th Edward I. to 6th of Edward II. He gave to the archbishop and chapter of York, from the abovementioned quarry in Theves-dale, the stone of which the noble edifice, the Minster was erected. He also made and founded St. Leonard's Chapel, in his castle at Haselwood, which, on the foregoing

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account, was made extra-parochial by the archbishop: the king's charter for the chapel is dated 29th April, 1286, Edward I.: the confirmation is dated 5th June, 1452, being the 31st of Henry VI. Sir Thomas Vavasor, the lineal descendant of this baron, so distinguished himself, with others of the nobility, by raising forces and equipping vessels to defend Queen Elizabeth against the Spanish armada, that the queen, in reward of this zeal, and out of particular regard for one of her maids of honor, who was a Vavasor, and acknowledged by her majesty as her kinswoman, would never suffer the chapel at Haselwood to be molested, where the Roman catholic rites still continue to be celebrated. Lord Vavasor *m.* Nichola, daughter of Sir Stephen Wallis, knt. of Newton, by whom he had issue three sons,

I. Robert, second Lord Vavasor, who was likewise employed against the Scots, and also had summons as a baron, 7th Edward II. He married, and left issue two daughters,

1. Elizabeth Vavasor, *m.* Sir Robert Strelly, of Nottinghamshire, in whose heirs it is supposed this barony still exists.
2. Ann.

Robert, Lord Vavasor, dying without issue male, was *s.* at Haselwood by his next brother,

II. Sir Henry le Vavasor (second son of William, Baron Vavasor), who was the direct ancestor of Sir Thomas Vavasour, of Haselwood Castle, who was created a baronet in 1628, which dignity expired with the late Sir Thomas Vavasour, in 1826. The estates at Haselwood, &c. devolved by will upon his cousin, the Hon. Edward Marmaduke Stourton, (second son of Charles-Philip, sixteenth Lord Stourton, by Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Marmaduke, fifth and last Lord Langdale), who, changing his name to Vavasour, and being created a baronet, is the present Sir Edward-Marmaduke Vavasour, of Haselwood, in the county of York.

III. William, of Deneby (now Danby), in Yorkshire, ancestor to the family (Scroop) in that place.

Sir John le Vavasor of Haselwood was *s.* in his estates at Denton and Askwith by his second son,

Sir Malger le Vavasor, knt. of Denton and Askwith, who *m.* Alice, daughter of William Duston, esq. and had issue,

I. Mauger (Sir), who lived about the 3rd of Edward III. (1328), *m.* and left issue,

1. William Vavasor, of Denton, *m.* Agnes, daughter of Roger Grymston, esq. and had issue,
   Sir Mauger Vavasor, who left issue by his wife Margaret,
   Agnes Vavasor, *m.* Sir Bernard Brocas, knt. (from whom she was divorced, and afterwards *m.* Hen. Langfield, esq.) by whom she had issue,
   Sir Bernard Brocas, knt. chamberlain to Queen Anne, wife of Richard II. He was attainted and executed for high treason, 1st Henry IV. and is buried in St. Edmund's chapel, in Westminster Abbey. He left issue,
   William Brocas, his son and heir, who made over his estate of Denton by deed of feoffment to William Gascoigne, John Thwaytes, and others, from whom John Vavasor of Weston, recovered the same.
2. Thomas, who had his father's manor of Wolsington. He left issue by Joan, his wife (who *m.* secondly, William Witham, esq.

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Sir Mauger Vavasor, who *d.* without issue,
William Vavasor, *m.* and had issue,
Margaret Vavasor, his heir, who *d.* without issue, about 8th Richard II.

3. Richard, *m.* and had two sons, Mauger and William, who released to Sir Bernard Brocas, knt. and Agnes Vavasor, his wife, all their right and interest in the manor of Denton; and shortly afterwards both *d.* without issue.

II. JOHN, of whom presently.

Sir Malger Vavasor, of Denton and Askwith, was *s.* at *Askwith* by his second son,

SIR JOHN LE VAVASOR, of Askwith, knt. who *m.* the daughter and heiress of Sir William de Stopham, of Weston, knt. by whom he had issue,

JOHN LE VAVASOR, of Askwith, who lived about the year 1329, and left issue by Alice, his wife,

JOHN LE VAVASOR, of Askwith, who *m.* Agnes, daughter and heir of — de Benevile, and had issue,

WILLIAM, attorney-general to King Edward III.
JOHN.

He was *s.* at Weston by his second son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston. This gentleman *m.* Agnes, or Anne, daughter of Sir William Mauleverer, of Wothersome, knt. (This Agnes, or Anne, did release to John, her son, all her right in the manor of Weston, in 1400, 2nd Henry IV.) They left issue,

JOHN.
Richard.
Thomas.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Peter Middleton, of Stockeld, knt. by whom he had issue,

JOHN.
William, parson of Bursdsall, in Craven.
Henry, *m.* Matilda, daughter of — Bunnye, esq. from whom descended the *extinct* BARONETS VAVASOUR, of Coppenthorp, in the county of York.
Isabella, a nun, at Smithwayte.
Agnes, *m.* John Beckwith, esq. of Clinte.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston, (made his will 1st Edward IV.), *m.* Ellen, daughter of Thomas Beckwith, of Clinte, esq. (she made her will 2nd Henry VII.), by whom he had issue,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston, who married and had issue,

JOHN.
Anastatia, *m.* — Norton, esq.
Katherine, *m.* Robert Wood, esq.
Joan, *m.* Rafe Hutton, esq.
Agnes, *m.* William Burton, esq. of Ingmanthorpe.

He was succeeded by his only son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston and Newton, near Ripley. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Thwaytes, esq. by whom he had issue,

JOHN.
Elizabeth, a nun at Nunmuncton.
Ellen, *m.* William Exileby, esq.

He made his will 1482, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston and Newton, *m.* Cecily, daughter of Sir John Norton, knt. by whom he had issue,

JOHN.
Marmaduke, *m.* Agnes, daughter of — Saltmarshe, esq. and had issue,
John Vavasor, esq. of Waltham, in Hertfordshire.
Elizabeth, a nun.
Anne, *m.* Sir William Calverley, knt. of Calverley.
Joan, *m.* — Walworth, esq. of Ravenscroft.
Margaret, *m.* Christopher Rayne, esq. of Netherdale.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN VAVASOR, esq. of Weston, who *m.* first, Bridget, daughter of Sir Thomas Mauleverer, knt. of Allerton, by whom he had issue,

MARMADUKE.
Elizabeth, *m.* — Johnson, esq.
Dorothy, *m.* Thomas Highley, esq. of Newhall.

He *m.* secondly, Agnes, daughter of Sir William Calverley, knt. of Calverley, by whom he had issue,

Isabel, *m.* John Haythorp, esq. of Chester in the Street.
Grace, *m.* Thomas Sothaby, esq. of Pocklington.
Frances, *m.* first, Anthony Fawkes, esq.; secondly, Peter Bainbridge,

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esq.; and, thirdly, William Pulleyn, esq. of Scotton.

Ann, *m.* first, Thomas Pulleyne, esq.; and, secondly, Peter Danby, esq.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

MARMADUKE VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston. This gentleman *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir William Middleton, knt. of Stockeld, and left a son, his successor,

WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston and Newton, who *m.* first, Alice, daughter of Richard Pavor, esq. of Brayme, by whom he had one son and a daughter, viz.

MAUGER, his heir.

Agnes, *m.* first, John Pulleyne, esq. of Killinghall; and, secondly, Edmund Parkinson, esq.

He *m.* 2ndly, Elizabeth, dau. and eventually co-heir of Sir Leonard Beckwith, knt. by whom he had another daughter,

Frances, *m.* Sir Henry Slingsby, knt. He *m.* thirdly, Margaret, daughter of Walter Walshe, esq. of Shelsden Abberley, in the county of Worcester, by whom he likewise had issue. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR MAUGER VAVASOUR, knt. who *m.* Joan, daughter of John Savile, esq. of Stanley, by whom he had,

WILLIAM.

Mary, *m.* Stephen Hammerton, esq. of Hellifield Peel, in Craven.

Frances, *m.* Edmund Cloughe, esq. of Thorpe Stapylton, near Leeds.

Sir Mauger was a justice of the peace in the 44th Elizabeth. He was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston. This gentleman *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Francis Vaughan, esq. of Sutton upon Derwent, and had issue,

Mauger, *m.* Frances, daughter and co-heir of Piers Leghe, esq. son of Sir Peter Leghe, of Lyme, in Cheshire, but died in the lifetime of his father, without issue.

THOMAS, successor to his father.

He *m.* secondly, Anne, daughter and heir of Richard Tolson, esq. of Cockermouth, in the county of Cumberland, and widow of the Honorable Edward Savile, second son of John Lord Savile, but had no issue. He was *s.* by his second and only surviving son,

THOMAS VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Richard Norton, esq by whom he had no surviving issue. He espoused, secondly, Dorothy, daughter of John Braddyle, esq. of Portfield, county of Lancaster, and had a son, MAUGER, his successor. Mr. Vavasour wedded, thirdly, a daughter of John Roodes, esq. of Ribchester, county of Lancaster; and, fourthly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Alexander Barlow, of Barlow, near Manchester, by whom he had also issue. He was *s.* by his son,

MAUGER VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston. This gentleman *m.* Frances, daughter of Peter Vavasour, esq. of Spaldington, by whom he had Susanna and a son, his successor,

WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Fawkes, esq. of Farnley, in the county of York, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston. This gentleman *m.* Anne, daughter of John Chaplin, esq. of Tathwell, in the county of Lincoln, by whom (who *d.* 11th March, 1783), he had issue,

WALTER, his heir.

John, killed by a fall from his horse at Apperby Bridge, 15th November, 1777, leaving no issue.

Charles, *d.* unmarried.

Mary, *m.* Captain William Candler, of the 10th regiment of foot, second son of Henry Candler, D.D. Archdeacon of Ossory, and grandson of Thomas Candler, esq. of Callan Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, in the kingdom of Ireland, by whom she left issue.

Mr. Vavasour was *s.* by his eldest son,

WALTER VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston, who *m.* 8th July, 1761, Ellen, daughter of Edward Elmsall, esq. of Thornhill,

WALTER-AYSCOUGH-FAWKES.

EDWARD-ELMSALL, *s.* his brother.

WILLIAM.

Ellen, *m.* at Thornhill, 24th Nov. 1787, to the Rev. John Carter, of Lincoln, and *d.* in 1815, leaving issue,

William Carter.

Anne Carter, *m.* to the Rev. Mr. Beckwith.

He *d.* in 1780, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WALTER-ASCOUGH-FAWKES VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston, a minor, who *d.* unmarried at Weston, the 28th March, 1787, and was *s.* by his next brother,

EDWARD-ELMSALL VAVASOUR, esq. of Wes-

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ton, *m.* Anne, daughter of Robert Sutton, esq. of Scofton, in the county of Nottingham, (who *m.* secondly, the Rev. John Chaloner, of Newton Kyme, Yorkshire), by whom he had no issue. He was *s.* by his brother,

WILLIAM VAVASOUR, esq. of Weston, the last male descendant of the ancient house of Vavasour.

Arms—Quarterly; for VAVASOR, first and fourth, a fesse dancettée sa.: for STOPHAM, second and third, arg. a bend sa.

Crest—A cock gu. crested or.

Seat—Weston Hall, Yorkshire.

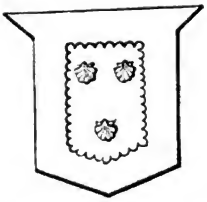
STRICKLAND, OF SIZERGH.

STRICKLAND, THOMAS, esq. of Sizergh, in the county of Westmorland, *b.* 15th March, 1790; *m.* in November, 1824, Mademoiselle Ida de Finguerlin Bisahengen, youngest daughter of the Baron Finguerlin Bisahengen, and has a son and heir,

WALTER, *b.* at Paris, 5th September, 1825.

Mr. Strickland inherited the estates upon the demise of his father.

Lineage.



We shall begin the detail of this ancient family with an extract from Nicholson and Burn's History of the Antiquities of Westmorland and Cumberland.

"In Helsington there hath been a family at Sizergh Hall, much more ancient than any of the names of Bindlow or Bellingham, as lords of the manor. Which family came from Strickland, (or rather Stirkland,) which was the pasture ground of the young cattle (called stirks or steers) in the parish of Morland, in this county, in which part they had considerable possessions, as well as at Sizergh and other adjacent places, generally holden under the barons of Kendal. It is somewhat extraordinary, that amongst the pedigrees of almost all the other ancient families in this county we have met with no satisfactory account of this family; but the indulgence of the late worthy owner of Sizergh Hall, Charles Strickland, esq. we have been enabled to make out a regular and authentic deduction of this family from the clearest and most undeniable evidence, viz. the family writings."

The first of the name of Strickland met with is in the reign of *King* JOHN, when Gilbert Fitz Reinfred having been compelled, on account of his involvement with the rebellious barons, to give hostages for his future conduct, which hostages were the sons, daughters, and heirs of the principal mense lords holding under the barons of Kendal, amongst whom was the son and heir of SIR WALTER DE STIRKLAND. In the time of Hugh, bishop of Carlisle, who came to the see towards the beginning of the reign of *King* HENRY III., this Sir Walter had license to keep a domestic chaplain in his family, within the parish of Morland, so as it should be of no prejudice to the mother church. Sir Walter Stirkland granted to the church of St. Mary's, York, and to the prior and monks of Wederhal (which was a cell of the said abbey) four acres of land, in the territory of Stirkland moulter free.

The son of this Sir Walter was

ADAM DE STIRKLAND, whose son,

SIR ROBERT DE STIRKLAND, granted by deed, dated at his manor of Great Stirkland, on the eve of St. John the Baptist, 23rd HENRY III. to William his son, and Elizabeth,

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daughter of Sir Ralph Deincourt, knt. on their marriage, his whole manor of Great Strickland. This Sir Ralph Deincourt had an only son, Ralph, at whose decease, without issue, the inheritance devolved upon the above Elizabeth Stirkland. Sir Robert was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM DE STRIKELAND, who, in the 4th EDWARD I. was under-sheriff of the county of Westmorland. He confirmed in the 20th EDWARD I. the grant made by his great grandfather, to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, and the monks of Wedeshal, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR WALTER DE STRICKLAND, who in the 28th EDWARD I. was with the king at the siege of Carlaverok, and in the 1st and 6th of EDWARD II. was knight of the shire for Westmorland. In the 15th of the same reign, he was appointed sheriff of the county of Westmorland. In two years afterwards he was again knight of the same shire. In the 9th of EDWARD III. Sir Walter obtained a grant to inclose his wood and demesne lands at Sizergh, and to make a park there, and to hold the same so inclosed to him and his heirs for ever.

This Sir Walter, on the marriage of his son, Thomas, with Cecilia, daughter of Robert de Wells, settled the manor of Hackthorp and his lands in Overwinder, &c. on the issue of that marriage, with remainder to John and Ralph, his other two sons. He appears to have had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

John, who was knight of the shire for Westmorland 1st EDWARD III., and to whom Sir Walter granted 7th of the same reign, all his lands of Whenfell, with remainder to his son Thomas.

Ralph.

In the 17th EDWARD III. Sir Walter again represented the county in parliament, and was *s.* upon his demise by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS STRICKLAND, who in the 35th of EDWARD III. obtained a patent empowering him to impark his woods at Helsington, Levesnes, and Hackerthorp, containing three hundred acres, for his good services done in France. In the same year, Katharine de Ross, daughter of Sir Thomas Strickland, and widow of John de Ross, of Kendal Castle, assigns over to her father (Sir Thomas) the ward and marriage of her daughter, Elizabeth de Ross, who was afterwards married, in the 8th RICHARD II., to Sir William del Parr.

In the 36th EDWARD III. there is an indenture of covenant between Sir Thomas Strickland and Ranulph de Dacre, lord of Gillesland, concerning the marriage of Walter, his son and heir, with Margaret de Latham, niece of Ranulph. In four years after, Sir Thomas made a settlement of lands, at Siggeswick and Levens, upon his younger sons, John, Peter, and Thomas, for life, with remainder to his own right heirs. Sir Thomas had a fifth son, William, who was consecrated bishop of Carlisle, 24th August, 1400, and who *d.* at Rome in 1419.

Sir Thomas *d.* in 1377, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR WALTER DE STRICKLAND. This gentleman had no issue by his first wife, Margaret de Latham. He espoused, secondly, Isabella, daughter of John de Olney, which John, in the 5th of RICHARD II., settled upon the issue of that marriage a tenement in London, known by the name of Great Place, situate in the parish of St. Mary-at-Hill. In the 14th of RICHARD II. Sir Walter was escheater for the king on the inquisition post mortem of Thomas de Ross, and, in four years after, was a knight of the shire for Westmorland. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS DE STRICKLAND, who entered into agreement with HENRY V. dated 29th April, 1415, to serve the king in his wars in France during one year, and to him was confided the distinguished honour of bearing the banner of St. George at the ever memorable Battle of Azincourt (See Nicolas' Azincourt, 115-171). In the fifth year of HENRY VI. Sir Thomas entered into articles of agreement with Nicholas de Crofte, esq. wherein both parties become bound under the penalty of £400. for the solemnization of a marriage between Walter Strickland, Sir Thomas's son and heir, with Douce, daughter of the said Nicholas, when he the said Nicholas should attain his fourteenth year.

In the 7th year of Henry VI. Sir Thomas represented the county of Westmorland in parliament.

In the 9th year of the same reign, Sir Thomas went to London, and joined the solemn cavalcade that was to attend the young king to Paris, in order to his coronation.

In the 10th Henry VI. Pope EUGENIUS IV. granted to Sir Thomas, and Mabel, his

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wife, license for a domestic chapel and portable altar, which Bull is yet extant, with the seal of lead very fair, about the breadth and somewhat more than double the thickness of half-a-crown, with a cross on one side, and underneath EVGENIVIS PPIIII. On the reverse, two faces of venerable old men, and above, the letters SPASPE. Sir Thomas was *s.* by his son,

WALTER STRICKLAND, esq. In the 15th Henry VI. this gentleman had a grant of the office of keeper of the park of Calgarth. In the next year the king appointed him receiver general of all his rents in and about Kendal, with a fee of £10 per annum, and 2*s.* per day when upon duty. And afterwards, in lieu of these, the king granted to him the pannager and herbage of the said park, the fishing of Windermere, and all his lands and tenements in the hamlets of Applethwaite and Undermelbeck, for term of life, he paying to the king five marks yearly.

In the 18th of Henry VI. this Walter released to the king the demand of one thousand marks, due to the said Walter, from the crown, for taking of Henry Talbot, a most notorious traitor of our Lord HENRY V. late King of England, by virtue of the proclamation of the said late king; in consideration of the king's granting to him the office of master of the king's dogs called *Heirers.*

Walter Strickland appears to have been a zealous Lancastrian, and of the forces he was enabled to raise, with their proper habiliments, we have a muster roll* yet extant, which seems to have been made out chiefly in respect of the border service.

In the 20th Henry VI. he was knight of the shire for Westmorland, and in seven years afterwards, according to the usage of those times, he was retained by Richard, Earl of Salisbury, to serve him in peace and war. Upon the triumph of the house of York, by the accession of EDWARD IV. we find him obtaining a charter of pardon.

This Walter Strickland had issue,

- THOMAS, *m.* to Agnes Parre, daughter of William Parre, son of Sir Thomas Parre, and his wife Elizabeth, one of the three sisters and co-heirs of Henry, Lord Fitz-Hugh.
- John, knight of the shire for Westmorland, 12th of Edward IV.
- Margaret, *m.* to William, son of Richard Redman, for which marriage a dispensation was obtained from Vincent Clement, the Pope's Nuncio.

Walter was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR THOMAS STRICKLAND, knt. who was *s.* by his son,

WALTER STRICKLAND, esq. who, in the 15th of Henry VII. had a dispensation to marry Elizabeth Salkeld, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WALTER STRICKLAND, knt. This gentleman *m.* first, Agnes, daughter of Richard Redman, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Catharine, daughter and sole heir of Sir Ralph Newell, of Thornton Briggs, in the county of York, by whom he had

- WALTER, his successor,
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir William Strickland, knt. of Boynton, in the county of York.
- Agnes, *m.* to Sir Thomas Curwen, knt. of Workington.

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* The Books of Walter Strykelande, Esquier & depute Steward off Kendal, his servants, tenants, and inhabitants within the Countie of Westmerland of his inheritance thayre.

The HOWSEHOLDE SERVANTS *of the said Walter Strikelande.*

Rowlande Becke, Horse harnes and a bowe
Richard Atkinson, Horse harnes and a Bowe.
(And so, in like manner, nine servants more; with each a Horse harnes and a Bowe.)

NATLAND

Thomas Macareth, horse harnes and a bowe.
Edward Macareth, horse harnes and a bowe.
(with seven more.)

Bylmen within the same

Thomas Waryner, Horse harnes and byll.
Thomas Syll, horse harnes and byll.
(with eleven more.)

Foytmen, with some Harnes, others none:

Thomas Spence; a jak, †a sallet, and a bowe.
Rowlland Myles; harnes, and a bowe.
Hugh Hodson; a bowe.
Bryan Higgyn; a bowe.

Bylls:

Jhon Atkinson, a jake and a Byll.
Nycall Spyght, a sallet & Byll.
Robert Strykland, a sallet & Byll.

Here follow the whole of the men for Natland, amounting to fifty-five, and of each of the other manors, the total making two hundred and ninety men of all arms.

† Helmet of iron.

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Catharine, Lady Strickland survived her husband, and married twice after his decease, first, Henry Brough, esq. and secondly, William Kniut, esq. Sir Walter was *s.* by his son,

WALTER STRICKLAND, esq. of Sizergh, and also of Thornton Briggs, who was a minor at the time of his father's decease, and in ward to the King until the 29th Henry VIII. when he had livery of his lands. In the 5th of Elizabeth he was knight of the shire for the county of Westmorland. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Nicholas Tempest, esq. of Holm, in the county of Durham, by whom (who *m.* after his decease Sir Thomas Boynton) he had issue,

Thomas.
Walter.

This gentleman built one wing of Sizergh, part of the opposite wing, and made many alterations, and put up many of the wainscots and carvings now in the drawing room and other parts. He also placed the arms of *Queen* ELIZABETH in the inner room on the first floor of the tower, commonly called the 'Queen's room.' He *d.* in 1569, and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR THOMAS STRICKLAND, K.B. M.P. for the county of Westmoreland in the 43rd of ELIZABETH, and 1st of *King* JAMES, by whom the day preceding his majesty's coronation he was created a Knight of the Bath. Sir Thomas *m.* Elizabeth Symon, of Bristol, and had a daughter Alice, *m.* to Sir William Webb, knt. equerry to *Prince* HENRY. He *m.* secondly, Margaret, daughter of Sir Nicholas Curwen, knt. of Workington, by whom he had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.
Thomas.
Walter, from whom descended the Stricklands, of Catterick, in Yorkshire.
Dorothy, third wife of John Fleming, esq. of Rydal.
Margaret, second wife of George Preston, esq. of Holker, Lancashire.

He *d.* in 1615, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR ROBERT STRICKLAND, knt. M.P. for the county of Westmorland in the 21st of *King* JAMES I. This gentleman at the commencement of the civil wars, espousing at once the royal cause, obtained, in 1638, a colonel's commission from Lord Wentworth, Lord-Lieutenant of the county of York, to command nine hundred militia in the North Riding for the King's service. And in 1640 he received the King's commission from Algernon, Earl of Northumberland, to regiment, accoutré, and march the same to Newcastle-upon-Tyne. After this he received a third commission, to command a troop of horse, which he himself did command at the battle of Edgehill, while his son, Sir Thomas Strickland, led the regiment of foot. In 1641 he was constituted one of the deputy-lieutenants of the county of York. Sir Thomas *m.* Margaret, eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir William Alford, of Bylton, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS (SIR), his successor.
Walter, *m.* Barbara Belasyes, fourth daughter of the Honourable Henry Belasyes, son and heir of Thomas, Viscount Fauconberg, by whom he had a daughter,
Dorothy, *m.* William Grimston, esq. he *d.* in 1674.
—— a daughter, *m.* to Nicholas Harpur, esq. of London.

Sir Robert had the gratification of witnessing the restoration of the monarchy, and dying in 1670 was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR THOMAS STRICKLAND, knt. who was made a banneret by *King* CHARLES I. in person, in the field at Edgehill, 23rd October, 1642. This gentleman represented the county of Westmorland in 1661. He *m.* first, Jane, daughter and co-heir of John Moseley, esq. of Ulskelfe, in the county of York, by whom he had two surviving daughters,

Alice, *m.* to Sir Walter Blunt, of Soddington and Mauly, in the county of Worcester, but *d.* without issue,
Anne, *m.* to John Middleton, esq. of Stockeld, in the county of York, but *d.* without issue.

Sir Thomas *m.* secondly, Winifred, daughter and heiress of Sir Charles Trentham, knt. of Rocester, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

WALTER, *b.* in May, 1645.
Robert, *d.* unmarried.
Roger, who was page to the Prince of Conti, when he went from France to be elected King of Poland. He *d.* unmarried, in the twenty-fourth year of his age.
Thomas, in holy orders, Bishop of Namur. He was sent ambassador to England by the *Emperor*, CHARLES VI. He *d.* at Namur, in the year

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1743, and was buried in his own cathedral.

Sir Thomas Strickland, who had been privy purse to King Charles II. was one of the privy council to *King* JAMES II. and following the fortunes of that monarch, *d.* in France, 8th January, 1694. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WALTER STRICKLAND, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of Gerard Salvin, esq. of Croxdale, in the county of Durham, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor, *b.* 29th June, 1701.

Gerard, *b.* 30th July, 1704, and *d.* 1st September, 1791. He *m.* first, Miss Mary Bagnal, and had, with two daughters,

Gerard, *b.* 4th October, 1741, *m.* 15th April, 1779, Cecilia, relict of Charles Strickland, esq. of Sizergh, and dying 23rd October, 1795, left issue,

George, *b.* 23rd October, 1780.

Gerard, *b.* 24th February, 1782.

Mr. Gerard Strickland, sen. *m.* secondly, Lady Gascoigne, relict of Sir Edward Gascoigne, bart.

Mary, *d.* at the age of fifteen, unmarried, 8th May, 1717.

Mr. Strickland was *s.* by his elder son,

THOMAS STRICKLAND, esq. who *m.* first, 2nd June, 1728, Mary, daughter of Simon Scroop, esq. of Danby, by whom he had issue,

WALTER, his successor.

William, who embraced a religious life in the Church of Rome (the religion of the family).

Charles.

Mr. Strickland *m.* secondly, Mrs. Archer, widow of John Archer, esq. of Oxenholme, but had no issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WALTER STRICKLAND, esq. This gentleman *m.* 4th June, 1758, Margaret, daughter of Michael James Messenger, esq. of Fountain Abbey, in the county of York, but dying without issue, in 1761, was *s.* by his youngest brother,

CHARLES STRICKLAND, esq. who *m.* 20th April, 1762, Cecilia, only daughter of William Townley, esq. of Townley, in the county of Lancaster (by his wife, Cecilia, daughter and sole surviving heir of Ralph Standish, esq. of Standish, in the same county, and the Lady Philippa Howard, second daughter of Henry, Duke of Norfolk), by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

William.

Charles, *d.* 13th September, 1775.

Mary, *m.* 27th February, 1786, to Edward Stephenson, esq. of Farley Hill, in the county of Berks.

Mr. Strickland *d.* 6th October, 1770, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS STRICKLAND, esq. who likewise, upon the decease of his uncle, Edward Towneley-Standish, of Standish, inherited the Standish estates, and assumed the surname of "STANDISH." He *m.* 24th February, 1789, Anastasia, eldest daughter of Sir John Lawson, bart. of Brough Hall, in the county of York, and had issue,

CHARLES, who inherited the Standish estates, and continued the name of Standish (see vol. ii. p. 64).

THOMAS, of Sizergh.

Anastasia, *b.* 11th May, 1797, and *d.* 22nd November, 1807.

Elizabeth, *b.* 1st March, 1800, and *d.* 17th September, 1813.

Monica, *m.* in December, 1827, to Sir John Gerard, bart. of Bryn.

Catherine, *b.* 16th July, 1807, and *d.* 19th March, 1808.

Mr. Strickland *m.* secondly, Catherine, daughter of Sir Robert Gerard, of Bryn, in the county of Lancaster, but had no other issue. He *d.* 4th Dec. 1813.

Arms—Sa. three escallops within a bordure engrailed arg.

Seat—Sizergh Park, in the county of Westmorland.

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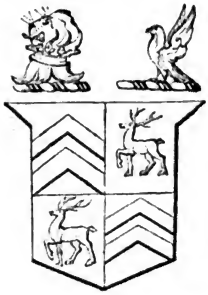
SUMNER, OF HATCHLANDS.

SUMNER-HOLME, GEORGE, esq. of Hatchlands, in the county of Surrey, *b.* 10th November, 1760; *m.* 17th November, 1787, Louisa, daughter of Colonel Charles Pemble, commander in chief of the East India Company's forces, at Bombay, by whom he has had issue, (with two other daughters, who both died in infancy),



GEORGE, who *d.* at Paris in 1817, at the age of 21.

WILLIAM, who *m.* Mary, daughter of J. Barnard Hankey, esq. of Fetcham Park, in the county of Surrey.

Charles-Vernon, in holy orders, rector of Newdigate, Surrey, and of Farnborough, in the county of Hants, who *m.* in June, 1825, Katharine, daughter of William Mason, esq. of Necton Hall, Norfolk.

Sophia, *m.* to Andrew-Henry Thomson, esq. son of John Thomson, esq. of Waverley Abbey, in the county of Surrey.

This gentleman, in consequence of inheriting (in 1794) the Holme property, assumed by sign manual, the additional surname of HOLME. In November, 1786, he was elected M.P. for Ilchester; in 1790, for Guildford; but retired in 1796. In 1806, Mr. Holme-Sumner was again sent to parliament by the borough of Guildford, and in 1807, by the county of Surrey, which he continued to represent until 1826. He subsequently sate for Guildford in 1830. He has been forty years a magistrate for the county of Surrey, and ten years Colonel of the First Royal Surrey Militia.

Lineage.

— SUMNER, esq. a merchant of Bristol, had two sons,

I. —— of whom presently.

II. John, D.D. canon of Windsor, and provost of King's College, Cambridge, who left several sons, two of whom left issue, viz.

1. ROBERT, who *d.* in 1804, leaving JOHN-BIRD SUMNER, D.D. lord bishop of Chester.

   CHARLES-RICHARD SUMNER, D.D. lord bishop of Winchester, who *m.* in 1816, Jane, daughter of J. P. Maunoir, esq. and has issue.

2. Richard, who *m.* Susanna, sister of Lord Gambier, and *d.* in 1778, leaving (with a daughter, who *m.* in 1825, C. Douglas Halford, esq.) a son, the present

   RICHARD SUMNER, esq. of Puttenham Priory, in the county of Surrey, who *m.* in 1819, Fanny, daughter of G. Molineux Montgomerie, esq. of Garboldisham Hall, Norfolk, and has issue.

The elder son,

— SUMNER, esq. of Windsor, was father of WILLIAM-BRIGHTWELL SUMNER, esq. who, in 1768, purchased the estate of Hatchlands. This gentleman went out early to India, whence he returned after twenty-three years spent in the Company's service, intending to settle in his native country; but the affairs of India being in a critical situation, and requiring the superintendence and exertions of its most active and intelligent servants, he was prevailed upon to go back in the year 1763, as first member of the council under Lord Clive, with an appointment to succeed to the governorship-general in case of his lordship's death or return to England. The decline, however, of his health, neces-

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sitated his own return before either of those events took place. He espoused, while in India, Catharine, daughter of JOHN HOLME, esq. of Holme Hill, in the county of Cumberland, and had by her (who *d.* in 1771, and to whom a white marble tablet is erected in the church of East Clandon), a son and successor,

GEORGE, who inherited (as stated above) from his maternal uncle, THOMAS HOLME, esq. of Holme Hill, the property of that family, and is the present representative of the SUMNERS.

William, a banker of London, *b.* 4th August, 1762, and *d.* in 1796.

Catharine, *m.* to James Laurell, esq.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, ermine, two chevrons or for SUMNER. Second and third, arg. a buck trippant gu. for HOLME.

Crests—First, a lion's head erased arg. ducally gorged or, for SUMNER. Second, a hawk, wings elevated, ppr. for HOLME.

Estates—In the parishes of East Clandon, Westhorsley, Ripley, Ockham, Bisley and Chertsey. Hatchland estate purchased from the widow of Admiral Boscawen, in 1768. The other possessions between that period and 1806.

Seat—Hatchlands, in the parish of East Clandon, in the county of Surrey.

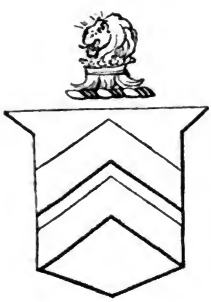
*** It is probable, from the circumstance of bearing the exact same arms, that Mr. Somner, the eminent antiquary, and learned author of "the Antiquities of Canterbury and of the Cinque Ports," was of this family.

SUMNER, OF PUTTENHAM PRIORY.

SUMNER, RICHARD, esq. of Puttenham Priory, in the county of Surrey, *b.* in 1795, *m.* in 1819, Fanny, daughter of G. Molineux Montgomerie, esq. of Garboldisham Hall, in the county of Norfolk, and has, with other issue, a son and heir,

MORTON-CORNISH, *b.* in March, 1825.

Lineage.



For an account of this gentleman's family, refer to *that* of GEORGE HOLME-SUMNER, esq. of Hatchlands, representative of the senior branch of the family.

Arms—Ermines, two chevrons, or.

Crest—A lion's head erased arg. ducally gorged, or.

Estates—In the parishes of Puttenham and Wanborough, first possessed in 1816.

Seat—Puttenham Priory, near Guildford.

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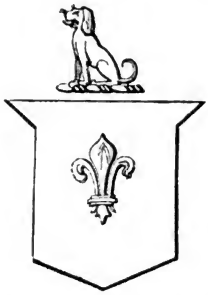
PORTMAN, OF BRYANSTON.

PORTMAN, EDWARD-BERKELEY, esq. of Bryanston, in the county of Dorset, and of Orchard Portman, in Somersetshire, *b.* 9th July, 1799, *m.* 16th June, 1827, Lady Emma Lascelles, third daughter of Henry, present Earl of Harewood, and has issue,

WILLIAM-HENRY-BERKELEY, *b.* 12th July, 1829.
Edwin-Berkeley, *b* 3rd August, 1830.
Lucy-Ella.

Mr. Portman formerly represented the county of Dorset and the borough of Mary-la-bonne in parliament.

Lineage.



FAMILY OF PORTMAN.

The PORTMANS appear to have been of distinction in the county of Somerset, in the reign of EDWARD I. at which period flourished

THOMAS PORTMAN, whose grandfather had borne the arms still used by the family. The lineal descendant of this Thomas,

WILLIAM PORTMAN, settled at Taunton, temp. HENRY IV. and was a munificent benefactor to the priory of that place, where he was interred. His son and successor,

WALTER PORTMAN, espoused Christian, daughter and heiress of William Orchard, of Orchard, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN PORTMAN, of the Middle Temple, who *d.* in 1521, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM PORTMAN, knt. an eminent lawyer, who was appointed sergeant-at-law to King HENRY VIII. afterwards one of the justices of the Court of Common Pleas, and eventually lord chief justice of England, in which elevated station he distinguished himself by displaying a degree of integrity and independence very unusual among the judges of those arbitrary and despotic times. He *d.* in 1555, and was buried in St. Dunstan's Church, London, where a monument was erected to his memory.

SIR HENRY PORTMAN, knt. son and successor of the judge, espoused Joan, daughter of Thomas Michell, esq. and dying in 1590, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN PORTMAN, esq. of Orchard-Portman, who was created a BARONET, 25th November, 1612. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Gifford, knt. and left issue,

1. HENRY (Sir), his successor, who *m.* Lady Anne, Stanley, but *d. s. p.* in 1621.
2. John (Sir), } both *d.* unmarried.
3. Hugh (Sir, }
4. WILLIAM (Sir), eventually inheritor of the baronetcy.
5. Joan, *m.* to George Speke, esq. of Whitelackington, and had a daughter,
   PHILIPPA, *m.* to Edward Berkeley, esq. of Pylle, and the grandson of this marriage,
   WILLIAM BERKELEY, esq. of Pylle, ultimately inherited the estates, and assumed the surname of PORTMAN, only.
6. Anne, *m.* to Sir Edward Seymour, of Bury Pomeroy Castle, and had, with other issue,
   EDWARD (eldest son), from whom EDWARD, present DUKE OF SOMERSET, descends.
   HENRY (fifth son), of whom hereafter, as heir of the Portmans.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Bluet, esq. of Holcombe.
8. Grace, *d.* unmarried.

The baronetcy and representation of the family eventually devolved upon Sir John's fourth son,

SIR WILLIAM PORTMAN, bart. who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John Colles, esq. of Barton, by Elizabeth, daugh-

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ter and sole heiress of Humphrey Wyndham, esq. of Wiveliscombe, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR WILLIAM PORTMAN, bart. who was made a knight of the bath by King CHARLES II. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Cutter, bart. secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Southcote, and thirdly, Mary, daughter and heiress of Sir John Holman, but had no issue. By a release dated 26th February, he devised Orchard-Portman, together with other estates to a large amount, to his cousin,

HENRY SEYMOUR, esq. (refer to issue of ANNE, sixth child of the first baronet) who, upon inheriting, assumed the surname and arms of PORTMAN. He *m.* first, Penelope, daughter of Sir William Haslewood, of Maidwell, and secondly, Meliora, daughter of William Fitch, esq. of High Hall, Dorsetshire, but dying *s. p.* the property devolved by further limitation upon his relative,

WILLIAM BERKELEY, esq. (refer to issue of JOAN fifth child of the first baronet,) who likewise took the name of PORTMAN only. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Edward Seymour, of Bury Pomeroy, and grandaughter of Anne Portman, by whom he had issue,

- HENRY-WILLIAM-BERKELEY, his successor.
- Edward Berkeley, esq. of Pylle, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Ryves, esq. of Ranston, and had two daughters, viz.
  1. Letitia, *m.* to Andrew Napier, esq. of Tintenhall, in the county of Somerset.
  2. Arundell, *m.* to Thomas Troyte, esq. of Huntsham, in the county of Devon.
- Letitia, *m.* to Sir John Burland, knt. L.L.D. one of the barons of the Exchequer, and had a son,
  - John-Berkeley Burland, esq. of Stock House, Dorset.

Mr. Portman was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

HENRY-WILLIAM-BERKELEY PORTMAN, esq. of Orchard Portman, in the county of Somerset, and of Bryanston, in the county of Dorset, who espoused Anne, daughter of William Fitch, esq. of High Hall, and dying in 1761, was *s.* by his son,

HENRY-WILLIAM PORTMAN, esq. of Orchard Portman, and of Bryanston, who inherited the family estates of Pylle, upon the demise of his aunt, Lady Burland. He wedded Anne, daughter of William Wyndham, esq. of Dinton, and had issue,

1. HENRY-BERKELEY, who *m.* Lucy-Elizabeth, daughter of Lord Dormer, and *d.* in 1804, leaving,
   - CHARLOTTE-LUCY, who wedded John, present Earl Poulet, and has issue.
2. EDWARD-BERKELEY, successor to his father.
3. Anne-Mary.
4. Henrietta, *m.* to L. G. D. Tregonwell, esq. of Cranborne, Dorsetshire, and has issue.
5. Wyndham.

The second son and successor,

EDWARD-BERKELEY PORTMAN, esq. of Bryanston, and of Orchard-Portman, *m.* first, Lucy, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Whitby, of Creswell Hall, in Staffordshire, and had issue,

1. EDWARD-BERKELEY, now representative of the family.
2. Henry-William-Berkeley, *b.* 8th May, 1801, who *m.* Harriet-Emily, second daughter of T. L. Napier Sturt, esq.
3. Wyndham-Berkeley, *b.* 4th June, 1804, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of Thomas Thornhill, esq. of Riddlesworth, in Norfolk, and has issue.
4. Fitzhardinge-Berkeley, *b.* 23rd Jan. 1811, a fellow of All-souls.
5. Lucy-Mabella, *m.* to G. Digby-Wingfield, esq.
6. Marianne, *m.* to George Drummond, esq. and has issue.
7. Harriet-Ella, *m.* to W. Stratford-Dugdale, esq. M.P. and has issue.

Mr. Portman espoused secondly, in March, 1816, Mary, eldest daughter of Sir Edward Hulse, bart. of Breamore House, Wilts. He died at Rome, 19th January, 1823, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present EDWARD-BERKELEY PORTMAN.

FAMILY OF BERKELEY.

This is a branch of the very ancient and eminent house of BERKELEY, of BERKELEY CASTLE,* but more immediately connected with the Lords Berkeley, of Stratton.

* For a full account of the early Berkeleys, refer to *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*

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SIR RICHARD BERKELEY, knt. of Stoke Gifford, in the county of Gloucester (descended from Sir Maurice Berkeley, knt. second son of the first LORD BERKELEY, of *Berkeley Castle*), *d.* in 1514, leaving issue by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Humphrey Coningsby, knt, two sons, viz.

JOHN (Sir), of Stoke-Gifford, ancestor to LORD BOTETOURT,

And

SIR MAURICE BERKELEY, K.B. of Bruton, in the county of Somerset, standard-bearer to HENRY VIII. EDWARD VI. and *Queen* ELIZABETH. Of this gentleman it is mentioned, that, in the first year of *Queen* MARY, riding casually in London, he met with Sir Thomas Wiat at Temple Bar, and, persuading him to yield himself to the queen, Sir Thomas took his advice, and, mounting behind Sir Maurice, rode to the court. Sir Maurice *m.* first, Catherine, daughter of William Blount, Lord Mountjoy, and had, with several other children, a son, HENRY, his successor. He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony Sands, esq. by whom he had two sons and a daughter. Sir Maurice was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR HENRY BERKELEY, knt. of Bruton, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Lygon, esq. of the county of Stafford, and had three sons, viz.

1. MAURICE (Sir), from whom derived the VISCOUNTS FITZHARDING, the BARONS BERKELEY, of Stratton, and the gallant EARL OF FALMOUTH.
2. HENRY (Sir), from whom descend the BERKELEYS of Yarlington.
3. EDWARD (Sir), of whom we are about to treat.

The third son,

SIR EDWARD BERKELEY, knt. of Pylle, espoused Margaret, daughter of John Holland, esq. of Sussex (whose ancestor, Thomas Holland, Earl of Kent, *m.* Joan, the Fair Maid of Kent, grandaughter of *King* EDWARD I.) Sir Edward built the mansion house at Pylle, where he resided until his decease, in 1654, when he was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD BERKELEY, esq. of Pylle, who *m.* PHILIPPA, daughter of George Speke, esq. of Whitelackington, by Joan, daughter of SIR JOHN PORTMAN, bart. and dying in 1669, was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD BERKELEY, esq. of Pylle, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Ryves, esq. of Ranston, and had (with another son, who *d. s. p.*)

WILLIAM, who assumed (as stated above) the surname and arms of PORTMAN, upon inheriting the estates of that family.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth or, a fleur-de-lis az. for PORTMAN: second and third, gu. a chev. ermine between ten crosses, pattée, arg. for BERKELEY.

Crest—First, a talbot sejant or, and second, a unicorn gu.

Estates—In the counties of Dorset, Somerset, and Middlesex.

Seats—Bryanston, near Blandford; Orchard-Portman, near Taunton.

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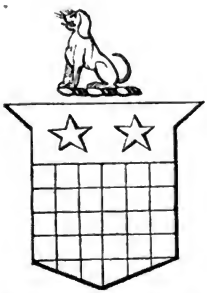
PALMER, OF HOLME PARK.

PALMER, ROBERT, esq. of Holme Park, in the county of Berks, *b.* 31st January, 1793, *s.* to the representation of the family upon the demise of his father in 1806. Mr. Palmer represents the county of Berks in parliament.

Lineage.



This family was settled in the parish of Hurst, in the county of Berks, about the year 1600.

THOMAS PALMER, esq. was *b.* in 1678, and dying in 1762, æt. 84, was buried in the chancel of Hurst church. He left three sons, viz.

1. RICHARD, in holy orders, fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, and rector of Brading in the Isle of Wight, who *d.* unmarried, in 1763.
2. ROBERT, of whom presently.
3. Samuel, who *d.* in 1796, leaving issue.

The second son,

ROBERT PALMER, gent. of Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury-square, attorney-at-law, was for many years agent to his grace the Duke of Bedford. He *m.* first, Miss Le Grys, of Great Yarmouth, in Norfolk, by whom he had several children, who all *d.* young; and, secondly, Miss Charlotta Wakelin, and by her (who *d.* in 1768) he left at his decease, in 1787 (with four daughters), an only son and successor,

RICHARD PALMER, esq. *b.* in 1765, who *m.* in 1791, Jane, eldest daughter of Oldfield Bowles, esq. of North Aston, in the county of Oxford, by whom (who *d.* in 1812) he had eleven children, six of whom, viz. three sons and three daughters, now survive. He *d.* in 1806, and was *s.* by his eldest son, ROBERT PALMER, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Chequez or and sa. on a chief gu. two mullets of the first.

Crest—A talbot sejant, erminois.

Estates—In the parishes of Sonning and Hurst, in the county of Berks.

Seat—Holme Park, near Reading, Berks.

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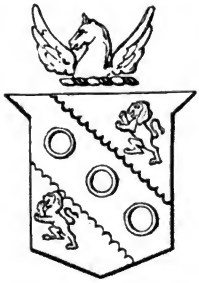
LAMBERT, OF BOYTON.

LAMBERT, AYLMER-BOURKE, esq. of Boyton House, in the county of Wilts, *m.* Catharine, daughter of Richard Bowater, esq. of Witley, in Warwickshire, by whom (who *d.* in 1828) he has no issue. This gentleman, who is grandson and representative of the last VISCOUNT BOURKE of MAYO, has distinguished himself in the literary and scientific world, and has attained great eminence as a botanical collector and writer. He is Vice President of the Linnæan Society, fellow of the Royal Society, fellow of the Antiquarian Society, &c. &c. Mr. Bourke Lambert *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1802.



Lineage.

The family of LAMBERT is supposed to derive from the DE LAMBERTS of France, as both bear the same armorial ensigns.

JOHN LAMBERT, esq. of Kirton, in the county of Lincoln, was father of

RICHARD LAMBERT, esq. of Kirton, whose son,

JOHN LAMBERT, esq. of Kirton, espoused Joane, daughter of — Conye, esq. of the county of Lincoln, and had issue,

- RICHARD, his successor.
- John, who *m.* Caroline, daughter of Humphry Packington, esq. and had several children.
- Thomas, of London.

The eldest son,

RICHARD LAMBERT, esq. purchased, in the year 1572, the estate of Boyton, which has descended in direct lineal heirship to the present proprietor. Mr. Lambert was sheriff of London in 1568, and marrying Alice, daughter of Humphry Packington, esq. had issue,

- EDWARD, his successor.
- Richard, of Sherrington.
- William, of London, *d. s. p.*
- Edward, of London, *d. s. p.*
- Giles, of Oxnead.
- Elizabeth.
- Jane, *m.* to J. Jackman, esq.
- Mary.

Mr. Lambert was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

EDWARD LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Edward Jackman, esq. of Hornchurch, and had issue,

- EDWARD, his successor.
- THOMAS, who continued the line of the family.
- Edmund.
- John.
- Richard.
- Bridget, *m.* to Henry Barnes, esq.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to C. Eyres, esq.
- Alice, *m.* to G. Hussey, esq.
- Anne, *m.* to Sir G. Lambe.
- Martha.
- Jane, *m.* to A. Arney, esq.
- Constance.
- Rebecca.
- Mary, *m.* to — Poulton, esq.

Mr. Lambert dying in 1608, was buried at Oxnead, in the county of Norfolk, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWARD LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, who *m.* Dulcibella, daughter of William Swaine, esq. of Gunville, in Dorsetshire, and had two daughters, who were both married. Dying thus in 1612, without male issue, the family estates devolved upon his next brother,

THOMAS LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton. This gentleman rebuilt, in the year 1618, the mansion-house at Boyton. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Walter Dunche, esq. of Averbury, and had issue,

- EDMUND, his successor.
- Thomas, in holy orders, D.D. arch-

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deacon of Sarum, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Thomas Benett, esq. of Norton Bavant, and had a son, Thomas. He espoused, secondly, Anne, widow of William Hearst, M.D. of Sarum.

William.
John, *d.* without issue.
Walter, of Sherrington.
Mary, *m.* to J. Bailey, esq.

The eldest son,

EDMUND LAMBERT, esq. of Keevil, espoused a daughter of Robert Cole, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Elizabeth, who *m.* William Brouncker, esq. of Earl Stoke, grandson to Sir Henry Brouncker, knt. of Melksam, and nearly related to Sir William Brouncker, knt. Viscount Brouncker.

He *d.* in 1643, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, *m.* Eleanor, dau. of Edward Topp, esq. and had

1. EDMUND, his successor.
2. Thomas, in holy orders, M.A. rector of Boyton and Sherrington, who *m.* Jane, dau. of Sir Henry Coker, knt. and left Jane, *m.* to the Rev. R. Head, and Eleanora, *m.* to John Mervin, esq. whose dau. and co-heir Nelly, *m.* William White, esq. and was mother of the present WILLIAM LAMBERT WHITE, esq. of Yeovil.
3. Edward, M.A. rector of Orcheston, St. George, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John St. Barbe, esq. of Salisbury, and had issue,

   EDMUND, of Bagshot, who afterwards succeeded at Boyton.
   Edward, of the Middle Temple, and of New Sarum, who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Norris, esq. of Nonsuch, and had, with two daughters, two sons, viz.

      Edmund, of Bromham, a colonel in the East India Company's service, who left at his decease, in 1808, two sons, Edmund and Edward.
      Edward, rector of Freshfod.

4. Eleanor, *m.* to Richard Stokes, esq.
5. Anne, *m.* to Samuel Stokes, esq.
6. Deborah, *m.* to — Kelly, esq.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* to — Mills, esq.

Mr. Lambert was *s.* at his decease, in 1692, by his eldest son,

EDMUND LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, who represented the borough of New Sarum in parliament. This gentleman espoused Sarah, daughter and heiress of Peter Blake, esq. of Andover, but dying without issue, in 1733, the family possessions passed to his nephew,

EDMUND LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, who *m.* Anne ——, and had issue,

EDMUND, his successor.
William, chief of Dacca, *m.* Lady Hope, but *d. s. p.*
Edward, R.N.
Richard, *d.* young.
Sarah, *m.* to the Rev. James Verney, of Gloucester.
Anne, *m.* to — Scroop, esq. of Castlecoombe.
Mary, } *d. s. p.*
Mary, }

The eldest son,

EDMUND LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, *m.* first, the Hon. BRIDGET BOURKE, daughter and heiress of John, VISCOUNT BOURKE, of MAYO, (see article of BOURKE, *Viscounts Mayo*, at foot), by whom he had an only son,

AYLMER-BOURKE, present proprietor.

He espoused, secondly, Bridget, daughter of Henry Seymer, esq. of Hanford, in the county of Dorset, and had issue,

Anne-Elizabeth, *d.* young.
Lucy, *m.* to John Benett, esq. of Pyt House, M.P. for the county of Wilts. and has issue, (see family of BENETT).

Mr. Lambert dying in 1802, was *s.* by his only son, AYLMER-BOURKE LAMBERT, esq.

FAMILY OF BOURKE.

VISCOUNTS BOURKE, OF MAYO.

SIR RICHARD BOURKE, a distinguished member of the ancient and illustrious family of Bourke, espousing Granna, daughter of Owen O'Maly, of the Owles, an Irish chief, had, with other issue, a son and successor,

SIR THEOBALD BOURKE, knt. who represented, in 1613, the county of Mayo in parliament, and being possessed of a large estate, and distinguished for his eminent attachment to the crown, was advanced by *King* CHARLES I. in 1626, to the dignity of VISCOUNT BOURKE, of MAYO. He *m* Maud,

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daughter of Charles O'Conor, esq. and had issue,

Miles (Sir), his successor.

David, *d. s. p.*

Theobald (surnamed the *Strong*), of Cloghan, in the county of Mayo, who *d.* in 1654, leaving issue.

Rickard (surnamed *Iron Dick*), who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas MacMahon, of Ennismore, in the county of Clare, and had issue.

Mary, *m.* to the O'Conor Don.

Honora, *m.* first, to Murrogh O'Flaherty, esq. of Aghnamurra, in the county of Galway; and, secondly, to Ulick Bourke, esq. of Castle Hacket.

Margaret, *m.* to Theobald Bourke, esq. of Turlough.

His lordship *d.* 18th June, 1629, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir Miles Bourke, second viscount, who took his seat in parliament 4th November, 1634. His lordship *m.* first, Honora, daughter of Sir John Bourke, of Derrymaclaghtny, in the county of Galway, by the Lady Margaret Bourke, daughter of Ulick, third Earl of Clanricarde, and had, with other issue,

Theobald (Sir), his successor.

The viscount espoused, secondly, Miss Freake, and dying before 1649, was *s.* by his son,

Sir Theobald Bourke, third viscount, who was educated in the university of Oxford, under the great Archbishop Laud. His lordship was accused by the high court of justice, in the time of the commonwealth, of having taken part in the massacre at Shrule, and, being found guilty, was shot at Galway 15th December, 1652. He *m.* first, Eleanor, daughter of — Talbot, esq. of the county of York, and had issue,

Theobald (Sir), his successor.

Miles, who inherited, as fifth viscount.

Maud, *m.* to Colonel John Brown, of Westport, and the great-great-great grandson of this marriage is the present

Howe-Peter-Browne, Marquess of Sligo. (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

Margaret, *m.* Sir Henry Lynch, and *d. s. p.*

His lordship espoused, secondly, Eleanor, daughter of Sir Luke Fitzgerald, of Tucroghan, in the county of Meath, by whom he had a son, Luke, who *d.* in infancy. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir Theobald Bourke, fourth viscount, who obtained, after the restoration of the king, a regrant of his estate, consisting of 50,000 acres of land and five manors, in the county of Mayo. His lordship *m.* first, Eleanor, daughter of Sir Arthur Loftus, of Rathfarnham, knt.; and, secondly, Anne, Lady Owens; but dying in 1676, issueless, the honors devolved upon his next brother,

Miles Bourke, fifth viscount, who *m.* Jane, youngest daughter of Francis, Lord Athenry, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1681, by his only child,

Theobald Bourke, sixth viscount, who *m.* first, his cousin Mary, youngest daughter of John Browne, esq. of Westport by whom he had issue,

Theobald, his successor.

Miles, *d.* young.

John, who inherited as eighth viscount.

Joan, *m.* to Murrough-Morgan O'Flaherty, esq. of Lemonfield, in the county of Galway, and had five sons and one daughter, viz.

1. Brian, *d.* in 1750.
2. John (Sir), who *m.* Miss Royse, of the county of Limerick, and had Thomas and Anabella.
3. Thomas, who *m.* Susanna Bourke, of the county of Galway, and had a son, John Bourke O'Flaherty, LL.D. and M.P. for Callan.
4. Patrick.
5. Michael.
6. Mabel, *m.* to Captain William Patterson.

Elizabeth, abbess of Channel Row Nunnery, Dublin.

Mary, *d.* young.

Bridget, *m.* to John Gunning, esq. of Castle Coote, in the county of Roscommon, and had one son and four daughters, viz.

1. John (Sir).
2. Mary, *m.* to George-William, Earl of Coventry.
3. Elizabeth, *m.* first, to James, Duke of Hamilton; and secondly, to Colonel John Campbell, who afterwards became Duke of Argyll.
4. Catharine.
5. Lissy, *d.* young.

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His lordship *m.* secondly, Margaret, eldest daughter of Bryan Gunning, esq. of Castle Coote, but had no further issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR THEOBALD BOURKE, seventh viscount, who took his seat in parliament in 1741. His lordship *m.* in 1726, Ellis, elder daughter of James Agar, esq. of Gowran, in the county of Kilkenny, by whom (who was created in 1758, COUNTESS OF BRANDON) he had two sons, who both died young, when the family titles and estates devolved upon his lordship's only brother,

JOHN BOURKE, eighth viscount, who took his seat in parliament in 1743. His lordship *m.* Catharine, daughter and heiress of Major Whitgift Aylmer (a descendant of Dr. John Whitgift, archbishop of Canterbury, temp. *Queen* ELIZABETH), by whom (who remarried in 1770, Edmond Jordan, esq. of Legan, in the county of Mayo) he had issue,

AYLMER, *b.* 17th November, 1743, who *d.* at an early age.

BRIDGET, sole surviving child and heir, who *m.* EDMUND LAMBERT, esq. of Boyton, and had an only son, AYLMER-BOURKE LAMBERT, now representative of the BOURKES, VISCOUNTS BOURKE, *of Mayo.*

Arms—Arg. on a bend engrailé two lions rampant sa. three annul for LAMBERT, quartering the ensi Viscounts Bourke, of Mayo, viz. fess or and ermine, a cross gu. quarter charged with a lion rampa the second with a dexter hand, couped at the wrist and erect, gu.

Crest—A demi-pegasus, with wings expanded, ermine.

Estates—Boyton, Corton, and Sherrington, in the county of Wilts.

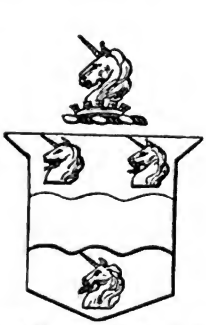
Town Residence—Lower Grosvenor-street.

Seat—Boyton House, Wilts.

WILKINSON, OF COXHOE.

WILKINSON, ANTHONY, esq. of Coxhoe, in the county of Durham, succeeded his father in November, 1825.

Lineage.



WILLIAM WILKINSON, esq. of Crossgate, in the county of Durham, youngest son of Richard Wilkinson, of the same place, *d.* in 1717, leaving surviving issue, four sons and two daughters, viz.

1. THOMAS, of the city of Durham, barrister-at-law, *m.* 17th December, 1717, Mary, daughter and heir of William Featherstonhalgh, esq. of Brancepeth and Stanley, by whom he had an only daughter,

   MARY, *b.* 27th December, 1718, *d.* 2nd February, 1720.

   He *d.* 20th February, 1733, and his widow espoused Sir William Williamson, bart. of Monk-Wearmouth, in the county of Durham.

2. Joh, of Elvet, *d.* in 1734, *s. p.*
3. ANTHONY.
4. Richard, who *m.* first, Frances ——, and had issue,

   Thomas, who *d. s. p.* in his father's lifetime.

   Richard, *m.* to Elizabeth, daughter of Christopher Mickleton, of Durham, gent. and left an only daughter,

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FRANCES, heir to her grandfather, but *d. s. p.*

Elizabeth.

He wedded secondly, Hannah Richardson, relict of Anthony Sutton, of Gateshead, merchant, but had no other issue. He *d.* 10th March, 1758.

5. Elizabeth, *m.* 3rd September, 1692, to John Trotter, esq. of Morton Hall, Mid Lothian.
6. Eleanor.

The second surviving son,

ANTHONY WILKINSON, esq. of Crossgate, a justice of the peace for the county of Durham, baptized 19th September, 1684, *m.* Deborah, daughter and co-heir of Gilbert, Machon, esq. and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Thomas, sometime of Kingston-upon-Hull, merchant, afterwards of Brancepeth, *m.* in 1757, Jane, daughter of Richard Williamson, of Kirk-Ella, near Kingston-upon-Hull, merchant, and had four daughters, viz.

1. Deborah, *m.* to Calverley Bewicke, esq. of Close House, in Northumberland, and *d. s. p.*
2. Anne, *m.* to William Watson Bolton, of Kingston-upon-Hull, surgeon.
3. Jane, *m.* to Fewster Johnson, esq. of Ebhester Hill, in Durham.
4. Maria-Isabella.

Gilbert, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant, afterwards of Brancepeth, *m.* Jane, only daughter of Hauxley Surtees, of the same place and profession, and had an only child, Anthony, who *d.* in infancy.

Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Wharton, of Old Park, M.D.

Isabel, *m.* to John Richardson, esq. of Framwellgate.

Anne, *m.* to Timothy Hutchinson, esq. of Eglestone.

Deborah, *m.* to William Reed, esq. of Sand Hutton, in the county of York.

Elizabeth, *m.* first, to George Mowbray, esq. of Ford, in Cheshire, and secondly, to John Goodchild, esq. of Pallion, in the same county. She *d.* in 1828.

Mr. Wilkinson *d.* in 1758, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM WILKINSON, esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, who served the office of sheriff of the county of Northumberland in 1757. He *m.* Philadelphia, daughter and, eventually, sole heiress of Thomas Clennel, esq. of Clennel, in Northumberland, and had issue,

1. ANTHONY, his successor.
2. THOMAS, who succeeded his brother.
3. Richard of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, *d. s. p.*
4. Wilfred, an officer in the army, *d.* in America.
5. William, a general in the army, and colonel of the 30th regiment of foot.
6. John, sometime of Gray's Inn, afterwards of Hoppiland, in the county of Durham, who *d.* in 1816.
7. Percival, *m.* and had issue.
8. Philadelphia, *m.* to the Rev. Hugh Hodgson, of Eglingham, in Northumberland, and is deceased.
9. Dorothy, *m.* to Henry Collingwood, esq. of Lilburne Tower, in Northumberland (his second wife).

Mr. Wikinson *d.* 14th October, 1768, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ANTHONY WILKINSON, esq. who *d.* unmarried, and was *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS WILKINSON, esq. This gentleman espoused Hannah-Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Robert Spearman, esq. of Oldacres, in the county palatine of Durham, by whom (who *d.* 27th April, 1831) he had issue,

1. ANTHONY, his successor.
2. Clennell.
3. Perceval-Spearman, in holy orders, *m.* in 1817, to Sophia, only child of P. J. Anstruther, esq. (who was the only son of Lieutenant-general Anstruther), and has issue,
   - Perceval-Spearman.
   - Thomas-William.
   - Clennell.
   - Sophia-Elizabeth.
   - Hannah-Harriet.
   - Mary-Anstruther.
   - Isabella-Christiana-Jane.
4. Wilfred, of the R. N. *d.* in the West Indies.
5. Elizabeth-Philadelphia, *m.* in 1816, to Calverly-Bewicke Bewicke, esq. of Close House, Northumberland, and has issue.
6. Hannah-Isabella, *m.* to Warren Maude, esq. of Green Bank, Durham, and has issue.

Mr. Wilkinson *d.* in November, 1825, and

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was *s.* by his eldest son, the present ANTHONY WILKINSON, esq. of Coxhoe.

Arms—Gules, a fessy wavy, between three unicorns' heads ar.

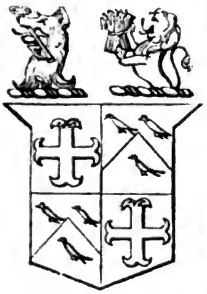
Crest—Out of a mural coronet gu. a unicorn's head, ar.

Estates—Hulam, Coxhoe, Edderacres, Sheraton, and the Granges, Hurworth Bryan, White Hurworth, Langdale, Stanley, Holmside, Tursdale, Whitton, Brafferton, Woodham Burn, Rushyford and Stobbalee, in the county palatine of Durham.

Seat—Coxhoe.

PLUMER-WARD, OF GILSTON.

WARD-PLUMER, ROBERT, esq. of Gilston Park, in the county of Herts, *b.* 19th March, 1765, *m.* first, 2nd April, 1796, Catherine-Julia, daughter of C. J. Maling, esq. of Hilton, Durham, (and sister of Admiral Maling, and of the Countess Dowager of Mulgrave) by whom he has issue,



HENRY-GEORGE, late minister plenipotentiary for acknowledging the Mexican Republic, *m.* Emily, second daughter of Sir John Swinburne,* bart. of Capheaton, and has (with four daughters) two sons, viz.

1. Dudley.
2. Swinburne.

Anne.

Mr. Ward *m.* 2ndly, 16th July, 1828, Jane, relict first of Wm. Plumer, esq. of Gilston Park, and secondly, of Richard John Lewin, esq. R.N. and daughter of the Hon. and Rev. George Hamilton, son of James, 7th Earl of Abercorn (by his countess, Anne, dau. of Colonel John Plumer, M.P. for Herts, 1680.) In consequence of this alliance and his marriage settlement, Mr. Ward assumed by sign manual, the additional surname and arms of PLUMER. Mrs. Plumer-Ward dying in 1831, Mr. Ward *m.* 3rdly, Mary-Anne, widow of the Rev. Charles Gregory O'Keover, and dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Sir George Anson, G.C.B. He was educated at Christ Church, Oxford; called to the bar, and appointed in 1805, one of the Welsh judges, but retired from the profession to become Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. He was afterwards, from 1807 to 1811, a Lord of the Admiralty; Clerk of the Ordnance from 1811 to 1823; and finally Auditor of the Civil List, until the abolition of that office in 1831.

Mr. Plumer-Ward was High Sheriff for the county of Herts in 1832. He is distinguished in the literary world as the author of the History of the Law of Nations, and of TREMAINE, DE VERE, &c. &c.

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* The eminent house of SWINBURNE is amongst the most ancient in the kingdom deriving from the flower of the nobility of Europe, and bearing no less than eighty-six quarterings in its shield. It enumerates as lineal progenitors, the early kings of France, many emperors, dukes of Normandy, the Plantagenets, kings of England, the Percies, (including HOTSPUR) the Nevilles, all the Greys, the Willoughbys D'Eresby, the Warrens, Howards, Cliffords, Vescis, Mortimers, Fitzhughs, Fitzalans, Fitzwalters, Ratcliffs; the Bohuns, Vauxes, Dacres of the North, Widvilles, De Ross, De la Poles, Mowbrays, Beauchamps, &c. &c. Of the twenty-five barons who wrenched MAGNA CHARTA from JOHN, it is a fact worthy of observation, that eighteen were direct ancestors of the Swinburnes.

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Lineage.

This branch of the family of WARD has long borne the same ARMS as the noble house of WARD, *Viscounts Bangor*, as SETH WARD, *Bishop of Salisbury*, in the time of CHARLES II., as Chief-baron SIR EDWARD WARD, as the WARDS of Pomfret, and as JOHN WARD of Squirries, Kent; but nothing positive has, as yet, been ascertained regarding its foundation, prior to the year 1704, owing to the fact of

JOHN WARD, esq. having died in the garrison of Gibraltar, where he had previously served at the taking of that celebrated fortress, under Admiral Rook and the Prince of Hesse. He left an only son, an infant, under guardianship,

JOHN WARD, esq. born in the garrison, and who resided almost all his life in Spain. He was a merchant there, and only settled in England in 1782, having previously espoused a Spanish lady, by whom he had issue,

1. GEORGE, of Northwood Park, in the Isle of Wight, a merchant of great eminence in the city of London, who *m.* Miss Mary Woolfell, and had the following children, viz.
   - GEORGE, of Northwood Park, *m.* Mary, daughter of Dr. Saunders
   - William, a director of the bank, and late member of parliament for the city of London, *m.* Emily, dau. of Hervey Combe, esq. an alderman, and M.P. for the city of London.
   - Henry, *m.* Harriet, daughter of R. Davies, esq. director of the East India Company.
   - John, *m.* Miss Grace Lind, of Ireland.
   - Henry, in holy orders, *m.* Miss Harriet Seymour, niece of Horace, Lord Rivers.
   - Richard, a lieutenant in the 7th hussars.
   - Emma.
   - Frances.
   - Charlotte.
   - Harriet, *m.* to J. Beckford, esq. a commander in the R.N. cousin of Lord Rivers.
   - Honora.
2. ROBERT, of Gilston Park.
3. Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.
4. Charity, *m.* to William Saunders, M.D.

FAMILY OF PLUMER.

The PLUMERS came from Old Windsor, about the year 1660, upon acquiring Gilston and Blakesware in Hertfordshire. Traditionally they derive from a Saxon knight, but the pedigree in the herald's college dates only from the time of ELIZABETH, at which period they were a family of great opulence. In 1680, Walter Plumer was created a baronet, but the title is now extinct.

COLONEL JOHN PLUMER, of Blakesware, in the county of Hertford, M.P. for that shire, espoused, in 1680, Mary Hale, of the Hertfordshire family, of King's Walden, and his eldest daughter,

ANNE PLUMER, *m.* James Hamilton, seventh Earl of Abercorn, by whom she had, with other children,

- JAMES HAMILTON, who succeeded as eighth Earl of Abercorn.
- John Hamilton, father of
  - JOHN-JAMES HAMILTON, who inherited as ninth earl, and was created Marquess of Abercorn. His lordship was *s.* at his decease, in 1818, by his grandson,
    - JAMES, present MARQUESS OF ABERCORN.
- GEORGE HAMILTON, in holy orders, one of the canons of Windsor, rector of Taplow, and vicar of Bray, in Bucks, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Lieutenant-general Richard Onslow, and left, with other issue, at his decease, in 1787,
  - JANE HAMILTON, who espoused first, William Plumer, esq. of Gilston Park, forty years member of parliament for the county of Hertford. This gentleman, no MALE PLUMER being then left, named his wife sole heiress to his estates, and she inherited accordingly at his decease. Mrs. Plumer *m.* 2ndly, Richard John Lewin, esq. R.N. and 3rdly, ROBERT WARD, esq. who assumed the surname and arms of PLUMER, and is the present Mr. PLUMER-WARD.

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Arms—Quarterly: first and fourth, az. a cross moline or, in the dexter and sinister points in chief, a key and an anchor respectively, for WARD. Second and third party per chevron fleury, counter-fleury, gules and arg. three martlets, counter-charged, for PLUMER.

Crests—For WARD, a wolf's head erased and langued ppr. holding a large key in the mouth. For PLUMER, a demi-lion, gules, his paw holding a garb, or.

Estates—Estate and manor of Chesham-Woburn, in the county of Bucks; manors of Gilston Overhall, Netherhall, Eastwick, and Standon lordship, Standon friary, and Standon street, in the county of Herts; Blakesware, in the same shire, and seven manors appendant to Cheston Hall, Suffolk advowsons of Stanton and Eastwick, Herts; Halesworth, Suffolk, and North Weald, Essex.

Town Residence—Cavendish-square.

Seats—Gilston Park, and Standon Lordship, Herts; Chesham-Woburn Hall, Bucks, and Cheston Hall, Suffolk.

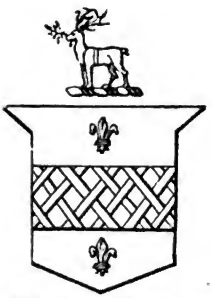
LEYCESTER, OF TOFT.

LEYCESTER, RALPH, esq. of Toft Hall, in the county of Chester, *b.* 1764, *m.* Susanna, eldest daughter of the Rev. Egerton Leigh, of the family of High-Leigh, and has issue,

RALPH-GERARD, *b.* 11th October, 1817.
Charlotte.
Emma-Theodosia.
Laura-Susanna.

Mr. Leycester formerly represented Shaftesbury in parliament.

Lineage.



RALPH LEYCESTER, younger brother of John Leycester, of Tabley, espoused Joan, daughter and heiress of Robert Toft, of Toft, and dying temp. RICHARD II. was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT LEYCESTER, who had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

Randle, who *m.* Isabel, daughter and co-heir of David Crew, of Pulcroft, and from this alliance descended the LEYCESTERS of POOLE, which continued to reside there until RICHARD LEYCESTER, mayor of Chester, having no issue, gave all his lands in Poole to Sir Henry Delves, bart. of Dodington, in marriage with Mary Leycester, his niece.

John, living in the reign of HENRY IV. Robert Leycester was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT LEYCESTER, of Toft, the first of this family apparently in possession of that estate. He *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heir of Ralph Booth, younger son of Sir Robert Booth, of Dunham Massy, and had, with other issue, a son and heir,

RALPH, who *m.* Agnes, daughter of Robert Ratcliffe, and predeceasing his father, left two sons,

JOHN, successor to his grandfather.
James.

Robert Leycester was *s.* at his decease by his grandson,

JOHN LEYCESTER, of Toft, who *m.* Elinour, one of the ten daughters and co-heirs of Sir James Harrington, of Wolfage, in

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the county of Northampton, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RALPH LEYCESTER, of Toft, who *m.* in 1489, Ellen, daughter of Ralph Egerton, of Ridley, in Cheshire, by whom (who espoused after his decease Robert Honford, of Chorley) he had a son and successor,

SIR RALPH LEYCESTER, of Toft, who received the honour of knighthood at Leith, in Scotland, 11th May, 1544, at which time the Earl of Hertford, being then general, knighted several Cheshire gentlemen. Sir Ralph *m.* first, Ellen, daughter of Philip Legh, of Boothes, and had issue,

- Ralph, who *d.* young.
- WILLIAM, his successor.
- Laurence, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Warburton, of Bromfield.
- John, *d. s. p.*
- Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Sir Randle Manwaring, of Over Pever; and, secondly, to Sir Edmond Trafford, of Trafford.
- Anne, *m.* to Philip Manwaring, brother and heir to Sir Randle.
- Ellen, *d.* young.
- Mary, *m.* to Hugh Calverley, of Lea, in Cheshire.

Sir Ralph espoused, secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir John Calverley, of Lea, and relict of John Edwards, of Chirk, in Denbighshire, but had no further issue. He *d.* 23rd February, 1572, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM LEYCESTER, of Toft, who *m.* first, Katharine, daughter of John Edwards, esq. of Chirk, and had issue,

- RALPH, predeceased his father, *s. p.*
- GEORGE, his successor.
- Jane, *m.* to Henry Davenport, of Chorley.
- Anne, Ellen, Parnell, } who all *d.* unmarried.
- Mary, *m.* first, to Rowland Huntington; secondly, to David Middleton, of Chester; and, thirdly, to George Calverley.

He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Worlseley, of Boothe, in Lancashire. This William sold all his portion of Bucklesworth, in Northamptonshire, to Thomas Barham, of Teston, Kent, for the sum of £300. He *d.* 18th November, 1589, and was buried at Mobberley.

SIR GEORGE LEYCESTER, of Toft, his eldest surviving son and successor, *m.* Alice, eldest daughter of Peter Leycester, esq. of Tabley, (and co-heir to the lands of Colwick, in Staffordshire, in right of her mother, daughter and heiress of Edward Colwick, esq. of Colwick), and had issue,

- William, George, } both *d.* young.
- RALPH, his successor.
- Elizabeth, *d.* in infancy.
- Katharine, *m.* first, to William Tatton, esq. of Withenshaw, Cheshire; and, secondly, to Dr. Nichols, Parson of Chedle.
- Mary, *m.* in 1611, to James Massy, esq. of Sale.
- Alice, *m.* to John Bradshaw, esq. of Bradshaw.

The following appointment appears, from an old deed dated 15th May, 1586, "Robert, Earl of Leycester, Baron of Denbigh, her majesty's lieutenant and captain-general of all her army and forces in these parts, and governor-general of all the provinces and cities united, and their associates in the low countries, for the good opinion we have of the fidelity of this gentleman, George Leycester, our servant, we have appointed him captain of 150 foot-men, and Hugh Starkey his lieutenant." Sir George was knighted about the 44th of Elizabeth, and was made sheriff of Cheshire by patent, dated 29th December, 45th of Elizabeth, but the queen dying in March following, he had another patent for the same *durante beneplacito.* He departed this life, with the reputation of having been a person most serviceable to his country, in 1612, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

RALPH LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Anthony Woodhull, esq. of Mollington, in the county of Oxford, and had issue,

- GEORGE, his successor.
- Ralph, Anthony, } *d. s. p.*
- Mary, *m.* first, to Culvert Chambers, esq. of Oxfordshire; secondly, to Job Ward, esq.; and, thirdly, to Colonel William Ayre.
- Jane, *m.* first, to Captain Conney; and, secondly, to Thomas Hart, of Fetter-lane, London.
- Townshend, *m.* to George Brown, esq. of Radbrooke.

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Ralph Leycester disposed of his part of the lands of Colwick, and dying in 1640, was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of John Clayton, esq. and sister and co-heir of Richard Clayton, esq. of Crooke, in Lancashire, and had several children, by the eldest of whom,

RALPH LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, he was succeeded at his decease, in 1671. This gentleman espoused Eleanor, daughter of Sir Peter Leycester, bart. of Tabley, the well known historian of Cheshire, and had issue,

- GEORGE, his successor.
- Ralph, a military officer, who *d.* in Spain.
- Eleanor, *m.* to Thomas Molesworth, esq. of Wincham.
- Elizabeth, } died unmarried.
- Dorothy, }
- Frances, *m.* to Thomas Rigby, esq. of the county of Lancaster.
- Anna-Byrom.
- Joan.
- Byrom.
- Ann.

He *d.* in March, 1685, and was *s.* by his elder son,

GEORGE LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Oswald Moseley, esq. of Ancoats, in the county of Lancaster, and of Rolleston, in the county of Stafford, by whom he had (with several daughters, who all died unmarried) three sons,

- RALPH, his successor.
- George, a merchant in London.
- Oswald.

The eldest son and successor,

RALPH LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, *b.* in 1699; espoused Katherine, daughter and co-heiress of Edward Norris, esq. of Speke, in the county of Lancaster, by Anne, daughter and heiress of Peter Gerard, esq. of Crewood, and by her (who *d.* in 1799, at the advanced age of ninety) he had issue,

- GEORGE, his successor.
- RALPH, heir to his brother.
- Edward, *d.* unmarried in 1756.
- Hugh, *b.* in 1748; king's counsel and one of the judges of North Wales.
- Oswald, *b.* in 1752; in holy orders, M.A. rector of Stoke upon Tern, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of P. Johnson, esq. of Semperly; and, secondly, Eliza, daughter of Charles White, esq. of Manchester.
- Anne, *m.* to Rev. Dr. Norbury.
- Katherine, } *d.* unmarried.
- Mary, }
- Jane, }
- Susannah-Norris, *d.* young.
- Theodosia, *m.* to the Rev. Egerton Leigh, archdeacon of Salop, and rector of Lymme.
- Susannah, *m.* to the Hon. John Grey, third son of the Earl of Stamford.

Mr. Leycester *d.* in 1777, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, at whose decease unmarried, in 1809, the family estates devolved upon his brother,

RALPH LEYCESTER, esq. of Toft, who *m.* in 1762, Charlotte, third daughter of the Rev. Dr. Lushington, of Eastbourne, Sussex, and had issue,

- RALPH, present proprietor.
- Henry, a captain in the navy, *d.* at Pisa.
- George, fellow of King's College, Cambridge.
- William, *m.* in the East Indies, ——, daughter of — Friel, esq. and has issue.
- Charlotte, *m.* to Charles Dumbleton, esq. of Bath.
- Harriet, *m.* to the Rev. Robert Cox, vicar of Bridgenorth.
- Susanna.

Mr. Leycester was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, RALPH LEYCESTER, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Az. between two fleurs-de-lis or, a fesse of the second fretty gu.

Crest—A roebuck party per pale or and gu. attired of the second, holding in his mouth an acorn branch, ppr.

Estates—Toft, Cheshire, possessed from time immemorial. In the female until the reign of RICHARD II. when a Leycester, of Tabley, married the heiress of Toft, from which period it has come down to the present proprietor in hereditary male descent.

Seat—Toft Hall, Knutsford, Cheshire.

This mansion stands about one mile south of Knutsford, at the end of a venerable and spacious avenue formed by triple rows of ancient elms. The ground slopes gradually behind the house to the Great Vale of Cheshire, over which there is a rich and extensive prospect. The principal front of the hall, which closes up the avenue, is brick-built, and of two stories, excepting the projecting wings, which are of three, and terminate in gables, and a square tower of four stories, which rises from the centre.

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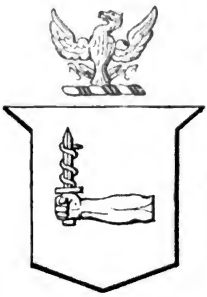
DONOVAN, OF FRAMFIELD PARK.

DONOVAN, ALEXANDER, esq. of Framfield Park, in the county of Sussex, and of Chillowes Park, Surrey, a gentleman of the king's most honorable Privy Chamber, *b.* 25th October, 1778, *m.* first, Miss Anne Foster, of the family of Lord Ferrard, and has issue,



HENRY.
Anne, *m.* to T. Braddell, esq. of Prospect, in the county of Wexford.
Louisa, *m.* to R. Stone, esq. of Gale House, in Sussex.

He espoused, secondly, Eliza, daughter of Charles Mellish, esq. of Blythe, in Nottinghamshire; and thirdly, in May, 1817, the Honorable Caroline Vanneck, second daughter of Joshua, first Lord Huntingfield; by the last lady he has further issue,

Alexander, *b.* in June, 1819.
Caroline.
Maria.

At the general election of 1826, Mr. Donovan became a candidate for the borough of Lewes, together with Sir John Shelley, bart. and Thomas-Read Kemp, esq. The contest commenced 7th June, and was continued until the 10th, when Mr. Donovan retired.*

He is High Sheriff for the county of Sussex in the present year (1832.)

Lineage.

This family is of Milesian Irish extraction. During the usurped sway of OLIVER CROMWELL, CORNELIUS O'DONOVAN, a descendant of the very ancient house of O'Donovan, in the county of Cork, having embraced the protestant religion, obtained from the protector the command of a troop of horse, and dropping the original O, as savouring too much of Catholicism, was gazetted as Captain Donovan. On his retirement from the army, he purchased an estate in the county of Wexford, where his family continued to reside until their settlement in England.

JAMES DONOVAN, esq. of Chillowes Park, Surrey, the lineal descendant of Captain Donovan, *m.* in 1772, Miss Margaret Moore, of Dublin, and had issue,

ALEXANDER, present representative of the family.
James, of Buckham Hill, Sussex, who *m.* Miss Thompson, eldest daughter of George Thompson, esq. of Dublin.
Mary, *m.* to George Braddell, esq. of Prospect, in the county of Wexford.

Mr. Donovan *d.* in 1831, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present ALEXANDER DONOVAN, esq. of Framfield Park.

Arms—Arg. an arm lying fessways, couped at the elbow, and holding a sword erect; entwined round the blade a serpent, all ppr.

Crest—A hawk, wings displayed, ppr.

Motto—Adjuvante deo in hostes.

Estates—Framfield Place, Sussex, purchased in 1817, and other adjoining estates since acquired; Horham Thorp Hall, in Suffolk, in right of the present Hon. Mrs.

* The numbers at the final close of the pole, were
For KEMP . . . . . 569.
SHELLEY . . . 306.
DONOVAN . . . . . 279.

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Donovan; an estate and impropriate rectory in Berkshire, purchased of Sir George Bowyer, bart.; Chillowes, &c. inherited from his father in 1831.

Town Residence—18, Hertford-street, Mayfair.

Seat—Framfield Park, Sussex; and Chillowes Park, Surrey.

ELLISON, OF HEPBURN.

ELLISON, CUTHBERT, esq. of Hepburn, in the county of Durham, *b.* 12th July, 1783, *m.* Isabella-Grace, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Ibbetson, esq. of St. Anthony's, in the county of Northumberland, and has issue,

Isabella-Caroline, *m.* in 1824, to Hon. George John Venables-Vernon, now Lord Vernon, and has issue.

Henrietta, *m.* in January, 1824, to William-Henry Lambton, esq. of Biddick Hall, in the county of Durham, next brother to Earl Durham.

Louisa, *m.* 8th April, 1829, to Lord Viscount Stormount, eldest son of the right honorable the Earl of Mansfield.

Laura-Jane, *m.* in 1833 to the Hon. Capt. William Edwardes, R.N. eldest son of Lord Kensington.

Sarah-Caroline.

Anne, *d.* unm.

Mr. Cuthbert Ellison, who represented for some time Newcastle-upon-Tyne in parliament, *s.* to the family estates upon the demise of his father, 20th August, 1795.

Lineage.

CUTHBERT ELLISON, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant adventurer, served the office of sheriff of Newcastle in 1544—1549—1554, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

CUTHBERT ELLISON, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant adventurer, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of — Metcalfe, esq. of Gloster Hill, in the county of Northumberland, and had a son and successor, upon his demise, in 1580,

CUTHBERT ELLISON, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant adventurer, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Charles Isle, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT ELLISON, esq. who served the office of sheriff of Newcastle in 1646, and represented that borough several years in parliament. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, dau. of Cuthbert Grey, esq. of Newcastle, and of Backworth, in the county of Northumberland, by whom he had a son,

CUTHBERT, his successor.

He espoused, secondly, 27th July, 1672, Agnes, relict of James Briggs, of Newcastle, merchant, but had no further issue.

His son and successor

CUTHBERT ELLISON esq. of Hepburn, *m.* in 1663, Jane, daughter of William Carr, esq. of Newcastle, and sister of Sir Ralph Carr, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT ELLISON, esq. of Hepburn, *m.* in 1696, Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Henry Liddell, of Ravensworth Castle, and had issue,

CUTHBERT, his successor.

Henry, *b.* 3rd March, 1699, who *m.* in 1729, Hannah, daughter and co-heiress of William Coatsworth, esq. and had a son,

HENRY, who *s.* his uncle in the family estates.

Robert, *b.* in November, 1710, colonel of the 44th regiment of foot, *d. s. p.* 23rd October, 1765.

Mr. Ellison was *s.* by his eldest son,

CUTHBERT ELLISON, esq. of Hepburn, a general officer in the army, and M.P. for Shaftesbury, at whose decease, unmarried, 11th October, 1785, the family possessions devolved upon his nephew,

HENRY ELLISON, esq. of Hepburn, *m.* 15th May, 1779, Henrietta, dau. of John Isaacson, esq. and had issue

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CUTHBERT, his heir.
Robert, Lt.-Col. Grenadier Guards, *m.* the Hon. Mary Montague, dau. of the late Lord Rokeby, and has one son.
Hannah, *m.* to John Carr, esq. of Dunstan Hill, in Durham.
Henrietta, *m.* to George Wm. Aylmer, esq. of Mowden Hall, Essex.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Frederick Edward Morrice, esq. of Betshanger, in Kent.

Dying in 1795, he was *s.* by his son, CUTHBERT ELLISON, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Gu. a chevron or, between three eagles' heads erased, arg.

Estates—At Hepburn, Monkton, Jarrow Grange, Newton Garth, Gateshead Park, and Shipcote, in the county of Durham; and also Westons, Nether Houses, and Kellyburn, in the county of Northumberland.

Town Residence—Whitehall Gardens.

Seat—Hepburn, in the county of Durham.

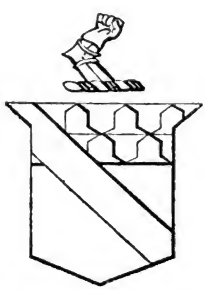
FITZ-HERBERT, OF NORBURY AND SWINNERTON.

FITZ-HERBERT, THOMAS, esq. of Norbury, in the county of Derby, and of Swinnerton, in Staffordshire, *b.* 21st Jan. 1789, *s.* his father 22nd Nov. 1799, *m.* 15th July, 1809, Marian, dau. of John-Palmer Chichester, esq. of Arlington, in the county of Devon, and has issue,

CHARLES, *b.* 21st June, 1810.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert is the twenty-sixth Lord of the Manor of Norbury, and the tenth Lord of Swinnerton. He served the office of sheriff for Staffordshire in 1831.

Lineage.



The family of FITZ-HERBERT, whose name appears in the Roll of Battle Abbey, descends from a Norman knight, called HERBERT, which in conformity to a prevalent custom amongst the Normans of describing themselves as the son of some eminent ancestor, became the patronymic of the family. In Latin, *Filius Herberti*; in Norman, *Fils*, or *Fitz-Herbert*. In the year 1125, (25th HENRY I.) William Prior, of Tutbury, by his charter, attested by Robert de Ferrers, Earl of Derby, the superior Lord of Tutbury, and his two sons, Robert and William de Ferrers, Hawise, his wife, the Bishop of Litchfield, Abbot of Burton, and divers other distinguished persons, granted to

WILLIAM FITZ-HERBERT, the manor of Norbury, in the county of Derby. (The original charter, with the manor, are in the possession of the present Mr. Fitz-Herbert). He was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM FITZ-HERBERT, Lord of Norbury, living in 1166, who was *s.* by his son,

JOHN FITZ-HERBERT, Lord of Norbury, who was *s.* by his son, another

JOHN FITZ-HERBERT, of Norbury, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM FITZ-HERBERT, of Norbury, to whom *King* HENRY III. granted Freewarren in Norbury, A.D. 1252. He had three sons, viz.

1. HENRY (Sir), his successor.
2. Thomas, Lord of Somersall, in the county of Derby, living in the 56th HENRY III. from whom lineally descended

RICHARD FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Somersall, who *d.* in 1803, without issue, and

NICHOLAS FITZ-HERBERT, (fifth in descent), younger brother of John Fitz-Herbert, of Somersall, who *m.* Cicely, or Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Robert Frauncis, esq. of Foremark, and acquired thereby the manor of Tissington,

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in Derbyshire. From this marriage lineally derives the present Sir Henry Fitz-Herbert, bart. of Tissington. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

3. Richard, of Twycross, in the county of Leicester.

Sir William was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir Henry Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury. This gentleman was a knight banneret. He represented the county of Derby in parliament in 1294 and 1307, and was sheriff of that shire, and of Nottingham, in 1263--4. He was *s.* by his son,

Sir John Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir William Montgomery, knt. of Marston, in the county of Derby This feudal lord was living in 1350, and at his decease was *s.* by his eldest son,

William Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury. *King* Edward III. confirmed to this gentleman Freewarren in Norbury. He *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Nicholas Kniveton, knt. of Murcaston, in Derbyshire, and was *s.* by his son,

William Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, who was living in 1398, and marrying Alice, daughter of Nicholas Longford, of Longford, in the county of Derby, was *s.* at his decease by his son,

Henry Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury. This gentleman espoused ——, daughter of — Downes, and was *s.* by his son,

Nicholas Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, knight of the shire for Derby, in 1434, 1446, and 1452, and sheriff for that county in 1448 and 1466. He *m.* first, Alice, daughter of Henry Booth, of Harlaston, in Derbyshire, and had issue,

Ralph, his successor.

John, of Etwall, in Derbyshire, remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer, *m.* Margaret, daughter and heir of Robert Babington, of the Fleet, younger son of Sir William Babington, and had issue.

Robert, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph Jocelyn, of Sawbridgeworth, in the county of Herts, by whom he had issue, who possessed Gatesbury, and Uphall, in Hertfordshire.

Roger.

William

Joan, *m.* to John Cotton, of Hampstall, Redware.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Crosby, of London, merchant.

Isabella, *m.* to — Babington.

Dulcibella.

Anne.

Nicholas Fitz-Herbert *m.* secondly, Isabel, daughter of — Ludlow, of Stokeshay, in Shropshire, and had two other sons, and two daughters. He *d.* 19th November, 1473, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Ralph Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, who *m.* Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of John Marshall, of Upton, in Leicestershire, and had issue,

John, his successor.

Henry, of London, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Godwyn, of London.

Thomas, Doctor of Decrees, precentor of Litchfield, *d.* 20th November, 1532.

Richard, supposed to have been a knight of Rhodes.

William, prebend of Hereford, chancellor of Litchfield, rector of Wrington, in the county of Somerset. Prebend of Lincoln, 9th October, 1506.

Anthony (Sir), judge of the Common Pleas, of whom hereafter, as fourteenth Lord of Norbury.

Dorothy, *m.* to Thomas Comberford, of Comberford.

Edeth, *m.* to Thomas Babington, of Dethick.

Agnes, *m.* to Richard Lister, of Rowton, Salop.

Elizabeth, *m.* to — Fuljambe.

Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Purefoy.

Alice, Abbess of Polesworth, in the county of Warwick.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert *d.* 2nd March, 1483-4, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

John Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, to whom *King* Henry VII. granted a general pardon, in 1506. He *m.* Benedicta, daughter of John Bradburn, of the Hoo, in the county of Derby, and had issue,

Nicholas, who *m.* in 1501, Dorothy, daughter of Sir Ralph Longford, knt. of Longford, but *d.* in the lifetime of his father, without issue.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Philip Draycote, knt. of Draycote, in Staffordshire.

Anne, *m.* to John Welles, of Hoar Cross, in Staffordshire.

Edith.

John Fitz-Herbert *d.* 24th July, 1531, and having outlived his son, his daughters be-

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came his co-heirs, but Norbury passed to his only surviving brother,

14. Sir Anthony Fitz-Herbert, knt. This eminent person was educated at Oxford, and afterwards, studying the law, attained the rank of serjeant, 18th November, 1510. In 1522, he was knighted and constituted one of the judges of the Common Pleas, in which judicial station deporting himself with great prudence, justice, and knowledge, he became at length the oracle of the law, and was universally esteemed a profound lawyer. He was author of various works, not only on law, but upon husbandry; some of which are now exceedingly scarce. His great work, *De Natura Brevium*, is praised for its utility by Blackstone, who calls it, "A digest of the most ancient and highly venerable collection of forms, the register of such writs as are suable out of the king's courts; in which every man who is injured, will be sure to find a method of relief exactly adapted to his own case, described within the compass of a few lines, and yet without the omission of any material circumstance." He *m.* Matilda, daughter and co-heir of Sir Richard Cotton, of Hamstall, Redware, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

1. Thomas (Sir), his successor.
2. John, *m.* Catherine, daughter of Edward Restwold, of the Vache, in the county of Bucks, and had issue,
   - Thomas, } who became sixteenth
   - Anthony, } and seventeenth Lords of Norbury.
   - Nicholas, secretary to Cardinal Allen, at Rome, in 1581, attainted of treason, 1st January, in that year; drowned at Florence, in 1612.
   - Francis.
   - George.
   - Jane, *m.* to Thomas Eyre, of Dunston.
   - Matilda, *m.* to Thomas Barlow, of Barlow.
   - Elizabeth.
   - Mary, *m.* to Thomas Draycot, of Sydnall.

   John Fitz-Herbert *d.* 8th Nov. 1590.
3. William, *m.* Elizabeth, younger of the two daughters and co-heirs of Humphrey Swinnerton, esq. of Swinnerton, in the county of Stafford; and thus acquired that manor; by this lady (who espoused, secondly, John Gatacre, esq. of Gatacre, in the county of Salop, and died in 1616), he had issue,
   - Thomas Fitz-Herbert, who succeeded as second Lord of Swinnerton, and marrying Dorothy, only daughter and heir of Edward East, esq. of Bledlowe, in Buckinghamshire, had a son and daughter, viz.
     - Edward, who *m.* Bridget, daughter of Sir John Caryll, knt. of Agmering, in the county of Sussex, and dying before his father, (25th November, 1612) left a son,
       - William, who succeeded his grandfather.
     - Elizabeth, *m.* to Joseph Mayne, esq. of Crestlow, Bucks.

     Thomas Fitz-Herbert *d.* in 1640, aged 86, and was *s.* by his grandson,
     - William Fitz-Herbert, of Swinnerton, of whom hereafter, as nineteenth lord of Norbury.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Bassett, of Langley, in the county of Derby.
5. Dorothy, *m.* first, to Sir Ralph Longford, knt. and secondly, to Sir John Port, knt. of Etwall.
6. Catherine, *m.* to John Sacheverel, of Morley, in Derbyshire.

Sir Anthony Fitz-Herbert *d.* 27th May, 1538, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir Thomas Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, who *m.* in 1535, Anne, daughter and heir of Sir Arthur Eyre, of Padley, in the county of Derby, but had no issue. He was Sheriff of Staffordshire, in 1547 and 1554. Dying *s. p.* the estates of Norbury passed to his nephew,

Thomas Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Westley, esq. of Mowbrick, in the county of Lancaster, but dying without issue, was *s.* by his brother,

Anthony Fitz-Herbert, of Norbury This gentleman *m.* Martha, daughter of Thomas Austen, esq. of Oxley, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

- John (Sir), his successor.
- Helen.
- Mary, *m.* to William Lewyn, of Norfolk.
- Catharine, *m.* to John Melward, fifth son of Sir Thomas Melward, knt.

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Anne, *m.* to Richard Congreve, esq. of Stretton, in Staffordshire.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Fitz-Herbert, knt. of Tessington.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert *d.* in 1613, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN FITZ-HERBERT, knt. of Norbury, who *m.* in 1631, Dorothy, daughter of John Harpur, esq. of Bredsall, but had no issue. Sir John was appointed colonel of dragoons, in the king's service, 16th December, 1642. He *d.* at Lichfield, 13th January, 1649, and was *s.* in the estates of Norbury by his cousin, (refer to William, third son of Sir Anthony Fitz-Herbert, the Judge).

WILLIAM FITZ-HERBERT, esq. third lord of SWINNERTON. This gentleman *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Bazil Brooke, knt. of Madeley, in Staffordshire, and had issue,

Bazil, his successor.
Thomas, of Shercock, in Ireland, the presumed ancestor of the Fitz-Herberts of that kingdom.
William, } both *d.* young.
Francis, }
Edward.
John.
Anthony.
Mary, *m.* to John Gower, esq. of Colmers,
Frances, *m.* to John Gifford, esq. of Chillington.
Bridgett, *m.* to Bazill Bartlett, esq. of Castle Morton, in Worcestershire.
Anne.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert, who was named, in 1660, amongst the intended knights of the royal oak, was *s.* by his eldest son,

BAZIL FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of NORBURY and SWINNERTON, who espoused Jane, daughter and heir of John Cotton, esq. of Gedding Abbots, in the county of Huntingdon, and of Boscobel and White Ladies, in Shropshire, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Bazill.
Winifred - Dorothy, *m.* in 1691, to Charles Eyston, esq. of East Hendred in Berkshire.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

WILLIAM FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury and Swinnerton. This gentleman *m.* in 1679, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Robert Owen, esq. of Weppra, in the county of Flint, and grandaughter of Dr. John Owen, Bishop of St. Asaph, and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Bazil.
Robert.
Jane, *m.* in 1697, to Richard Massey, esq. of Rixton, in the county of Lancaster.
Winifred.
Catherine.
Mary.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury, and Swinnerton, who *m.* in 1713, Constantia, younger daughter and co-heir of Sir George Southcote, bart. of Blythborough, in the county of Lincoln, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas, younger son of Humphry Weld, esq. of Lulworth Castle, in the county of Dorset, and *d.* 8th October, 1766.
Catharine, *m.* to Robert Berkeley, esq. of Spetchley, in the county of Worcester, and *d. s. p.*
Frances.
Constantia.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert *d.* in 1765, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury, and Swinnerton. This gentleman espoused, first, in 1737, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Anthony Meaborne, esq. of Ponlop, in the county of Durham, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, in 1743, Mary-Theresa, dau. of Sir Robert Throckmorton, bart. and had five sons and eight daughters, viz.

1. THOMAS, his successor.
2. BAZIL, who *s.* his brother.
3. William, *b.* 26th October, 1758, assumed by sign manual, 3rd June, 1783, the surname and arms of BROCKHOLES, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of Joseph Brockholes, esq. of Claughton Hall, in the county of Lancaster. He *m.* 20th June, 1791, Mary, eldest daughter and co-heir of James Windsor-Heneage, esq. of Cadeby, in the county of Lincoln, and of Gatcombe, in the Isle of Wight, and dying in July, 1817, left issue,

THOMAS-FITZ-HERBERT BROCKHOLES, of Claughton Hall, *b.* in 1800.
Francis Brockholes, *b.* in 1802.
Charles Brockholes.
Frances Brockholes.
Mary-Anne Brockholes.

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4. Edward, *d.* before 5th June, 1778.
5. Robert, *d.* 3rd December, 1802, unmarried.
6. Mary, a professed nun, at Paris.
7. Constantia, *m.* first, 8th August, 1768, Joseph Brockholes, esq. of Claughton Hall, and secondly, to Philip Saltmarsh, esq. whom she survived, and died at Bath, in March, 1813, without issue.
8. Barbara, *m.* first, to George Tasburgh, esq. of Bodney, by whom she had no issue; she espoused secondly, George Crathorne, esq. of Crathorne, in the county of York, and had a daughter, Mary-Anne-Rosalia. She *d.* at Florence, in 1808.
9. Catherine, *d.* in 1800, unmarried.
10. Charlotte, *m.* to Sir Thomas Gage, bart. and *d.* in 1790.
11. Anne, *d.* unmarried in 1811.
12. Teresa, *m.* to Thomas Hornyold, esq. of Blackmore Park, in the county of Worcester, and *d.* in 1815.
13. Lucy, *m.* to James Dormer, esq. and *d.* in 1816.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert *d.* 3rd October, 1778, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury, and of Swinnerton, *b.* 30th August, 1746, *m.* in 1778, MARY-ANNE,* youngest daughter of Walter Smythe, esq. of Bambridge, in the county of Hants, niece of Sir Edward Smythe, esq. of Acton-Burnell, bart. and widow of Edward Weld, esq. of Lulworth Castle, but *d.* without issue, at Nice, 7th May, 1781. He was *s.* by his brother,

BAZIL FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury, and Swinnerton. This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, youngest daughter and co-heir of James Windsor-Heneage, esq. of Cadeby, in the county of Lincoln, and of Gatcombe, in the Isle of Wight, by whom he had (with one daughter, Elizabeth, who *d.* unmarried, in 1812) five sons, viz.

THOMAS, present proprietor.
Bazil, *b.* 2nd July, 1790, *d.* ———
John, *b.* 2nd September, 1792.
George, *b.* 30th July, 1793.
Francis, *b.* 21st June, 1796; *m.* 28th July, 1828, Maria-Teresa, dau. of John Vincent-Gandolfi, esq. of East Sheen, in Surrey, by Teresa, dau. of Thomas Hornyold, of Blackmore Park, and his wife, Teresa Fitz-Herbert.

Mr. Fitz-Herbert *d.* 20th May, 1797, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present THOMAS FITZ-HERBERT, esq. of Norbury.

Arms—Ar. a chief vaire, or and gules, over all a bend sa.

Crest—A dexter arm, armed and gauntlet ppr.

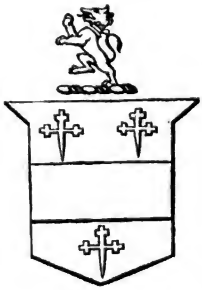
Motto—Ung je serviray.

Seat—Swinnerton, in the county of Stafford.

* This is the celebrated MRS. FITZ-HERBERT.

GORE, OF PORKINGTON.

GORE-ORMSBY, WILLIAM, esq. of Porkington, in the county of Salop, *m.* in 1815, Mary-Jane, only daughter and heiress of Owen Ormsby, esq. of Willowbrook, in the county of Sligo, and Porkington, in Shropshire, upon which occasion he assumed by sign manual, the additional surname and arms of Ormsby. By this lady he has issue,



JOHN-RALPH, *b.* 3rd June, 1816.
William-Richard.
Owen-Arthur.
Mio-Fanny. } both deceased.
Harriet-Selina. }

Mr. Ormsby-Gore succeeded his father in 1815. In 1806, he represented the county of Leitrim in parliament, and was returned for Carnarvon in 1830. He now sits for Shropshire.

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Lineage.

This family derives from a common ancestor with the noble house of GORE, *Earls* of *Arran* in Ireland, and the Earls of Ross, and Barons Annaly (now extinct).

JOHN GORE, of London, and East Ham, in Essex, left a son,

GERARD GORE, an alderman of the city of London, who *m.* Helen, daughter of John Davenant, of Davenant land, in the county of Essex, and dying in December, 1607, at the advanced age of ninety-one, left issue eight sons, of whom,

RICHARD (the eldest), was M.P. for London in 1602. He *d.* leaving seven daughters.

JOHN (SIR), the fourth son, was Lord Mayor of London in 1624, and from him the present WILLIAM GORE-LANGTON, esq. derives.

RALPH (the seventh son), of Southall, Middlesex, *m.* Agnes, daughter and heir of Richard Young, esq. and widow of Christopher Meyrick, of Norcott, esq. and dying in 1637, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN GORE, of Sacombe, Herts. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir John Botiler, K. B. of Woodhall, Hertfordshire, and dying in 1697, was *s.* by his son,

RALPH GORE (the second of the family settled in Ireland), who *m* Hannah, daughter of Sir William Gore, bart. custos rotulorum of the county of Leitrim, and was *s.* at his decease in 1721 by his son,

WILLIAM GORE, M.P. for Kilkenny, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Isaac Manly, esq. postmaster-general of Ireland, and dying in 1747, was *s.* by his son,

RALPH GORE, of Barrowmount, in the county of Kilkenny, M.P. for Kilkenny, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and heir of Henry Gorges, esq. of Somerseat, in the county of Londonderry, and left at his decease, in 1778, an only daughter and heir,

FRANCES-JANE-GORGES GORE, who *m.* William Gore, esq. and was mother of the present Mr. Ormsby Gore.

PAUL (Sir), the eighth son, of whom presently.

The youngest son,

SIR PAUL GORE, went over to Ireland as captain of a troop of horse, in the reign of Elizabeth, and eventually settled there. In November, 1602, Captain Gore was deputed by the Lord-Deputy Mountjoy to convey her Majesty's protection to Rory O'Donnell, who had sued to be admitted to the Queen's favour, and to bring him to the Deputy then in Connaught, which mission he executed successfully, and conducting O'Donnell to Athlone, the chieftain made his submission there to Elizabeth, and was created the next year Earl of Tyrconnel. For this and other services, Sir Paul was rewarded by a grant from the crown of the barony of Boylagh and Bannagh, in the county of Donegall, which he enjoyed for some years, until *King* JAMES I. granted the same estate to the Earl of Annandale, and in lieu thereof conferred upon Sir Paul Gore a much inferior property upon the plantation of Ulster, viz. one thousand three hundred and forty-eight acres of forfeited lands, called Magherabegg, in the same county, to hold the same for ever at the annual rent of £10 16*s.* which estate was erected into a manor, under the designation of Manor-Gore. In the parliament, which met 18th May, 1618, he was returned for Ballyshannon, and was created a baronet of Ireland 2nd February, 1622. He *m.* Isabella, daughter of Francis Wickliffe, and niece of the Earl of Strafford, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, by whom he had, with other issue,

RALPH (SIR), bart. ancestor of the Earls of Ross (now extinct), and of the present Sir Ralph Gore, bart.

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SIR ARTHUR GORE (second son), who settled at Newtown-Gore, in the county of Mayo, and was created a baronet 10th April, 1662. In 1666 he had a grant of the lands of Newtown, with the creation of the whole into the manor of Castle-Gore. Sir Arthur *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Sir George St. George, bart. of Carrick, in the county of Leitrim, and had, with other issue,

1. PAUL, ancestor of the Earls of Arran, *d. vitâ patris.*
2. Arthur.
3. WILLIAM, of whom presently.
4. George, ancestor of the Lords Annally, now extinct.

The third son,

WILLIAM GORE, esq. of Woodford, in the county of Leitrim, represented that county in parliament. He *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Thomas Newcomen, bart. of the county of Longford, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, his successor.
2. Robert, who *m.* Letitia, daughter of Henry Brooke, esq. of Colebrooke, in the county of Fermanagh, and left, at his decease, in 1767, a son,
   WILLIAM, who succeeded his uncle.
3. Sarah, *m.* to Sir Arthur Newcomen, bart. of Mosstown.

Mr. Gore *d.* in 1729, and was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM GORE, esq. of Woodford, M.P. for the county of Leitrim, who *m.* in 1733, Sarah, youngest sister of John, Earl of Darnley, and had an only son, William, who *d.* young. Mr. Gore *d.* in 1769, and thus leaving no legitimate issue, was *s.* by his nephew,

WILLIAM GORE, esq. M.P. for the county of Leitrim, *b.* in 1744. This gentleman *m.* Frances-Jane-Gorges Gore, only daughter and heir of Ralph Gore, esq. of Barrowmount, M.P. for Kilkenny, and widow of Sir Haydocke Evans Morres, bart. and dying in 1815, left a son,

WILLIAM, the present proprietor.

FAMILIES OF OWEN AND ORMSBY.

MEYRICK, son of Llewellyn, lineally descended from Hwfa ap Gyndellw, one of the fifteen patriarchs of North Wales, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Evan Vychan, son of Evan ap Adam, of Moyston, and left a son,

JOHN AP MEYRICK, who *m.* Ankaret, daughter of Griffith ap Howell, ap David, ap Meredith, and left a son,

ROBERT AP JOHN, who espoused Gwenhwyvan, daughter of William ap Meredith ap Rys, and was *s.* by his son,

OWEN AP ROBERT, of Bodsilin. This gentleman *m.* Ankaret, daughter and heir of David ap William, ap Griffith, ap Robyn, esq. and left a son,

JOHN OWEN, esq. secretary to Lord Walsingham, who *m.* ELLEN, daughter and heir of WILLIAM-WYNNE MAURICE, esq. of Clenneney, by whom (who espoused, secondly, Hon. Sir Francis Eure, younger son of William Lord Eure, and *d.* in 1626) he had a son and successor,

SIR JOHN OWEN,* knt. of Clenneney, a colonel in the army, and vice admiral of North Wales. This gentleman espoused Jennet, daughter of Griffith Vaughan, esq. of Corsygedol, and was, in 1666, *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM OWEN, esq. of Porkington, in the county of Salop, M.P. who *m.* Katherine, only child of Lewis Anwyll, esq. of Parke, in the county of Merioneth, and dying in 1677—8, left a son,

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* In the church of Penmorva, in the county of Carnarvon, is the following monumental inscription to the memory of this gentleman:

M. S.
JOHANNIS OWEN
de Clenenney in Co: Carnarvon Militis,
Viri
in patriam amoris ardentissimi, in
Regem (Beatissumum Martyrem Carolum primum)
indubitatæ fidelitatis clari,
qui ad Sacro Sanctam Majestatem a perduellionum
rabie eripiendam, Summa pericula, lubentissime
obierit,
Hostium copias non semel fudit, ac fregit,
Religionem vindicavit:
Donec infelici sorte in perditissimorum hominum
manus
Regali jam Sanguine imbutas
inciderit Dux præstantissimus;
Unde Supplex sese obsessum redimerat,
Nisi quod Heroi consummatissimo
famæ plus, quam vitæ, sollicito, tale λύζον displicuit.
collo igitur imperterrite oblato,
Securis aciem retudit divina vis,
Volucrisq: fati tardavit alas, donec senex lætissimus
Carolum secundum et sibi et suis restitutum viderat.
Anno Domini 1666, et Ætatis suæ 66, placide
expiravit,
Atq: hic cum charissimâ conjuge Jonetta filiâ
Griffini Vaughan de Corsygedol Arm:
in pace requiescit.
ELENA OWEN
gratitudinis et pietatis ergo
Avo Aviæq. B. M. pos.

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SIR ROBERT OWEN, knt. of Porkington and Clenneney, M.P. This gentleman *m.* Margaret, daughter and heir of Owen Wynne, esq. of Glynn, in the county of Merioneth, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1698, by his son,

WILLIAM OWEN, esq. of Porkington, who *m.* Mary, only daughter of the very Rev. Henry Godolphin, dean of St. Paul's, and provost of Eaton, sister of Francis, last Lord Godolphin, of Helston, and dying in 1768, left two sons and two daughters, all of whom died unmarried, with the exception of the eldest daughter,

MARGARET OWEN, who at length became heir, and in 1777, *m.* OWEN ORMSBY, esq. of Willowbrook, in the county of Sligo, and conveyed to him the estates of Porkington. (Mr. Ormsby was son and heir of William Ormsby, esq. M.P. for the county of Sligo, by Hannah, daughter of Owen Wynne, esq. of Haslewood, in the county of Sligo.) Mr. Ormsby *d.* in 1804, and his widow in 1806, leaving an only child and heiress,

MARY-JANE ORMSBY, who represents the ancient NOBLE FAMILY OF GODOLPHIN, and inherited such portions of the Godolphin property, as being purchased after the last Lord Godolphin made his will, did not pass under it, either to the Duke of Leeds, or to Lord Francis Osborne, now Lord Godolphin. This lady espoused WILLIAM GORE, esq. who assumed, as already stated, the additional surname of ORMSBY, and is the present WILLIAM ORMSBY-GORE.

Arms—First, quarterly; first and fourth gu. a fesse between three cross crosslets, fitchée or, for GORE. Second and third gu. a bend between six cross crosslets, fitchée or (a canton arg. charged with a rose of the field, for distinction, for ORMSBY). Second GORE. Third arg. a whirlpool az. for GORGES. Fourth, arg. a chevron sa. between three coots ppr. for COOTE. An escutcheon of pretence. First, ORMSBY, (without the canton.) Second, sa three chess rooks arg. a chief or, a coat of augmentation. Third, gu. a chevron between three lions rampant or, for OWEN. Fourth, MAURICE. Fifth, LACON Sixth, gu. an eagle displayed with two heads between three fleurs-de-lis arg. for GODOLPHIN.

Crests—First, an heraldic tiger, rampant arg. ducally gorged or, for GORE. Second, a dexter arm, embowed, in armour, ppr. charged with a rose gu. holding in the hand a man's leg also in armour, couped at the thigh, for ORMSBY.

Motto—In hoc signo vinces.

Estates—In Shropshire, Carnarvonshire, Merionethshire, Montgomeryshire, Denbighshire, Sligo, Mayo, Leitrim, Roscommon, and Westmeath.

Town Residence—Portland Place.

Seats—Porkington, Shropshire, Glynn, Merionethshire and Willowbrook, in the county of Sligo.

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* His grandfather, FRANCIS ORMSBY, esq. *m.* in 1716, Mary, eldest daughter of John French, esq. of French Park, in the county of Roscommon, and had, with other issue, a son, WILLIAM, grandfather of MRS. ORMSBY GORE, and a dau. Sarah, *m.* to John Morgan, esq. of Monksfield, and had an only child, Sarah, *m.* to Michael Burke, esq. of Ballydugan, in the county of Galway, M.P.

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MYNORS, OF TREAGO.

MYNORS-RICKARDS, PETER, esq. of Treago, in the county of Hereford, and of Enjobb House, in Radnorshire, *b.* in 1787, *m.* in 1817, Mary-Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund-Trowbridge Halliday, esq. of Chapel Cleeve, in Somersetshire, (see vol. ii. p. 130,) and has issue,

ROBERT-BASKERVILLE RICKARDS, *b.* in 1819.
Edmund-Baskerville, *b.* in 1823.
Walter-Baskerville, *b.* in 1826.
Thomas-Baskerville, *b.* in 1834.
Philippa-Mary.

Mr. Mynors *s.* his father in 1794, and served the office of Sheriff for the county of Radnor, in 1825. He is a deputy lieutenant and magistrate for Herefordshire and Radnorshire.

Lineage.

In the roll of Battel Abbey, the name of MYNORS, the founder of this family, appears as one of the esquires attendant upon the CONQUEROR, and TREAGO has been in their possession since the conquest.

JOHN DE MINERS, of Triago, was constituted by EDWARD II. keeper of the castle of St. Briavel, and of the forest of Dene. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROGER MINERS, knt. of Triago, who *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir Lawrence Bostock, knt. third son of — Bostock, of Cheshire, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD MINERS, of Treago, who *m.* Margaret, dau. and co-heiress of Sir Gerard de Furnival, and niece of Lord Furnival, temp. Edward I. and was *s.* by his son,

ROGER MINERS, of Treago, who *m.* Margaret, dau. and heiress of John-de-la-Hay, of Wellington, and was *s.* by his son,

PHILIP MINERS, of Treago, who *m.* Alice, dau. of William ap Jenkin ap Jerworth, and was *s.* by his son,

PAGANUS MINERS, of Treago, who *m.* a dau. of John a Brett, and was *s.* by his son,

JENKIN MINERS, who *m.* Eva, dau. of Philip Michell, and left a son and successor,

RICHARD MINERS, who was sheriff of Herefordshire in 16th HENRY VII. (anno 1500). He *m.* Joan, daughter of Gwillim ap Thomas ap Llewellyn ap Howell ap Gylough, and had issue,

ROGER (Sir), who *m.* Alice, dau. of Sir William Myll, knt. of Gloucester, and *d. s. p.* Sir Roger was knighted by HENRY VIII, and with his lady was buried in 1536, at Duffield, near Derby, where there is a most beautiful monument to their memory.

THOMAS.

The younger son,

THOMAS MYNORS, of Treago, *m.* Anne, dau. of Watkin Vaughan, of Hergist, by Elizabeth, dau. of Sir James Baskerville, of Erdisley, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD MYNORS, knt. of Treago, who espoused Anne, daughter of Thomas Burgh, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD MYNORS, esq. of Treago, who *m.* Katherine, dau. of Sir Thomas Vaughan, of Porthamal, in the county of Brecon, and dying in 1592, was *s.* by his son,

ROGER MYNORS, esq. of Treago, who *m.* Jane, dau. of John Harley, esq. of Brampton-Brian, and aunt of Sir Robert Harley,*

* This gentleman had a grant for life from the crown, 12th September, 1626 (1 CHARLES I.) of the office and offices of master and worker of monies to be coined in the tower of London; and, on the 8th of November, following, an indenture was made between the king and Sir Robert, for coining the monies of silver and gold, according to his letters patent. To this office was annexed a salary of four thousand pounds per annum. After the king's murder, the parliament having ordered a new coin to be stamped, Sir Robert Harley refused to coin with any other stamp than that of the king: whereupon the parliament ordered a trial of the pixe to be made at Sir Robert's expense, and re-

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K.B. master of the mint, temp. CHARLES I. and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROWLAND MYNORS, esq. of Treago, who *m.* Theodosia, dau. of Sir Percival Willoughby, knt. of Wollaton, in Nottinghamshire,* and dying in 1651, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MYNORS, esq. of Treago, *b.* in 1616; who *m.* in 1649, Eliza, dau. of James Oswald, esq. of St. Weonards, and had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

Theodosia, who *m.* first, Roger Boukoot, esq. of Hereford, and had an only daughter and heiress,

THEODOSIA BOULCOT, who *m.* Peter Rickards, esq. of Evenjobb, in Radnorshire, son of John Rickards, esq. auditor of Wales to CHARLES I. and left a son,

PETER RICKARDS, esq. of Evenjobb, who *m.* in 1751, Catharine Witherstone, dau. of Edward Witherstone, esq. of the county of Hereford, and dying in 1780, left a son,

PETER RICKARDS, of whom presently, as inheritor of the estates of the MYNORS.

Theodosia Mynors espoused, secondly, Richard Witherstone, esq. of the Lodge, and had a son,

EDWARD WITHERSTONE, sheriff of Herefordshire, 1720, who *m.* Anne Barrett, and left at his decease an only daughter,

CATHARINE WITHERSTONE, who *m.* as stated above, her kinsman, PETER RICKARDS.

Mr. Mynors *d.* 23rd of August, 1672, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MYNORS, esq. of Treago, *b.* in April, 1654, *m.* Eliza, dau. of William Adams, esq. of Monmouth, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MYNORS, esq. of Treago, sheriff of Herefordshire in 1735, who *m.* Thomasine, dau. of Thomas Gouge, esq. of London, and dying 10th June, 1742, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MYNORS, esq. of Treago, who served the office of sheriff of the county of Hereford in 1758. He *m.* Mary, dau. and heiress of Thomas Parry, esq. of Arkston, by whom (who *m.* secondly, Charles Morgan, esq. of Ruperra, second son of Thomas Morgan, esq. of Tredegar) he had no issue. He *d.* in 1765, when the estates and representation of the Mynors' family passed to his kinsman (refer to descendant of Theodosia, daughter of Robert Mynors, fourteenth Lord of Treago),

PETER RICKARDS, esq. of Evenjobb, who assumed in 1787, the additional surname of MYNORS. He *m.* Meliora, dau. and heiress of the Rev. John Powell (by Philippa, dau. and heiress of Thomas Baskerville, esq. of Aberedow, in co. Radnor, by Meliora, dau. of Richard Baskerville, esq. of Richardston, in Co. Wilts), and had issue,

PETER RICKARDS-MYNORS, of Treago, present proprietor.

THOMAS-BASKERVILLE MYNORS, *b.* in 1790; assumed the additional surname of BASKERVILLE in 1818, and served the office of sheriff for Wilts in 1827. (See family of BASKERVILLE of Clyrow Court.)

Meliora, *m.* in 1815, to H. H. Farmer, esq. of Dunsinane, in Co. Wexford, and has issue. (See vol. ii. p. 570.)

Mr. Rickards-Mynors *d.* in 1794, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present PETER RICKARDS MYNORS, esq. of *Treago.*

FAMILY OF BASKERVILLE.

The BASKERVILLES of Erdesley (the name of whose patriarch is to be found inscribed on the roll at Battel Abbey) were for many reigns champions to the kings of England, and were sheriffs of the county of Hereford twenty-one times.

Camden, in his Britannica, in the account of Herefordshire, observes: "Erdesley, where the famous and ancient family of BASKERVILLE have long inhabited, which bred in old time so many noble knights; they deduce their original from a niece of Gunora, that most celebrated Norman lady, who long ago flourished in this county and its neighbour, Shropshire; and held the hamlet of Lanton *in capite*, as of the honour of Montgomery by the service of giving the king one barbed arrow as often as he came into those parts to hunt in Cornedon Chase."

SIR ROBERT BASKERVILLE, knt. of Erdesley Castle, in the county of Hereford, *m.*

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moved him from his place. While he had enjoyed it, to the great improvement of our coin, he introduced the famous artist, Thomas Symonds, to be engraver of the dies for the mint.

* Through this alliance the family of Mynors proves founder's kin to All Souls, Oxford. See p. vi.

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Agnes, dau. of Galfrid, Rees of Wales,* and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RALPH BASKERVILLE, living temp. HENRY II. from whom we pass to his descendant,

SIR RICHARD BASKERVILLE, one of the knights of the shire for the county of Hereford, to whom, in 1300, the writ was issued for the observation of the charter of forests. He was sheriff of Herefordshire in the 8th of EDWARD II. (anno 1315). He *d.* in the reign of EDWARD III. leaving by his wife Joanna, daughter of Sir Richard Poynes, or Poynings, a son and successor,

SIR RICHARD BASKERVILLE, whose son,

SIR RICHARD BASKERVILLE, was in ward to *King* RICHARD II. and attained majority in the 17th of that prince. He *d.* in 1395. His grandson,

SIR JOHN BASKERVILLE, knt. espoused Elizabeth, daughter of John Touchet, Lord Audley, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JAMES BASKERVILLE, who was sheriff of Hereford in the 38th HENRY VI. He *m.* Sybella, dau. of Sir Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers, of Chartley, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WALTER BASKERVILLE, who served the office of sheriff of Herefordshire in the 9th of EDWARD IV. and was made a Knight of the Bath at the marriage of Prince Arthur in 1501. He *m.* a daughter of Morgan John ap Phillip, of Pencoyd, and dying 4th September, 1508, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JAMES BASKERVILLE, knt. who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and coheir of John Breynton, and had issue,

- JAMES (Sir), who *m.* Katherine, daughter of Walter, Viscount Hereford, but does not appear to have had issue.
- John, whose line ceased with his great-grandson,
  - HUMPHREY BASKERVILLE, in 1617.
- Thomas (Sir), *d. s. p. m.*
- Walter, *d. s. p.*
- Humphrey.

Sir James *d.* 13th Nov. 1546, and as the line of the family eventually proceeded from his youngest son, we pass at once to that person,

HUMPHREY BASKERVILLE, who *m.* Eleanora, daughter and heir of John Aguilliam, of LAMBEDR and ABEREDOW, both in the county of Radnor, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN BASKERVILLE, whose great-great-grandson,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. *m.* Sybella, daughter of Collins, of Bryngwyn, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. who espoused Meliora, daughter of Richard Baskerville, esq. of Winterbourne, and dying in November, 1740, left an only daughter and heiress,

PHILIPPA BASKERVILLE, who *m.* the Rev. John Powell, and left an only daughter and heiress,

MELIORA POWELL, who *m.* first, RICKARDS MYNORS, esq. of Enjobb, in the county of Radnor, and was mother of the present PETER-RICKARDS MYNORS, esq. She espoused, secondly, Jaspar Farmer, esq.

Arms—Sa. an eagle displayed or, on a chief az. bordured arg. a chev. between two crescents in chief and a rose in base of the second.

QUARTERINGS:

RICKARDS,	BREYNTON,
POWELL,	MILBOURNE,
BASKERVILLE,	EYNSFORD,
A'GWILLEM,	BLACKETT,
BUTLER,	FURNIVAL,
LENTHAL,	DE MORVILLE,
REES OF WALES,	ENGAINE,
LE GROS,	TRIVERS,
BEDWARDEN,	DE STUTEVILLE,
SOLLERS,	VERDON,
BRUGGE,	LOVETOT,
DELAMERE,	LEDET,
PYCHARD,	FOLIOT,
SAPIE,	REINCOURT, &c. &c.

Crest—A naked arm embowed, the hand holding a bear's paw, erased at the thigh.

Motto—Spero ut fidelis.

Estates—Treago, in Herefordshire; Enjobb and Aberedow Court, in Radnorshire. The Treago estate enjoyed by the Mynors' family since the Norman Conquest.

Seats—Treago, Herefordshire; Enjobb House, Radnorshire.

* Cartes MSS. in the Bodleian Library, referred to by Jones, in his History of Brecon, style this lady, Nesta, daughter of Rees ap Griffith, Prince of South Wales.

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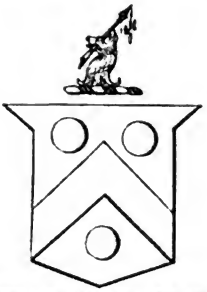
BASKERVILLE, OF CLYROW COURT.

BASKERVILLE-MYNORS, THOMAS-BASKERVILLE, esq. of Clyrow Court, in Radnorshire, *b.* in 1790, *m.* in 1818, Anne, daughter and heiress of John Hancock, esq. of Marlborough, but has no issue. This gentleman, who is a magistrate for the counties of Hereford, Radnor, and Wilts, and deputy lieutenant of the last shire, inherited the Wiltshire estates in 1817, upon the decease of Colonel Baskerville, and in the following year he assumed by sign-manual the surname and arms of that ancient and eminent family. He served the office of Sheriff for Wilts, in 1827.

Lineage.



The family of BASKERVILLE is one of the most ancient and honourable in England, its name is upon the roll of Battel Abbey, it has ever maintained the highest rank amongst the gentry, and it can boast of the blood of the PLANTAGENETS.

The Baskervilles came into Herefordshire soon after the Conquest,* and settling at Erdisley, became connected with the first families of the county, served the office of sheriff no less than twenty-one times, and were elected knights of the shire in eleven parliaments. Their pedigree has been authentically deduced, and is duly registered in the College of Arms.

SIR ROBERT BASKERVILLE, knt. of Erdisley Castle, in the county of Hereford, *m.* Agnes, daughter and heiress of Nesta, dau. of Rees ap Griffith, Prince of South Wales, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RALPH DE BASKERVILLE, lord of Erdisley, in the time of HENRY II. who *m.* a dau. of the Lord Clifford, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROGER DE BASKERVILLE, of Erdisley, living in the reign of HENRY II. who espoused a daughter of Sir Rothes de Gros, knt. Lord of Orcop, and was *s.* by his son,

WALTER DE BASKERVILLE, of Erdisley, temp. RICHARD I. who was *s.* by his son,

WALTER DE BASKERVILLE, who *m* Susan, dau. of Sir John Crigdon, knt. and had issue,

I. WALTER (Sir), who inherited Erdisley in the reign of HENRY III. He *m.* Sibella, dau. of John Streaton, and left at his decease, in 1290, two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.
   1. Joan, *m.* to Roger, son and heir of Walter, Lord Clifford.
   2. Sibill, *m.* to Hugh de Kinnersley.

II. RICHARD (Sir), of whom presently.

III. George, Lord of Lawton and Pickthorne, in the county of Salop, temp. EDWARD I. whose son,
   George, of Lawton and Pickthorne, was *s.* by his eldest son,
      Sir Richard Baskerville, knt. Lord of Pickthorne, who was *s.* by his son,
      Sir Roger Baskerville, of Pickthorne, who flourished in the reign of EDWARD III. He had three sons,
         WALTER (Sir).
         John, Lord of Weston, *d. s. p.*
         Richard, whose line terminated with his great-grandson,
            Sir John Baskerville, knt. of Weston, sheriff of Hereford, 5th EDWARD IV.
      The eldest son,
      Sir Walter Baskerville, knt. of Pickthorne, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Lucy, and was *s.* by his son,
      John Baskerville, of Pickthorne, who left an only daughter and heiress,
         MARGARET BASKERVILLE,

* In the year 1109, forty-three years after the Conquest, HENRY I. on the marriage of his eldest daughter levied a territorial impost of 3*s.* for every hide of land, and returns were in consequence made by the barons, &c. of the county of Hereford, in which Adam de Port returns the name of Radulphus de Baskerville, and Hugo de Lacy, that of Robertus de Baskerville.

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who *m.* William or Robert Fowlehurst.

The second son of Walter de Baskerville,

SIR RICHARD DE BASKERVILLE, M. P. for the county of Hereford in 1295 and 1297, became Lord of Erdisley at the decease of his elder brother. He *m.* ——, dau. of Sir — Sollers, knt. and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR WALTER DE BASKERVILLE, Lord of Combe, who *m.* in the 26th EDW. I. Sibill, dau. of Peter Corbet, of Caux, and dying about the 12th of EDWARD II. was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD DE BASKERVILLE, knt. of Erdisley, M. P. for the county of Hereford in 1347, who *m.* in the 14th EDWARD II. Jane, or Joane, daughter of Sir Richard Poines, or Poynings, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD BASKERVILLE, knt. of Erdisley, living temp. EDWARD III. *m.* Isabella, dau. and heiress of Sir Walter Caveley,* knt. by whom he had a son, his successor,

SIR RICHARD BASKERVILLE, knt. who *m.* Joan, dau. of Adam de Everingham, of Laxton, and dying 16th Sept. 1395, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN BASKERVILLE, knt. living in the reign of HENRY IV. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and heiress of John Brugge, of Letton and Stanton, and had issue,

- JOHN (Sir), his successor.
- Ralph, *b.* 21st October, 1410, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Sir John Blackett, knt. and left an only daughter and heiress,
  - JANE, *m.* to Simon Milbourne.

Sir John Baskerville was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN BASKERVILLE, knt. of Combe, *b.* 12th February, 1403. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of John Touchet, Lord Audley, and had issue,

i. JAMES (Sir), his successor.

ii. John, who *m.* Eleanor, dau. and heir of Thomas Holcot, of Wotton, and became possessed of that estate in right of his wife. He was father of William Baskerville, of Wotton, who left three daughters, his coheirs, viz.

1. Eleanor.
2. Joane, *m.* to Richard Monington, of Westhide, in the county of Hereford.
3. Jane, *m.* to Thomas Pembruge, of Mansel Gamage, in the county of Hereford.

iii. Henry. iv. Humphrey.

v. Sibill, *m.* to Richard Rowdon, of Rowdon.

Sir John *d.* 23rd December, 1455, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JAMES BASKERVILLE, knt. of Erdisley, M. P. for the county of Hereford in 1476 and sheriff 38th HENRY VI. 4th EDWARD IV. and 14th HENRY VII. He was made a knight banneret on the field, after the battle of Stoke, near Newark, in 1487, and a knight of the Bath at the coronation of HENRY VII. He *m.* Katherine dau. of Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers, of Chartley,* and had,

i. WALTER (Sir), his heir.

ii. John, who espoused Alice, daughter and heiress of John Bridges, of Hereford, and had a son,

- HENRY BASKERVILLE, who *m.* Anne, daughter of John Rufford, of the county of Gloucester, and had
  - 1. SIR THOMAS BASKERVILLE, knt. of Goodrest, in the county of Warwick, general of the English army in Picardy, who *m.* Mary, dau. of Sir Thomas Throgmorton, of Tortsworth, and dying in 1597, left a son and heir,
    - HANNIBAL BASKERVILLE, esq. lord of the manor of Sunningwell, in the county of Berks, who *m.* his first cousin, Mary, dau. of Capt. Nicholas Baskerville, and relict of John Morgan, esq. by whom he had sixteen sons and two daughters.

* The Harl. MSS. state that the wife of this gentleman was the dau. of Sir Richard Hampton, knt.

* Through this alliance the Baskervilles derive from the blood royal.

EDWARD I. King of England, *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Ferdinand III. King of Castile, and had, with other issue,

THE PRINCESS JOAN OF ACRES, (his second daughter), who espoused Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Gloucester, and had, *inter alios*,

LADY ELEANOR DE CLARE, eldest daughter and co-heir to her brother Gilbert, Earl of Gloucester. Her ladyship *m.* Hugh Le Despencer, Earl of Gloucester, one of the hapless favourites of EDWARD II. by whom (who was beheaded in 1326) she was mother of

SIR EDWARD LE DESPENCER, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Henry, Lord Ferrers, of Groby, and dying in 1342, left an only son,

SIR EDWARD LE DESPENCER, who, on the 30th EDWARD III. being then a knight, attended Edward the Black Prince into France, and shared in the glory of POICTIERS. For several years afterwards, Sir Edward continued in the French wars, and for his gallant conduct was summoned to par-

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2. Captain Nicholas Baskerville, who *m.* Constance, daughter of George Huntley, esq. and left a daughter, Mary, *m.* to her cousin, Hannibal Baskerville, esq.
3. John, } *d. s. p.*
4. Arnold, }

III. Philip, who left issue,
Thomas, of Netherwood, from whom sprang the Baskervilles of Netherwood, now extinct.
Edward.
James, of Kyre Park, in the county of Hereford, who *m.* Izaed, dau. of — Bulkeley, esq. of the Co. of Hants, and relict of Sir Francis Willoughby, by whom he had,
James, who was drowned in the river Wye.
Catherine, *m.* to Richard Tomkyns, esq. of Monington-upon-Wye.
—— *m.* to — Hardwicke, esq. of Hardwicke.
Mary, *m.* first, to John Scudamore, esq. of Thruxton; secondly, to James Garnons, esq. of Trelough; and thirdly, to William Parry, esq.
Honor.

Sir James Baskerville was *s.* by his son,

Sir Walter Baskerville, knt. of Erdisley, sheriff of Hereford, 9th of Edward IV. who was created a knight of the bath, on the marriage of Prince Arthur, in 1501. He *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Morgan ap Jenkin ap Philip, of Pencoyd, and had issue.

I. Sir James Baskerville, knt. of Erdisley, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of John Breynton, of the county of Hereford, by Sibilla dau. and co-heir of Simon Milborne, grandson of Sir John Milborne, by Eliza, dau. and heir of Sir John Eynsford,* and had five sons, viz.
1. James (Sir), of Erdisley, sheriff of Hereford 34th of Hen. VIII. *m.* Catherine, dau. of Walter, Visc. Hereford, but *d. s. p.* in 1573.
2. John, of Erdisley, whose male line terminated in 1617, upon the demise, issueless, of his great grandson, Sir Humphrey Baskerville, knt. of Eardesley, sheriff of Hereford in 1610.
3. Thomas (Sir), of Brinsop, county of Hereford, called in Nash's Worcestershire, of Wolves Hill, in the county of Worcester. This gentleman *m.* Eleanor, dau. and co-heir of Richard Abington, esq. of Brockhampton, in the county of Hereford, and relict of John Dansey, esq. of Brinsop, by whom he had an only dau. and heir,
Eleanor, *m.* to John Talbot, esq. of Grafton, by whom she was mother of John, tenth Earl of Shrewsbury.
4. Walter, of Erdisley, who *m.* Jane, relict of Thomas Thame, of Stovil or Stowell, but *d. s. p.*
5. Humphrey, of Aberedow and Lambedr, Co. Radnor, which estates he acquired in marriage with Eleanor, dau. and heir of John ap Gwillim. His son and heir,

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liament as Baron Despencer, from 15th December, 1357, to 6th October, 1372, being also honoured with the Garter. His lordship *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and heir of Bartholomew de Burgherah, Baron Burgherah, and had, with other issue,

Margaret Le Despencer, who *m.* Robert, Lord Ferrars, of Chartley, by whom she left at her decease, 3rd Henry V. a son and successor.

Edmund Lord Ferrars, of Chartley, who *m.* Elenor daughter and co-heiress of Sir Thomas de la Roche, knt. Baron of Roche, in the county of Pembroke, and was *s.* by his elder son,

William Lord Ferrers, of Chartley, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Hamon Belknap, knt. and dying 28th Henry VI. left an only dau. and heir,

Anne Ferrars, who espoused Walter Devereux, esq. (who became Baron Ferrars, of Chartley, in right of his wife), and had issue,

John, Lord Ferrars, of Chartley.

Katherine (as stated above) *m.* Sir James Baskerville, knt. of Erdisley.

* Gerard, Lord Furnival of Sheffield, a faithful Baron to King John, ob. 3 Hen. III. — Maud, daughter and heir of William de Luvetot of Worksop, Notts.

Thomas, Lord Furnival, slain by the Saracens, ancestor of the Lords Furnivals.

Gerard de Furnival, of Morden Furnival, *m.* Christian, dau. and heir of Guiscard Ledet, and widow of Henry de Braybrook.

Sir Gerard de Furnival *m.* Joan, dau. and co-heir to Hugh De Morvill.

Loretta, wife to John Ufflet.

Christian, *m.* to Sir John Eynsford, of Kings Peon.

Elizabeth, dau. and heir, *m.* to Sir John Milborne.

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JOHN BASKERVILLE esq. of Aberedow, *m.* in 1578, Sarah, dau. of Thomas Lewis, of Harpton Court, in Radnorshire, and was father of

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. of Lambedr in 1610, *m.* Eleanor, dau. of John Lewis, of Lanwenny, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES BASKERVILLE, esq. of Aberedow, who *m.* Dorothy, dau. of David Blayney, and by her, who *d.* in 1697, left a son,

JAMES BASKERVILLE, esq. of Aberedow, who *m.* in 1664, Elizabeth, dau. of Edward Griffin, esq. of Bickmarsh, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. who *m.* in 1700, Sybill, dau. of — Collins, esq. of Bryngwyn, in the county of Radnor, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. of Aberedow Court, who *m.* in 1726, Meliora, eldest dau. of Richard Baskerville, esq. of Richardston, in Wiltshire, by Jane, dau. of Sir Richard Gore, knt. and left at his decease in 1740, an only daughter and heiress,

PHILIPPA, who *m.* in 1767, the Rev. John Powell, of Penland, Co. Radnor, by whom (who *d.* in 1819) she had an only dau. and heiress,

MELIORA, *m.* in 1787, to PETER RICKARDS-MYNORS, esq. of Treago.

II. John, (second son of Sir Walter Baskerville, by the daughter of Ap Philip) who left a son Henry.

III. Thomas of Pontrilas.*

IV. Elizabeth, wife of Kynard. Delabere, or according to some, of Sanacre Delabere, of Kynardsley.

Sir Walter *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry ap Milo ap Harry, of Poston, by whom he had further issue,

V. Philip, who *m.* Agnes, dau. of John Hamlyn, of Wilts.

VI. Edward.

VII. William, sheriff of Hereford, 9 ED. IV.

VIII. James, from whom some assume the Netherwood branch to be descended.

IX. Simon, of whom we are just about to treat.

SIMON BASKERVILLE, esq. *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of — Brand, esq. of Wanborough, in the county of Wilts, and left three sons,

1. WILLIAM, of Wanborough, who *d.* in 1604, leaving two daughters, viz.
   ELIZABETH, *m.* to Hon. Thomas Petre.
   MARY, *m.* to Thomas Foster, esq. eldest son of Sir Thomas Foster, knt. one of the justices of the court of common-pleas.
2. Thomas, whose son,
   James, *m.* twice, but, *d. s. p.*
3. GEORGE.

The youngest son,

GEORGE BASKERVILLE, esq. of Tewkesbury, Co. Gloucester, *m.* Eleanor, dau. of — Quarrel, esq. of Blockland, of Evesham, Co. Worcester, and had issue,

1. SIMON, who went to sea, about the time of Tilbury Camp, and *d. s. p.*
2. THOMAS.
3. Anne, who *m.* twice, but *d.* issueless, about the year 1644.

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. (the second son) of Richardston, in the county of Wilts, *m.* in 1604, Johan Lor, by whom he had issue,

1. Thomas, } who *d.* issueless.
2. William, }
3. FRANCIS, successor to his father.
4. Jenwora, *m.* to John Grubhe, esq. of Potherne. From this alliance de-

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* This gentleman left an illegitimate son, WALTER BASKERVILLE, of Pontrilas, who *m.* Jane, dau. and co-heir of Richard Monington, esq. of Westhide, and Joan, his wife, daughter and co-heir of John Baskerville, esq. of Wotton, by whom he had a son and successor, JAMES BASKERVILLE, of Pontrilas, of whom it is recorded, that by two wives he had thirty children, and nearly as many by concubines. He *m.* Sybille, dau. of Sir Humphrey Baskerville, of Erdesley, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

WALTER BASKERVILLE, of Pontrilas, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Henry Vaughan, esq. of Moccas, and was *s.* by his son,

HUMPHREY BASKERVILLE, of Pontrilas, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Aubrey, knt. and had two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

1. MARY, *m.* first to Sir Edward Morgan, bart. of Lantarnam, county of Monmouth; secondly, to John Howe, esq. by the latter of whom she had a son,
   JOHN HOWE, elevated to the peerage 14th GEORGE II. as BARON CHEDWORTH, (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).
2. Cecil, *m.* to Bartholomew Games, esq. of the family of Aberbran, in the county of Brecon.

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rive Grubbe of Potherne, and Benson of Salisbury.

5. Catharine, *m.* to Henry Grubbe, esq.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to John, son and heir of Sir John Lambe, knt. of Colston.
7. Anne, *m.* to John Polwhele, esq. of Polwhele, and from this marriage lineally derives the present

REVEREND RICHARD POLWHELE, of Polwhele, the well-known antiquary of Cornwall and Devon.

8. Mary, *m.* to William Riven, esq.

The only surviving son and heir,

FRANCIS BASKERVILLE, esq. *b.* in 1615, *m.* in April, 1635, Margaret, second daughter of John Glanvill, esq. of Broadhinton, in the county of Wilts, (afterwards Sir John Glanvill, knt.) by whom, who *d.* 28th March, 1696, he had, with four daughters, three sons, viz.

WALTER, *d. s. p.* in 1696.

THOMAS.

Francis, living in 1650.

The second son,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Jones, esq. of Hanham, in the county of Gloucester, and had, with veral other children, (who appear to have all *d.* issueless,)

RICHARD, eldest surviving son, and successor to his father.

George, of Winterbourne Basset, who *d.* 20th May, 1755, at the age of seventy-three, leaving, with other issue, a daughter,

Jane, *m.* to her cousin, Thomas Baskerville, esq.

Thomas Baskerville was *s.* at his decease by his eldest surviving son,

RICHARD BASKERVILLE, esq. of Richardston, who espoused Jane, daughter of Sir Richard Gore, knt. of Barrow Court, in the county of Somerset, and widow of --- Raymond, esq. by whom he had issue,

I. THOMAS, his successor.

II. MELIORA, *b.* in 1701, who *m.* in 1726, Thomas Baskerville, esq. of Aberedow Court, and left an only child and heiress,

PHILIPPA, who *m.* in 1767, the Rev. John Powell, of Penland, and had an only daughter and heiress,

MELIORA POWELL, who *m.* first, in 1787, PETER RICKARDS-MYNORS, esq. of Treago, by whom (who *d.* in 1794) she had issue,

1. PETER RICKARDS-MYNORS, esq. of Treago, (see that family).
2. THOMAS BASKERVILLE, of whom presently, as successor to his relative, Colonel Baskerville.
3. Meliora, *m.* in 1815, to Hugh-Hovell Farmer, esq. of Dunsinane, in the county of Wexford, and has issue.

Mrs. Rickards-Mynors espoused, secondly, Jaspar Farmer, esq. but dying in 1829, left no further issue.

III. Jane, *m.* to Thomas Roding, esq. of Salisbury, and *d. s. p.*

Mr. Baskerville, of Richardston, *d.* 14th September, 1739, aged seventy-two, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. who espoused his cousin, Jane, daughter of George Baskerville, esq. of Winterbourne Basset, and left issue at his decease, in 1758, (with a daughter, Meliora, who *d.* unmarried, in 1773) a son and successor,

THOMAS BASKERVILLE, esq. lieutenant-colonel of the 60th regiment of foot, who *m.* first, Anne, only daughter of the Rev. James O'Neile, of Ballyshannon, in the county of Donegal, and secondly, Jane, youngest dau. of Thomas Bishop, esq. of Kinsale, but having no issue by either of these ladies, his estates devolved, at his decease in 1817, upon his cousin,

THOMAS-BASKERVILLE MYNORS, esq. who assumed, in 1818, (as stated above,) the surname and arms of BASKERVILLE, of which very ancient house himself and his brother, Peter Rickards-Mynors, esq. are the representatives.

Arms—Arg. between three hurts a chev.

Quarterings—(Same as those of MYNORS.

Crest—A wolf's head erased arg. holding in its mouth a broken spear; staff or, head arg. imbued gu.

Motto—Spero ut fidelis.

Estates—In Wilts, Herefordshire, Radnorshire, Hants, Dorset, and Berks.

Seat—Clyrow Court, in the county of Radnor.

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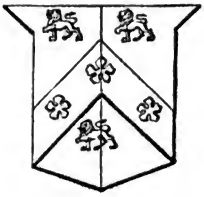
HOSKEN, OF CARINES.

HOSKEN, JOSEPH, esq. of Carines and Ellenglaze, both in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 20th November, 1773, *m.* 28th June, 1796, Jean, only daughter of James Harvey, esq. alderman and twice Mayor of Bristol, by whom he has had issue,



JOSEPH, *b.* 1st November, 1798, and *d.* unmarried, 17th November, 1823.
JAMES-HARVEY, *b.* 21st November, 1803.
John, *b.* 17th May, 1808.
Richard-Finlay, *b.* 17th September, 1811.
Charles-Henry, *b.* 13th December, 1814.
Alison-Harvey, *d.* 2nd April, 1811.
Jean-Anderson, *d.* 8th August, 1821.
Maria, *d.* 15th January, 1803.

This gentleman succeeded his father in 1810. He served for many years as captain in the Royal Cornwall Militia, and afterwards as Major of the 2nd Cornwall Yeomanry Cavalry. He has also been for a long period one of his majesty's justices of the peace, and a deputy lieutenant, and deputy warden of the Stannaries of Cornwall.

Lineage.

The HOSKENS have been respectable landowners in the county of Cornwall for a series of years. They were formerly seated at the Barton of Hoskens, in the parish of St. Enedor, whence they removed, in the sixteenth century, to Hendra Green, in the parish of St. Stephens, near Launceston.

JOHN HOSKEN, esq. the lineal descendant and representative of the family, was buried in the parish church of St. Stephens the 9th January, 1742. By his wife, Jane, (daughter of — Hosken, esq. of Eglaskerry), he left several children, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD HOSKEN, esq. *b.* in 1708. This gentleman *m.* in 1732, Edith, eldest daughter of John Edgecombe, esq. of Cargantle, in the county of Cornwall (a branch of the noble family of Edgecumbe, of Mount Edgecumbe), and was *s.* by his only son,

JOHN HOSKEN, esq. *b.* in 1744; who *m.* in 1770, Johanna, daughter of John Hutchings, of Woodcotte, in the county of Devon, by his wife, Joan Gray (of an ancient family in the parish of Black Torrington, and related to the poet of that name). In 1780, upon the demise of his cousin, Joseph Hosken, esq. of Carines, in the parish of Cubert, he removed to that place, now the property and residence of his son. Mr. Hosken *d.* 12th April, 1810, leaving three sons and two daughters, viz.

JOSEPH, present representative of the family.
JOHN, who has assumed the surname of HARPUR.
Richard, *b.* in 1784.
Jane.
Maria.

Arms—Per pale gu. and az. a chevron or, charged with three cinquefoils, between three lions passant arg.

Motto—Vis unita fortior.

Estates — Manors of Ellenglaze and Carines, with various other possessions in Cubert, Crantock, and the adjoining parishes. Ellenglaze was purchased by the HOSKENS from the heirs of the family of Robartes, Earls of Radnor, in 1750. Carines, and the other estates, have been in the possession of the family for more than a century and a half.

Seats—Carines, and Ellenglaze, both in the county of Cornwall.

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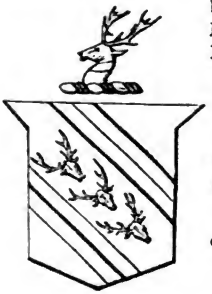
STANLEY, OF DALEGARTH.



STANLEY, EDWARD, esq. of Dalegarth and Ponsonby Halls, in the county of Cumberland, M.P. for that shire, *b.* in 1790, *m.* in Dec. 1821, Mary, dau. of William Douglas, esq. one of the judges in the East Indies, and had, with three daughters, three sons, viz.

EDWARD, *b.* September, 1822, *d.* 1825.
William, *b.* September 14th, 1829.
George-Edward, *b.* November 21st, 1831.

Mr. Stanley succeeded to his estates at the decease of his father, November 17th, 1806.

He is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of the county of Cumberland, and was sheriff of that shire in 1823.

Lineage.

The Stanleys rank amongst the most ancient and influential families in the kingdom. They were of consequence, says Camden, half a century before the conquest, and they have invariably held an eminent place in history. The branch, of which we are more immediately about to treat, has been located in the north for several centuries, and the most ancient of their estates in Cumberland have descended through an unbroken succession of father and son over a period of not less than five hundred years, to the present proprietor.

From

HENRY STANLEIGH DE STONELEY, who lived forty years before the conquest, lineally descended

SIR WILLIAM DE STANLEY, who, espousing Joan, eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir Philip Baumville, Lord of Stourton, became possessed of the manor and bailywick of Wyrall Forest, and thereupon assumed the armorial bearings since used by his descendants, viz. three stags' heads on a bend. By the heiress of Stourton he had, with other issue, a son and successor,

JOHN STANLEIGH, Lord of Stanley and Stourton, who *m.* Mabel, daughter of Sir James Hawsket, knt. and had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir), Lord of Stanley and Stourton, who had three sons,

1. WILLIAM, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of William de Hooton, Lord of Hooton, in Cheshire, and from this alliance lineally descends the present

   SIR THOMAS STANLEY-MASSEY-STANLEY, bart. of Hooton, in the county of Chester.

2. JOHN (Sir), from whom derives EDWARD SMITH - STANLEY, EARL OF DERBY (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

3. Henry.

JOHN, of whom presently.

The second son,

JOHN STANLEIGH, purchased lands at Greswithen, in the county of Cumberland, and represented the city of Carlisle in parliament, 20th Edward III. His son and heir,

JOHN STANLEIGH, OF GRESWITHEN, living temp. EDWARD III. bought lands in Embleton and Brackenthwaite, in the county of Cumberland, in 1335, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

NICHOLAS STANLEIGH, of Greswithen, who marrying Constance, daughter and heiress of Thomas de Awsthwaite, Lord of Awsthwaite, acquired that manor (now denomi-

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nated Dalegarth), as appears by deed dated anno 1345. The lordship of Awsthwaite was granted by Arthur Boyvill, in 1102, to Adam de Awsthwaite, in whose family it continued for 225 years, until the heiress married with the Stanleys. In 1388, Nicholas Stanleigh obtained by purchase, the manor and demesne of Ponsonby. He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS STANLEIGH, Lord of Awsthwaite, (in the records, called Stanlaw), living in the reign of HENRY VI. who represented the city of Carlisle in parliament.

NICHOLAS STANLEIGH, esq. Lord of Awsthwaite, his son and heir, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, who, espousing Ann, daughter of Sir Richard Hudleston, knt. acquired lands called Hyton, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM STANLEY, esq. of Awsthwaite and Dalegarth, living 17th HENRY VII. who *m.* Alice, daughter of Sir Richard Ducket, knt. and had a son,

THOMAS STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Fleming, esq. and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, who was appointed master of the mint in 1570, and obtained from his father the ancient family possessions of Greswithen, Embleton, and Brackenthwaite. He *m.* Lady Mytford, relict of Sir James Mytford, knt. by whom he had an only daughter and heiress,

MARY, who *m.* the Honourable Sir Edward Herbert, afterwards created EARL OF POWIS (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).

The eldest son,

JOHN STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Senhouse, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, who purchased, in 1577, the manor of Birkby, in the county of Cumberland, from his cousin-german, the Countess of Powis. He *m.* Isabel, daughter of John Leake, esq. of Edmonton, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, who *m.* Ann, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Briggs, esq. of Cawmire, in the county of Westmoreland, and had a son,

JOHN STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, his successor. This gentleman, an active and zealous royalist, was heavily fined by parliament; but the penalty was subsequently mitigated.* He obtained a grant from the crown, of the fair and weekly market of Ravenglass, and likewise purchased the manor of Birker. Mr. Stanley espoused, first, Mary, daughter of Thomas Stanley, esq. of Lee, in the county of Sussex; and secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Henry Featherstonhaugh, of Featherstonhaugh, in the county of Northumberland. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

EDWARD STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, who *m.* Isabel, eldest daughter of Thomas Curwen, esq. of Sella Park. This gentleman was high sheriff for the county of Cumberland at the revolution, and proclaimed *King* WILLIAM.

His son and successor,

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* The following curious certificates are still in the possession of the Stanleys.

L. S.

Whereas it appeareth by certificate, under the hand of Mr. Leech dated 29 Jan. 1648, that John Stanley of Dalegarth in the county of Cumberland Esq. hath compounded and paide in and secured his fine, at the committee at Goldsmith's Hall: these are therefore to require you, on sight hereof, to forbear to offer any violence to his person or to any of his family, at his house at Dalegarth in the county of Cumberland, or to take away any of his horses or other things, they doing nothing prejudicial to the parliament or army.

Given under my hand and seal 1st Feb. 1648.

T. FAIRFAX.

To all officers and soldiers under my command.

L. S. Six quarterings.

Whereas John Stanley of Dalegarth in the co. of Cumberland esq. hath subscribed to his composition and paid and secured his fine, according to the direction of Parliament: these are therefore to require and command you to permit and suffer him and his servants, quietly to pass into Dalegarth abovesaid, with their horses and swords, and to forbear to molest or trouble him or any of his familie, there, without seizing or taking away any of his horses or other goods or estate whatsoever; and to permit and to suffer him or any of his family, at any tyme, to pass to any place, about his or their occasions, without offering any injury or violence to him or any of his family, either at Dalgarth, or in his or their travells, as you will answer your contempt, at your utmost perrils.

Given under my hand and seal this second of February, 1648.

O. CROMWELL.

To all officers and souldiers and all others whom these may concern.

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JOHN STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth, bought the rectory of Ponsonby, and the tithes and church lands thereunto belonging; with many other valuable estates in that parish. On his marriage, he built Ponsonby Hall, to which seat he removed in 1687 from Dalegarth, the ancient residence of the family. He wedded Dorothy, co-heiress of Edward Holt, esq. of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and had three sons,

EDWARD, his successor.

John, in holy orders, rector of Workington, who *m.* Clara, daughter of John Philipson, esq. of Calgarth, in the county of Westmoreland, and had a son, Edward, who *m.* Julia, daughter of John Christian, esq. of Unerigg, by whom she had several children.

Holt, a lieutenant in brigadier-general Wentworth's regiment of foot, *d.* unmarried, in the expedition against Porto Bello.

The eldest son,

EDWARD STANLEY, esq. of Dalgarth, espoused Mildred, youngest daughter of Sir George Fleming, bart. lord-bishop of Carlisle, by whom he had (with four daughters beside, who all *d.* unmarried),

GEORGE - EDWARD, his successor, *b.* March, 1748.

Dorothy, *m.* to lieutenant Joseph Dacre, and *d.* the year after marriage.

Edward Stanley *d.* in 1751, and was *s.* by his only son,

GEORGE-EDWARD STANLEY, esq. of Ponsonby and Dalegarth, who *m.* first, in 1774, Dorothy, youngest daughter of Sir William Fleming, bart. of Rydal, by whom (who *d.* in 1786) he had two daughters, Mildred and Elizabeth. He espoused, secondly, in 1789, Elizabeth, daughter of Morris Evans, esq. of the county of Middlesex, and had further issue,

EDWARD, present proprietor.

George, *b.* in 1791.

Jane.

Mr. Stanley, who served the office of sheriff for Cumberland in 1774, was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, EDWARD STANLEY, esq. of Dalegarth and Ponsonby, now representative of the family, and twenty-fourth in direct lineal descent from HENRY STANLEIGH, of Stoneley.

Arms—Arg. on a bend cottised vert az. three bucks' heads cabossed or, quartering the AWSTHWAITE arms, viz. gu. two bars arg. in chief three mullet of six points pierced or.

Crest—A stag's head argent, attired or, collared vert.

Motto—Sans changer.

Estates—Dalegarth, an extensive property in Eskdale, which came into possession of the Stanley family in 1345, and has descended from father to son to the present proprietor; the manors of Binker-Awsthwaite and Binkby; Ponsonby Hall, together with the manor and nearly the whole of the parish of the same name; fisheries of salmon; and the tithes and patronage of the churches in Eskdale and Ponsonby.

Seats—Dalegarth Hall, and Ponsonby Hall, both in the county of Cumberland.

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SMITH, OF ASHLYNS HALL.

SMITH JAMES, esq. of Ashlyns Hall, in the county of Herts, *m.* first Frances, sister of the Right Honorable Charles Arbuthnot, by whom he had an only son,

JAMES, *b.* in 1800, *d.* in 1811.

He espoused secondly, in 1803, Mary-Isabella, daughter of the late Augustus Pechell, esq. receiver general of his Majesty's customs, and niece of Sir Thomas Pechell, by whom (who *d.* in 1823) he has had issue,

AUGUSTUS, *b.* 15th September, 1804.
Frederick-George, *b.* 20th March, 1806, *d.* in June, 1826.
Robert-Algernon, *b.* 2nd October, 1814.
Frances-Mary-Isabella.
Paulina-Wilhelmina.

Mr. Smith served the office of high sheriff of the county of Herts, in 1831.

Lineage.

This family, with the collateral branches of Sir George Bromley and Lord Carrington, derive immediately from Thomas Smith, of Reyworth, in the county of Nottingham, and of Gadesby, in Leicestershire, who was a descendant of the Smiths, of Ashby Folville and Gadesby, and from whom he inherited this latter property in 1699. The Smiths of Ashby deduced their origin from Sir Michael Carrington, standard-bearer to King RICHARD I. in the Holy Land, one of whose descendants changed his name to SMYTH during the conflicts between the houses of York and Lancaster, for purposes of concealment, which surname remained afterwards that of the family.

THOMAS SMITH, esq. of Reyworth, *m.* Fortune, daughter of Laurence Collin, esq. banker, at Nottingham, and had issue,

THOMAS, who served the office of high sheriff for the county of Leicester. He *m.* Miss Mary Manley, and had five daughters, viz.

1. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Tomson, D.D.
2. Elizabeth, *m.* to Giles Eyre, esq.
3. Catherine, *m.* to William Ring, esq.
4. Anne, *m.* to Henry Walters, esq.
5. Harriet *d* unmarried.

SAMUEL, of whom hereafter.

Abel, of Nottingham, banker, *m.* Jane, daughter of George Beaumont, esq. of Chapelthorpe, in Yorkshire, and had issue,

1. GEORGE, created a baronet in 1757, whose son, Sir George Smith, the second baronet, assumed the surname of "Bromley."
2. John, of London, merchant.
3. ABEL, whose son,

ROBERT, was elevated to the peerage, 16th July, 1796, as LORD CARRINGTON.

SAMUEL SMITH, esq. (the second son of Thomas Smith, of Reyworth), left issue,

John, who *d.* unmarried.

Thomas, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of John Lister, esq. of Sysonby, and had an only daughter, who espoused the late Sir Philip Hales.

Samuel.

The third son

SAMUEL SMITH, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Watson, esq. and had issue,

SAMUEL, M.P. for Worcester, who *m.* Miss Lockyer, daughter and heiress of George Lockyer, of Mappleton,

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Somersetshire, and left issue three daughters.

Thomas, who *m.* the Hon. Mary Hutchinson, daughter of the Right Hon. John Hely-Hutchinson, and aunt of the present Earl of Donoughmore by whom (who *d.* in 1821) he had issue,

1. Hely-Hutchinson, in holy orders, now deceased.
2. A daughter.
3. C. Jocelyn Mary, *m.* to the Rev. H. B. Tristram, and *d.* 3rd August, 1830, leaving two sons and four daughters.

William, *d.* young.

Charles, who *d.* leaving three sons and one daughter.

William, *d.* young.

George, *d.* leaving three sons and a daughter.

James, present possessor of Ashlyns.

Arms---Or, a chevron cottised between three demi-griffins, the two in chief respectant sa.

Crest---An elephant's head, erased or, eared gu.

Motto---Preignes haleine tire fort.

Estate---Ashlyns Hall, near Great Berkhampstead, Herts, purchased in 1801.

Seat---Ashlyns Hall, Herts.

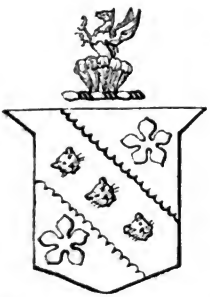
ALDERSEY, OF ALDERSEY.

ALDERSEY, SAMUEL, esq. of Aldersey and of Spurstow, in the county of Chester, *m.* 9th August, 1824, Lucy, daughter of George Baylis, esq of Shifnal, Salop, and has issue,

Hugh-Robert, *b.* 19th November, 1828.
Thomas, *b.* 30th March, 1830.
Susan-Mary.
Lucy-Anne.

Mr. Aldersey, who served the office of high sheriff for the county of Chester in 1816, *s.* his father in 1803.

Lineage.



The family of Aldersey is of great antiquity in the county of Chester.

Hugh de Aldersey, of Aldersey, who flourished temp. Henry III. was father of

Adam de Aldersey, lord of a moiety of Aldersey, who had three sons, viz.

Ralph, his heir.

Robert, of Middle Aldersey, ancestor of the Alderseys of that place.

William.

From the eldest son,

Ralph Aldersey, of Aldersey, who *d.* in 1327, lineally descended,

William Aldersey, esq. of Aldersey, living temp. Henry VI. who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of John Stalker, of Lower Spurstow, and was *s.* by his son,

Henry Aldersey, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow. This gentleman *m.* Jane, daughter of John Hockenhull, esq. of Hockenhull, and had issue,

John, his successor.

Robert, *m.* Anne, daughter of Malbon, of Malpas, and was ancestor of the Alderseys who settled in Kent and in Staffordshire.

Hugh, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Randle Bamville, of Gawsworth, and had an only daughter, Margaret, who es-

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poused, first, Henry Bunbury, esq.; and, secondly, Sir Rowland Stanley.

Richard, of Picton, *m.* Margaret, daughter of James Cotgreave, esq. of Hargrave, and was grandfather of

WILLIAM ALDERSEY, the celebrated antiquary, mayor of Chester in 1614.

Henry Aldersey was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, who *m.* Anne, daughter and eventually heiress of Thomas Bird, esq. of Clutton, by whom he had, inter alios,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, founder of the school of Bunbury, *m.* Alice, daughter of Richard Calthrop, esq. of Allingham, Norfolk, but dying *s. p.* his estates passed to his nephew, John Aldersey, esq. of London.

ohn Aldersey *d.* in 1528, and was *s.* by his ldest son,

JOHN ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and purstow. This gentleman espoused Anne, aughter of Hugh Aston, esq. of Aston Green, and was *s.* in 1582, by his son,

RANDLE ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, whose great-grandson,

THOMAS ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, barrister-at-law, *b.* in 1634, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Lee, esq. of Dernhall, and dying in 1715, was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, who wedded in 1698, Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Webb, gent. of Middlewick, but leaving no issue at his decease in 1730, the estates devolved upon his brother,

THE REV. SAMUEL ALDERSEY, of Aldersey and Spurstow, rector of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster. This gentleman *m.* Henrietta, daughter of Henry Bridgeman, D.D. bishop of Sodor and Man, third son of John, lord bishop of Chester, and had issue,

THOMAS, M.D. *b.* in 1704; *m.* Mary, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Cornelius Hignett, esq. of Darland, and *d. s. p.* in 1743.

John, *d.* unmarried.

Robert, *d. s. p.*

Bridgeman, *m.* Nancy, daughter of Foote Gower, M.D.

Henry, } both predeceased their fa-
Charles, } ther.

SAMUEL.

Samuel Aldersey *d.* in 1742, and the estates ultimately devolved upon his only surviving son,

THE REV. SAMUEL ALDERSEY, of Aldersey and Spurstow, who *m.* Margaret, youngest daughter and co-heir of Cornelius Hignett, esq. of Darlands, and was *s.* at his decease, in February, 1802, by his son,

ROBERT ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, *b.* in 1738, a bencher of the Inner Temple, at whose decease, unmarried, in November, 1802, the estates devolved upon his brother,

SAMUEL ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, only child of William Wotton, esq. of Haddenham, in the county of Bucks, and had issue,

SAMUEL, his successor.

Thomas.

Catherine.

Margaret.

Elizabeth.

Mr. Aldersey *d.* in 1803, and was *s.* by his elder son, SAMUEL ALDERSEY, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Gu. on a bend engrailed arg. between two cinquefoils or, three leopards' heads cabossed vert.

Crest—A demi griphon segreant gu. beaked and armed issuing from a plume of five ostrich feathers or.

Estates—ALDERSEY, in the parish of Coddington, possessed since the Conquest; Spurstow, and other estates, in Bunbury; and Peel Hall, in the parish of Tarvin.

Seat—Aldersey Hall and Spurstow Hall, both in Cheshire.

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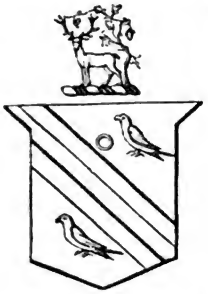
ISHERWOOD, OF MARPLE.

ISHERWOOD, JOHN, esq. of Marple Hall, Cheshire, and of Bradshawe Hall, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* 19th June, 1776, *m.* 19th October, 1812, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of the Reverend Thomas Bancroft,* M.A. vicar of Bolton, a justice of the peace, and chaplain to Viscount Castle-Stuart, and has issue,



THOMAS-BRADSHAW, *b.* 10th February, 1820.
Elizabeth.
Anna-Maria.
Meriam.
Anne-Magdalen.
Margaret-Sarah.
Esther-Alice.
Jemima.

Mr. Isherwood, who is a bachelor of arts of Trinity College, Cambridge, succeeded his brother on the 26th of January, 1801, and served the office of sheriff for Cheshire, in 1815.

Lineage.

The township of MARPLE, or as it was anciently written MERPULL, was granted by deed without a date, by Randle, Earl of Chester, to Robert, son of Robert de Stokeport, and conveyed by the said Robert to his sister Margery, and her husband, WILLIAM VERNON, chief justice of Chester. It remained in the Vernon family until the decease of Sir George Vernon, called the King of the Peak, who left two daughters; one, Dorothy, *m.* to Sir John Manners, and the other, MARGARET, *m.* to Thomas Stanley, of Winwick. In the partition of the lands of Sir George, Marple and Wybreslegh, with other estates, devolved upon his daughter, Margaret Stanley, and from the Stanleys Marple came by purchase to the Bradshawes.

HENRY BRADSHAWE, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Eyre, and had, with an elder son,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Christopher Clayton, of Cheshire, and left, with other children,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, who purchased, 4th June, 1606, Marple Hall, and lands in Marple and Wyberslegh, from Sir Edward Stanley, K.B. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter and co-heiress of George Bagshaw, of Ridge, in the county of Derby, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, living at Wyberslegh in 1606. He *m.* in 1593, Catherine, daughter and co-heiress of Ralph Winnington, esq. of Offerton, and had surviving issue,

HENRY, his successor.

JOHN, serjeant-at-law, the CELEBRATED PRESIDENT of the *assumed* high court of justice which determined the fate of the unhappy CHARLES. This remarkable person was baptised at Stockport 10th December, 1602. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Marbury, esq. of Marbury, in the county of Chester, and *d.* without legitimate issue, in 1659.

Francis.

Dorothy, *m.* in 1618, to George Newton, gent.

Anne, *d.* unmarried in 1669.

Henry Bradshawe *d.* in 1654, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, esq. of Marple, who

* Of the family of Archbishop Bancroft, temp. James I.

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m. first, Mary, daughter of Bernard Wells, of Hope, in Derbyshire, by whom he acquired Wyberslegh Hall, and had issue,

HENRY, his successor.

Anne, of Peel, in Lancashire, *d.* in 1692.

He espoused, secondly, Anne, daughter of George Bowden, esq. of Bowden, in the county of Chester, and had several other children. The name of this Henry Bradshawe is the first to the Cheshire petition, addressed to the two houses of parliament, 6th July, 1646, praying for the establishment of the presbyterian religion. He acted as a magistrate under the parliamentarian government, and had a commission in the army, being major in Colonel Dukenfield's regiment, under the appointment of Lord Fairfax, and he had also a lieutenant-colonel's commission in Colonel Ashton's regiment of foot. At a later period he was nominated to the command of the militia of Macclesfield Hundred, and was at its head at the battle of Worcester, where he was wounded. In 1652, Colonel Bradshawe was one of the court martial which sat on the trial of the Earl of Derby and other royalists at Chester. In 1660, the survivors of the persons who constituted that court, including Bradshawe, were summoned to appear before the lords' committee, appointed to consider of the privileges of the peerage of this kingdom, to whom the petition of the Countess of Derby had been referred. On this occasion it appears that Colonel Henry Bradshawe was confined in the house of Thomas Lee, a messenger of the black rod, from the 17th July to the 14th August, 1660, on which day the said Colonel Bradshawe, Henry Bradshawe, of Gray's-inn, and Cromwell Meverell, of Tideswell, in Derbyshire, were bound in £500 to Alexander Thane, gentleman usher of the black rod, for the said colonel's appearance. There were at Marple several forms for an apology or answer of Colonel Bradshawe to the charge against him, the substance of all which amounted to this:---" that being an officer under General Cromwell, he was by him commanded to be present at a court martial at Chester, for the trial of the Earl of Derby, and that not knowing what danger he might incur if he should absent himself, was sometimes, though not constantly, present at the managing the said trial, but never subscribed any warrant for the earl's execution: that he knew not by what authority his lordship was removed from Chester, but on the contrary laboured as much as he could to save the earl's life, and at the instance of the succeeding Earl of Derby, he presented a petition to Colonel Macworth, president of the court, for sparing the earl's life, and did earnestly press it, and should not have been present at the last court, but that he had engaged himself to deliver that petition; that being sent for by the late earl he did immediately attend him, and at his lordship's desire wrote to his brother, John Bradshawe, then president of the council of state, to use his utmost endeavours for sparing the earl's life; that he never had any thing which belonged to the said earl, his countess, or any of theirs: that he was a poor man, indebted, with a small estate, and a poor wife and eleven children, all unprovided, to maintain. Wherefore, intending for the future so to demean himself as becomes an obedient subject, he humbly craved the benefit of his majesty's most gracious pardon, and their lordship's favourable construction of the premises, and that his errors might be imputed to his much lamented ignorance and mistake." Henry Bradshawe obtained his release, as appears by a receipt for £40, dated 14th August, 1660, and signed Alexander Thane, being in full of fees due to him as usher of the black rod, from Colonel Henrie Bradshawe during his confinement; and by another signed Cromwell Meverell, dated 23rd February, 1660, for the colonel's pardon suing out, and thirty shillings paid to the master of the black rod as a gratuity on the delivery in of his bail book. On the 15th March following the said Henry Bradshawe was buried at Stockport: and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, esq. of Marple and Wyberslegh, who purchased Bradshawe Hall, in the county of Lancaster, in 1693. He *m.* Magdalen, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Barcroft, esq. of Barcroft, in the same shire, and had issue,

HENRY, his successor.

THOMAS, successor to his brother.

John, who *d. s. p.* in 1741.

Anne.

MARY, *m.* first, to William Pimlot, esq. and had issue,

JOHN PIMLOT, who *s.* to the Bradshawe estates under a settlement

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of his uncle, THOMAS BRADSHAWE.

Henry Pimlot, *d. s. p.*

Mrs. Pimlot espoused, secondly, Nathaniel Isherwood, esq. of Bolton-le-Moors. in Lancashire, and had other issue, viz.

NATHANIEL ISHERWOOD, who *s.* to the Bradshawe estates under his uncle, Thomas Bradshawe's, settlement, on the death of his half-brother, JOHN PIMLOT.

THOMAS ISHERWOOD, who *s.* his brother.

Mr. Bradshawe *d.* in 1698, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY BRADSHAWE, esq. of Bradshawe and Marple, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Derby in 1701. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Legh, esq. of the East Hall, in High Legh, but dying without issue, the estates devolved upon his brother,

THOMAS BRADSHAWE, esq. of Bradshawe and Marple, who *d. s. p.* 26th January, 1743--4, O.S. and having settled his estates upon (the sons of his sister) his nephews, and their male issue, was *s.* by the elder,

JOHN PIMLOT, esq. who had an only daughter, who *m.* Lindon Evelyn, esq. M.P. for Dundalk, but *d. s. p. m.* Mr. Pimlot was *s.* at his decease by his half brother,

NATHANIEL ISHERWOOD, esq. of Bradshawe and Marple, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of --- Brabin, esq. of Brabin's Hall, but dying in 1765, *s. p.* was *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS ISHERWOOD, esq. of Bradshawe and Marple. This gentleman espoused, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Attcroft, esq. of Gilibrand House, near Blackburn, by whom he had one son, who *d.* an infant, and six daughters. He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of Thomas Orrel, esq. of Mobberley, in the county of Chester, and had issue,

THOMAS BRADSHAWE, his successor.

HENRY BRADSHAWE, successor to his brother.

JOHN, present proprietor.

Magdalen-Barcroft, *m.* to Henry Salvin, esq. of Thorpe Salvin.

Mariann, *m.* to George Salvin, esq.

Hannah, who *d* unmarried, in 1798.

Mary-Anne, who *d.* unmarried.

Margaret, *d.* unmarried, in 1793.

Mr. Isherwood was *s.* at his decease, in 1778, by his eldest son,

THOMAS-BRADSHAWE ISHERWOOD, esq. *b.* in 1768, of Bradshawe and Marple, who *d.* unmarried, 5th January, 1791, and was *s.* by his brother,

HENRY-BRADSHAWE ISHERWOOD, esq. of Bradshawe and Marple, at whose decease, unmarried, in 1801, aged 26, the estates devolved upon his only surviving brother, JOHN ISHERWOOD, esq. the present proprietor.

Arms---Ar. two bendlets sa. between two martlets, of the second; for difference an annulet gules.

Crest---A stag at gaze ppr. under a vine-tree fructed ppr.

Quarterings: 1. and 6, ISHERWOOD.
2. BRADSHAWE, of Marple.
3. WINNINGTON.
4. OFFERTON.
5. BEARCROFT.

Estates---MARPLE, with the manor, by purchase from Sir Edward Stanley; lands in Offerton, by marriage with Catherine Winnington; the manor of Bradshawe and other lands, in Lancashire, by purchase from a collateral branch, temp. WILLIAM and MARY. Besides these hereditary lands, two estates in Marple and Offerton have been purchased by the present proprietor.

Seats---Marple Hall, Cheshire; Bradshawe Hall, in the county of Lancaster.

Note.---The poet Milton's mother was Sarah Bradshawe, a relation, no doubt, of the president Bradshawe.

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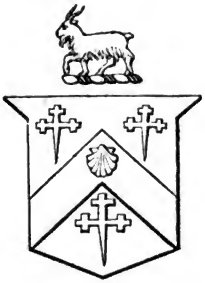
RUSSELL, OF BRANCEPETH.

RUSSELL, WILLIAM, esq. of Brancepeth Castle, in the county of Durham, *s.* his father 8th May, 1822, and was member of parliament for that shire.

Lineage.



WILLIAM RUSSELL, esq. of Brancepeth Castle (which he purchased) *b.* in 1734, was son of Robert Russell, esq. of Rowenlands, and great-grandson of Matthew Russell, esq. of Arnabie, in Cumberland. (See vol. ii. p. 6.) He *m.* first, Mary, dau. and co-heir (with her sisters, Elizabeth, wife of Robert Allan, esq. of Sunniside, co. Durham, and Anne, wife of John Maling, esq. of Bishopwearmouth Grange, in the same shire) of Robert Harrison, of Sunderland, near the sea, a merchant of considerable wealth. By this lady he had (with two daughters, the elder *m.* to Sir Gordon Drummond, and the younger to Colonel Bunbury,) a son, MATTHEW. He *m.* secondly, Anne, dau. of Edward Milbanke, esq. Collector of the Customs of the port of Sunderland, and grandaughter of Sir Ralph Milbanke, of Halnaby, county of York, bart. but had no further issue.

Mr. Russell commenced his fortunate career at Sunderland, near the sea, as a general merchant. He afterwards became a banker in partnership with his brothers-in-law, Messrs. Robert Allan and John Maling, and, as his opulence increased, speculated extensively in Collieries and by industry perseverance, and great good fortune, acquired immense wealth. He *d.* in 1817, one of the richest commoners in England. Among numerous other acts of beneficence, he founded and endowed an hospital at Cornsay, Durham, for aged persons of both sexes, to which he annexed a school for the education of the young.

His only son and successor,

MATTHEW RUSSELL, esq. of Brancepeth Castle, *m.* Miss Tennyson, sister of Charles Tennyson, esq. M.P. and had issue,

WILLIAM, present proprietor.

Emma-Maria, *m.* 9th September, 1828, to the Hon. Gustavus Frederick Hamilton, only son of Gustavus, present Viscount Boyne, and has issue.

Mr. Russell stood a severe but unsuccessful contest, in 1800, with Michael Angelo Taylor, esq. for the representation of the city of Durham. He was subsequently member for Saltash in several successive parliaments, and vice-lieutenant for the county of Durham. He *d.* in London 8th May, 1822, and was *s.* by his only son, WILLIAM RUSSELL, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms---Arg. on a chevron between three cross crosslets fitchee sa, an escallop or.

Crest---A goat passant arg.

Estates---The several manors and estates of Brancepeth, Brandon, Wests Parks, Wellington, Newton Hall, Hardwicke, Blakestone, Shotton, Foxton, Layton Thorpe, Fulthorpe, Thorpe Thewles, &c. in the county of Durham, and at Brysdale Abbey, in the county of York. Mr. Russell is also proprietor of extensive collieries in the county of Durham.

Seats---Brancepeth Castle and Hardwicke, in the county of Durham, and Brysdale Abbey, Yorkshire.

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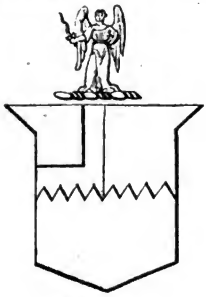
CANDLER, OF CALLAN.

CANDLER, WILLIAM, esq. an officer in the royal navy, succeeded his brother in February, 1825; married 4th June, 1829, Louisa, daughter of John Evered, esq. of Hill House, in the county of Somerset.



Lineage.

The family of Candler is of considerable antiquity in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, and the name was formerly written Candeler, and more anciently Kaendler, from which it is presumed to be of Saxon origin. A branch of this family became extinct in the reign of ELIZABETH, as the following inscription on a fine monument in Tottenham Church attests:

Here resteth in peace ye body of Richard Candeler Esq. Justice of Peace within ye County of Middel: born at Walsingha in the County of Norfolk---He married Eliza: Lock ye daughter & sole heir of Matthew Lock second son to Sr Wm Lock K^t they lived together in holie Wedlock 26 years they had issue one son and one daughter, Edward died in his Infantcie, and Anne the 1st Wife of Sr Ferdinando Heybourne Knight---He ended this life the 24th of Ootob^r A^o Dni 1602, aged 61 years and the said Eliza: deceased the 2^d day of Jan: 1622.

Here under buried.

Elizabeth Candeler
in testimonie of her love erected this
monument at her one charges 1618.

Here also resteth' in peace the body of Sr *Ferdinando Héybourne* Kn^t Justice of Peace & Coram in the County of Midd---He wayted at the Feet of *Qu: Elizabeth* of famous memory and our Soveraigne Lord K. James in their Privy Chambre---He was a careful Majestrate without respect of Persons and a true friend to the cause of the Poore---He married *Dame Anne* ye daur & heir of Richard Candeler Esqre they lived together in holy Wedlock 23 years he ended this life the 4th June A.D. 1618 aged 60 yeares and *Dame Anne* ended this life the 24th of June A.D. 1615. aged 44 yeares.

ON A GRAVESTONE ON THE FLOOR.

Hic jacet Domina Anna Uxor charissima Ferdinandi Heyborne
militis filia hæres Ric: Candeler Arm et Eliz: uxoris ejus quæ obijt 24. Junii 1615.
Prole carens Christi vice prolis amavit amantes
Charus ei ante omnes æger egensq: fuit.

WILLIAM CANDLER, esq. a Lieutenant-colonel in the army, under Cromwell, had considerable grants of land by patents, dated 28th November, 20th and 18th June, 21st of Charles II. in the counties of Kilkenny and Wexford, and thereupon settled in Ireland. He *m.* Anne, relict of Major John Villiers, by whom he had issue,

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1. THOMAS.
2. John, who *m.* the daughter and heiress of John Walsingham, esq. of Kilbline Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, by whom he left issue,
   Thomas Candler, of Kilbline, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Abraham Ball, esq. of Darver, in the county of Louth, and left two children.
   Walsingham Candler, *d. s. p.*
   Florinda, *d.* unmarried.

Lieutenant-Colonel Candler was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS CANDLER, esq. of Callan Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Captain William Burrell, by Elizabeth, sister and co-heir of the very Reverend Benjamin Phipps, Dean of Ferns (a branch of the family of Phipps, from which the Earls of Mulgrave descend), but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir Henry Tuite, bart. of Sonagh, in the county of Westmeath, (by Diana Mabbot, niece of Edward Hyde, the celebrated Earl of Clarendon, and first cousin of Her Royal Highness, Anne, Duchess of York, mother of the Queens Mary and Anne) by whom he had issue,

I. HENRY.
II. William Candler, D.D. of Castlecomer, in the county of Kilkenny, *m.* first, Miss Aston, by whom he had issue a son,
   1. Henry Candler, LL.D. *m.* Mrs. Elwood, daughter of — Matthew, esq. of Bonneston, in the county of Kilkenny, and left issue,
      Henry, a captain in the army, *d.* at St. Domingo in 1796, aged twenty-one years.
      Elizabeth.

He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter and co-heir of Charles Ryves, esq. and also co-heir (with her cousins, Mary-Juliana, Lady Morres, and Anne, wife of Thomas Croker, esq. of Backweston, in the county of Kildare, whose daughter and heiress was created a peeress, by the title of Baroness Crofton), of Sir Richard Ryves, knt. a baron of the Exchequer, by whom he had issue,

   2. Edward Candler, of Prior Park, and Combe Hill, in the county of Somerset, and of Aghamure, in the county of Kilkenny (sometime an officer in the army), who on succeeding to considerable estates in the counties of Norfolk and Lincoln, under the will of his relation, Margaret, relict of Sir Robert Brown, bart. and daughter of the Honourable Robert Cecil, second son of James, Earl of Salisbury, took the name and arms of BROWN, in addition to and after that of Candler, by sign manual, dated 6th May, 1803. He *m.* Hester, daughter of P. Bury, esq. of Little Island, in the county of Cork, but left no issue.
   3. Mary, *m.* --- Dobbyn, esq.
   4. Jane, *m.* first, to Captain S. Barrett, secondly, to Oliver Grace, esq. and thirdly, to James Hamilton, esq. of Sheephill, in the county of Dublin.
   5. Anne, *m.* to John Blunt, esq. of Arches Grove, in the county of Kilkenny, and left an only daughter,
      Mary, *m.* to John Helsham, esq. of Legget's Rath, in the county of Kilkenny, by whom she has issue.

III. Thomas, of Dublin, *m.* and left issue, John, of Castlewood, in the Queen's County, who *d. s. p.*

Thomas Candler, esq. of Callan, was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Venerable HENRY CANDLER, D.D. Archdeacon of Ossory, and Rector of the great living of Callan, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Francis Flood, esq. of Burnchurch, in the county of Kilkenny, sister of the Right Honourable Warden Flood, Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, and aunt to Sir Frederick Flood, bart. by whom (who *d.* 11th December, 1761) he had issue,

I. THOMAS.
II. William Candler, of Acomb, in the county of York, sometime a captain in the 10th regiment of foot, *m.* Mary, only daughter of William Vavasour, esq. of Weston-Hall, in the county of York, (by Anne, daughter of John Chaplin, of Tathwell, in the county of Lincoln, esq.) by whom he had issue,

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1. Henry, of whom hereafter.
2. Thomas (Sir), knight of the several Russian Orders of St. Anne, St. George, and St. Volidema, a rear-admiral in the service of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Russia, *m.* first, Marie de Lotaroff, a lady of a noble and ancient family of Russia, but had no issue; he *m.* secondly, Jane, eldest daughter of John Booker, esq. his Britannic Majesty's Consul at Cronstadt, by Isabella, daughter of Captain James Hamilton, of the Isle of Arran, N. B. by whom (who *d.* in 1824,) he had

   William-John, *b.* 15th August, 1816, *d.* 21st December following.
   Agrapina-Isabella.
   Annabella-Cope.
   Jane-Greig.
   Mary-Caroline-Catherine.
   Fanny, *b.* 3rd September, 1824, and *d.* 14th of the same month.
3. Annabella, *m.* to Sir Jonathan Cope, of Brewerne, in the county of Oxford, bart. by whom she had issue three sons, who all *d.* unmarried. Lady Cope *d.* 30th August, 1819, and Sir Jonathan 30th December, 1821, when the baronetcy became extinct.

III. Anne, *m.* to --- Berry, esq. of Dove Grove, in the King's County, and left issue.

Archdeacon Candler *d.* December, 1757, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Reverend THOMAS CANDLER, of Kilmoganny, *m.* Sarah, daughter of --- Lechwood, esq. but by whom having no issue, he was *s.* by his nephew,

HENRY CANDLER, esq. eldest son of Captain William Candler, of Acomb, co. York, by Mary Vavasour, his wife. This gentleman *m.* Mary, only child of William Ascough, esq. of Kirby Malzart, co. York, by whom (who *d.* 7th March, 1816), he had issue,

1. HENRY.
2. William.
3. Jonathan-Thomas, a lieutenant in the Russian Imperial Guards, *d.* unmarried, 12th February, 1832.
4. Edward, a deputy lieut. for Northamptonshire, *m.* in 1836, the Right Hon. Baroness Sempill.
5. Charles.
6. George.
7. Annabella.
8. Mary.
9. Emma, *m.* the Rev. Charles-William-Henry Evered, Rector of Exton, in the county of Somerset.
10. Charlotte, *d.* an infant.
11. Charlotte, *b.* January, 1813, and *d.* the 1st April following.
12. Hester.

He *d.* the 21st October, 1815, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY CANDLER, who *d.* unm. in Feb. 1825, and was *s.* by his brother, the present William Candler, esq. of the royal navy.

Arms---Quarterly; first and fourth, parted in tierce, per fess indented, the chief per pale, azure, and argent, the base or; a canton Gules, for CANDLER. Second and third, sable a fess, or, between three asses passant argent, for ASCOUGH.

Crest---The figure of an angel proper, vested argent, holding in the dexter hand a sword, the blade wavy of the first, pommel and hilt gold.

Motto---Ad mortem fidelis.

Present Residence --- Malvern Lodge, Worcestershire.

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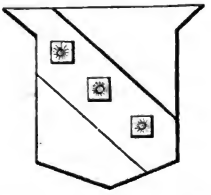
SHIPPERDSON, OF PIDDING-HALL GARTH.

SHIPPERDSON, EDWARD, esq. of Piddinghall-Garth, in the county of Durham, *b.* 20th September, 1780, *s.* his father in 1793.

Mr. Shipperdson is an acting magistrate and deputy lieutenant of the county of Durham.

Lineage.



The family of SHIPPERDSON have held lands by copy of court roll, in Bishop Wearmouth, since the commencement at least of the records of the Halmot Court, temp. EDWARD III.

WILLIAM SHIPPERDSON, esq. of Bishop Wearmouth and of Murton, in the county of Durham, living in 1635, *m.* Joan, daughter of John Goodchild, esq. of Ryhope, and sister of Robert Goodchild, esq. of Pallyon, by whom he had issue,

I. JOHN, his successor, who left three sons, viz.

1. JOHN, of Bishop Wearmouth, who was father of an only son,

JOHN, of Bishop Wearmouth, who *m.* in 1669, Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir of Ralph Smith, esq. of West Rainton, in Durham, and had three daughters; Elizabeth, Margaret, and Isabel.

2. GEORGE, of Newcastle, and afterwards of South Shields, who had issue,

GEORGE, of Biddick, in the county palatine, whose only daughter and heiress, Elizabeth, espoused Francis Middleton, esq. of Offerton.

John, who *d.* leaving three daughters; Anne, Dorothy, and Jane.

3. RICHARD, of Hetton-le-Hole, in the county of Durham, who *m.* in 1654, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Richard Walsh, esq. of Hetton, and left

RICHARD, *d. s. p.*

Robert, who *m.* Miss Dorothy Sedgewick, but had no issue.

John, *d.* issueless.

Joan, *m.* to John Johnson, of Newcastle.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Nicholson, of Sunderland.

II. Adam, a captain under Cromwell, who had issue, two sons, (both of whom *d. s. p.*) and several daughters.

III. EDWARD, of whom presently.

The third son,

EDWARD SHIPPERDSON, esq. of Murton, which he acquired by gift from his father, 24th November, 1645, was captain of a troop of horse* under General Monk. He *m.* Anne —, and had issue,

EDWARD, his successor.

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* The original commission under the hand and seal of "George Moncke, captain general and commander in chiefe of all the forces in England, &c." to Edward Shipperdson to be "Captaine of a troop of horse in Col. Francis Hacker his regiment" St. James, 25 Feb. 1659, with a commission signed in the name of the parliament of the Com'onwalth of England, by William Lenthall, Speaker 26 Jan. 1659," is in the possession of the present Edward Shipperdson, esq.

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Francis, of London, and afterwards of Gateshead, who *m.* and had issue.
John, described of Hall Garth, *m.* and resided in Ireland, where he was living *s. p.* at a very advanced age, in 1731.

The eldest son and heir,

EDWARD SHIPPERDSON, esq. espoused Margaret, sister and sole heiress of William Sympson, esq. of Piddinghall Garth, and grandaughter of Sir William Belasyse, of Murton, Durham, by whom (who *d.* in 1699) he had issue,

RALPH, successor to his father.
Robert, of Murton, *d.* unmarried.
Edward, of Pittington, *d.* unmarried, in 1715.

Edward Shipperdson was *s.* at his decease, in July, 1707, by his eldest surviving son,

RALPH SHIPPERDSON, esq. of Piddinghall Garth, who was appointed, in 1712, major of the Durham militia train bands. He espoused Margaret, only child and heiress of the Rev. Thomas Musgrave, of Great Salkeld, in the county of Cumberland, prebendary of Durham, and rector of Whitburn, (sixth son of Sir William Musgrave, bart, of Eden Hall, by Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Harrison, bart. of Copgrove), and had issue,

Christopher, *d.* young.
EDWARD, successor.
Ralph, *d. s. p.*

Margaret, executrix to her mother's will, *d.* unmarried.
Mary, *d.* in infancy.

Ralph Shipperdson, esq. *d.* 16th June, 1719, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

EDWARD SHIPPERDSON, esq. of Piddinghall Garth, who *m.* Margaret, only daughter of George Baker, esq. of Elemore, and had an only son and successor,

RALPH SHIPPERDSON, esq. of Piddinghall Garth, who espoused, in 1779, Frances, second daughter of the Rev. Samuel Kirshaw, D.D. vicar of Leeds and rector of Ripley and sister and co-heiress of the Rev. Richard Kirshaw, B.D. rector of Masham, by whom he had issue,

EDWARD, present possessor.
Ralph, *b.* 22nd February, 1784, a lieutenant in the royal navy, *d.* at sea in 1806.
Richard-Francis, *d.* young.
Thomas-Richard, in holy orders, rector of St. Mary-le-bonne, *b.* 3rd March, 1789.
Frances, *m.* to William Appletree, esq. of Goldings, near Basingstoke.
Anne-Mary.
Margaret, *m.* to Walter C. Hopper, esq. of Belmont.
Mary.

Mr. Shipperdson *d.* 8th November, 1793, and was *s.* by his eldest son, EDWARD SHIPPERDSON, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Sa. on a bend arg. three lozenges az. each charged with a planetary sun in his glory.

Motto—Nubem eripiam.

Estates—Piddingtonhall Garth, and East Morton (one half of the township in the parish of Dalton-le-Dale), with the farm of Carr House, in the parish of Houghton-le-Spring; all in the county of Durham.

Residence—Durham.

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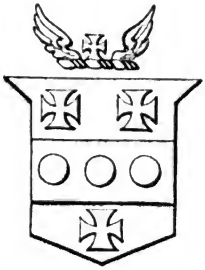
CLARKE, OF ARDINGTON.

CLARKE, WILLIAM-NELSON, esq. of Ardington, in the county of Berks, *b.* 26th April, 1799, *m.* 22nd February, 1827, Catherine, daughter of Lieutenant-General Thomas Molyneux (next brother of Sir Capel Molyneux, bart.) and has issue,

SOMERSET-MOLYNEUX.
Maria-Elizabeth-Molyneux.
Emily-Sarah.

Lineage.



JOHN CLARKE, of Inkpen, appears in the list of gentry for the county of Berks, returned into the exchequer 12th HENRY VI. (1433).

JOHN CLARKE, of Basildon, was seised of divers estates. He *m.* Lucy, daughter of Sir Walter Moyle, and dying 6th July, 1497, was buried in the chancel of Basildon church, where his gravestone yet remains, having the effigies of himself and his wife, and underneath the following inscription, all in brass plates:

"Hic jacet Johannes Clerke et Lucia uxor ejus, qui quidem Johannes obiit sexto die Julii anno Domini 1497. Quorum animabus et animabus puerorum suorum propicietur Deus. Amen." *

His son and heir,

JOHN CLARKE, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Thomas Champeney, of Devonshire, and had a son,

AUGUSTINE CLARKE, of whom mention occurs in a deed of 1496. His son and successor,

JOHN CLARKE, esq. was resident at Ardington in 1533. His will bears date 20th April, 1568, and the codicil thereto 10th October, 1570, shortly after which period he died possessed of a lease for sixty-one years of the manor of Ardington (the fee of which was subsequently purchased) and the freehold manors of East Hanney, Erles Court, and Isbury, together with estates in Basildon, Lockinge, Reading, and Strathfieldsay. He espoused Alicia, daughter and heir of --- Pikeman, of Basildon, and had, with three daughters, three sons, viz.

HENRY, whose issue became extinct in 1638.
JOHN, of whom presently.
Richard, *d. s. p.*

The second son,

JOHN CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Richard Smith, of Nether Winchendon, in the county of Bucks, and dying about the year 1596, was *s.* by his son,

SIR EDWARD CLARKE, of Ardington, who *m.* first, in 1599, Mary, daughter of Edmond Wiseman, esq. of Steventon, in the county of Berks, but had by her no surviving issue. He espoused, secondly, Susanna, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Temple, bart. of Stowe (ancestor of the present Duke of Buckingham) by Hesther,† daughter of Miles Sandys, esq. of Latimers, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas, bachelor of medicine.

* This is represented in Gough's Sepulchral Monuments, where this gentleman is erroneously called a priest.

† Fuller, in his "Worthies of England," relates that Lady Temple lived to see seven hundred of her own descendants.

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Susanna, *m.* to William Wollascot, esq. of Wolhampton, in the county of Berks, the head of an ancient Catholic family, which terminated in an heiress,

HENRIETTA-MARIA, who *m.* in 1755, Arthur, seventh Earl of Fingall, and had, with other issue,

ARTHUR, *present* EARL OF FINGALL.

Hesther, *m.* to Henry Knappe, esq. of Weston, Oxfordshire, and had an only daughter and heiress,

Mary, who *m.* her cousin, Sir Richard Temple, bart. K.B. and from this marriage lineally descends

Richard, present DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM.

Dorothy, *m.* first, to Thomas Danvers, esq. of Adderbury, in the county of Oxford; and, secondly, to John Harrison, esq. of Beech Hill, in the ounty of Berks.

Jane, *m.* to John Brind, esq. of Warnborough, Wilts.

He espoused, thirdly, Mary, daughter of Edmund Dunche, esq. of Little Wittenham, and relict of William Winchcombe, esq. of Bucklebury, in the county of Berks. Sir Edward Clarke served the office of high sheriff for Berkshire in 1626, and dying in four years after was interred in the family vault at Ardington, where a handsome monument is erected to his memory. His son and heir,

JOHN CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, upon the breaking out of the civil war, raised a troop of horse for the service of *King* CHARLES. He *m.* Catherine, daughter of Thomas Bateman, esq. of Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, by whom (who espoused after his decease Colonel Thomas Aldridge, a parliamentarian officer) he had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

RICHARD, who inherited upon the demise, issueless, of his brother.

Daniel, *d.* in 1686.

Edward.

Katherine, *m.* to John Villiers, Viscount Grandison, nephew of George, the great Duke of Buckingham.

Eleanor, *m.* to John Sherwood, esq.

Susanna, *m.* to Edmund Wiseman, esq. of Steventon and Spersholt's Court, in the county of Berks.

Hesther, *m.* to the Rev. John Torbucke, vicar of Ludgarshall.

Mr. Clarke *d.* in 1645, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, at whose decease unmarried, in 1702, the estates devolved upon his next brother,

RICHARD CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Smith, gent. and had issue,

EDWARD, his successor.

Richard, *b.* in 1699, who *m.* Jane, sister of Richard Potenger, esq. recorder of Reading, M.P. for that borough, and a Welsh judge, by whom he had two daughters,

Dorothy, *m.* to her first cousin, William Wiseman Clarke, esq. of Ardington.

Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Aubrey, B.C.L. fellow of Winchester college and rector of Strathfieldsay.

John, whose male descendants yet remain.

Mark, *b.* in 1702, a captain in the army.

Luke, *b.* in 1703.

Maria, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Price, vicar of Ardington, and *d.* in 1759.

Catherine, *m.* to Henry Wise, esq. and *d.* in 1762.

Susanna, *m.* to Richard Coxe, gent.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Yorke, esq.

Mr. Clarke was *s.* at his decease, in 1710, by his eldest son,

EDWARD CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, who *m.* in 1721, Mary, only daughter and heir of William Wiseman, esq. of Steventon and Spersholt's Court, (whose ancestors settled in Berkshire temp. ELIZABETH, being a younger branch of the Wisemans, of Thornham Hall, in the county of Suffolk, one of whom was at Azincourt in 1415, and another knighted at the battle of Spurs in 1514). Mr. Clarke was sheriff of Berkshire in 1728, and *d.* in 1733, leaving an only child,

WILLIAM-WISEMAN CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, who was *b.* in 1727, and *m.* in 1750, to his first cousin, Dorothy, daughter of Richard Clarke, esq. of Reading, and had issue,

WILLIAM-WISEMAN, his successor.

Mary.

Dorothy, *d.* unmarried 1st September, 1825.

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The only son and heir,

WILLIAM-WISEMAN CLARKE, esq. of Ardington, *b.* in 1759; *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Coxe, esq. and had an only daughter, Dorothy-Maria. He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of John Kerr, esq. by Mary, sister and heir of Richard-Walter Nelson, esq. of Chaddleworth, in the county of Berks, and by her (who *d.* 28th February, 1825) had issue,

WILLIAM-NELSON, present proprietor.
George, *d.* in infancy.
Mary-Ann-Sarah, *d.* unmarried 10th November, 1826.
Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried 4th June, 1821.
Catherine, *d.* unmarried 20th June, 1821,

Mr. Clarke, who was sheriff of Berkshire in 1811, *d.* at Ardington 4th September, 1826 when the family estates devolved upon his only surviving son, WILLIAM-NELSON CLARKE esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Arg. on a fess sa. between three (sometimes six) crosses patées; three plates.

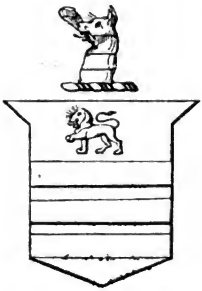
Crest—A cross patée or, between a pair of wings erect expanded az.

Motto—Absit ut glorier nisi in cruce.

Seat—Ardington House, Abingdon, Berkshire.

ORMEROD, OF SEDBURY PARK.

ORMEROD GEORGE, esq. of Sedbury Park, in the county of Gloucester, and of Tildesley House, in Lancashire, *b.* 20th October, 1785, *m.* 2nd August, 1808, (at Sandbach) Sarah, eldest daughter of John Latham, M. D. of Bradwall, Cheshire, (see p. 190.) and has issue,



THOMAS-JOHNSON, *b.* 27th July 1809, M.A. and Fellow of Brasenose College, Oxford.
George-Wareing.
John-Arderne.
Henry-Mere.
William-Piers.
Edward-Latham.
Arthur-Stanley.
Susan-Mary.
Georgiana-Elizabeth.
Eleanor-Anne.

The present representative of this family (Author of the History of Cheshire) succeeded his grandfather in 1789. He is a magistrate for Cheshire and Gloucestershire, Hon. D. C. L. Oxford, F. R. S. F. S. A. and F. G. S.

Lineage.

The estate of ORMEROD in Cliviger, which gave name to this family in the thirteenth century, is seated in the Parish of Whalley and Honour of Clithero, a mountainous district of Lancashire, granted to the Lacies, soon after the Conquest, and divided by them amongst their military followers.

Of this family, MATTHEW DE HORMERODE, appears in charters of the time of ENRY III.

ADAM and TILLE DE ORMERODE, next occur in the Inq. after the death of Hen. de Laci, Earl of Lincoln (4 EDW. II. 1311) as free tenants of their lands in Cliviger, under the Lord of Clithero.

The next generations were, GILBERT, 1316, JOHN—JOHN—LAURENCE, 1438; ADAM, 1480, and PIERS, 1495, father, by his wife, Elizabeth, of JOHN.

This JOHN DE ORMEROD, is found by In]

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p. m. 17 HEN. VIII. 1526, to have died, seized of lands in Cliviger, held from the King in capite, as of his Dutchy of Lancaster, in which fee Clithero had then merged.

PETER ORMEROD, son and heir by this Inq., and aged twenty-two years, in 1526, was father of,

1. PETER, who continued at Ormerod.
2. JOHN, (of Haslingden, in Lancashire) ancestor of a branch settled in Somersetshire, of which was OLIVER ORMEROD, M. A. of Emanuel College, Cambridge, Author of the "Picture of a Puritan," 1605, and the "Picture of a Papist," 1606, the latter of which was patronized by the secretary Cecil, Earl of Salisbury. Both works are of great rarity, and in both, (particularly in tracing the affinities of Popery and Paganism) the writer shews a mind imbued with classical and scholastic learning, and powers of style often rising above the quaintness of his age. In 1617, the author was presented by the Earl of Bath to the rectory of Huntspill, and died in 1626, leaving male issue, which he had previously connected with the elder line, by an entry in Camden's Somersetshire Visitation of 1623.

The eldest son,

PETER ORMEROD, of Ormerod (bur. at Burnley, 1578) was father, by his wife, Mary, daughter of Simon Haydock, of Heysandforth, of,

LAWRENCE ORMEROD, of Ormerod, who *m.* in 1587, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Barcroft, of Barcroft, in Lancashire, and had issue

1. PETER, continuer of the eldest line.
2. JOHN.
3. LAWRENCE, of Burnley, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Joseph Radcliffe of Rochdale, by whom Mary, daughter and heiress, wife of Robert Townley, Esq. of Royle.

PETER ORMEROD, of Ormerod, esq. (eldest son of Lawrence) *b.* 1588, dying 1653, left issue by his wife, Joanna, daughter of Geo. Howarth, of Monton, three daughters, and four sons,

1. LAWRENCE, who inherited Ormerod, and was direct ancestor of Lawrence Ormerod, esq. of that place, who died 1793, leaving issue (by his wife Martha-Anne, daughter, and finally heir of the Rev. Ashburham Legh,* by his wife, Charlotte-Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Holland Egerton, bt. of Heaton) one daughter,

   CHARLOTTE-ANNE ORMEROD, (wife of John Hargreaves, esq. lieutenant-colonel of the 3rd royal Lancashire Militia) in whose issue ORMEROD is vested.
2. JOHN, who died *s. p.* 1642.
3. PETER.
4. GEORGE.

GEORGE ORMEROD, last mentioned, (son of Lawrence and Joanna) *b.* 1620, *s.* at Monton, in Eccles, and had by his wife Anne, (daughter of—Pilling, of Burnley) the following children, living at his decease in 1696,

1. OLIVER, from whom the following line is entered in the records of the Herald's College.
2. PETER; and also two daughters.

OLIVER ORMEROD *s.* at Bury in Lancashire, *m.* there (1704) Anne, daughter of—Howarth, of Bury, and dying there, (1768) left issue, three daughters and one son,

GEORGE ORMEROD, esq. of Bury. (*b.* 1719) He *m.* there (1743) Anne, dau. of John Hutchinson, of Bury, merchant, by whom he had an only child,

GEORGE, of Bury, who *d.* Oct. 7, 1785, father (by his wife Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Johnson of Tildesley, esq.)† of an only and posthumous child,

GEORGE ORMEROD, heir to his grandfather, and present representative of this branch of Ormerod.

Arms—Or, three barrs, and a lion passant in chief gules.

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* A younger brother of Lyme, see pedigree of Hargreaves of Ormerod, vol. ii. p. 685—9.

† THOMAS JOHNSON of TILDESLEY, esq. (here mentioned) sheriff of Lancashire 1755, having female issue only by a former marriage, *m.* 2ndly, in 1742, Susanna, daughter, and finally sole heir of Samuel Wareing, esq. of Bury and Walmersley. (See Baines's Lancashire, vol. iii.) By her he left issue, Susanna, who died unmarried—Elizabeth, above-mentioned, who died, 1822—Mary unmarried 1832—and one son, THOMAS JOHNSON, esq. of Tildesley, a deputy lieutenant of Lancashire, who died unmarried, 1823, having demised his estates to his nephew, George Ormerod.

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Crest---Barry of four pieces or and gu. a wolf's head couped; in the mouth an ostrich feather erect ppr.

Estates---In LANCASHIRE:---Tildersley (in the parish of Leigh), by purchase of the proprietor's maternal great-grandfather, with various other estates in the parishes of Bury, Whalley, Haslingden, and Manchester, partly patrimonial, and partly by descent from the Wareings and Johnsons, of Tildersley. In GLOUCESTERSHIRE:---Sedbury Park (in Tidenham parish), and other estates purchased by the present proprietor.

Seats---Tildersley House, in Lancashire; and Sedbury Park, in the county of Gloucester.

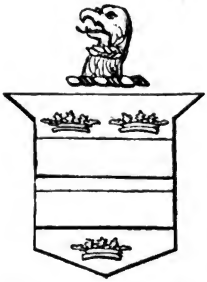
GREENWELL, OF GREENWELL FORD.

GREENWELL, WILLIAM-THOMAS, esq. of Greenwell Ford, in the county of Durham, *b.* 13th February, 1777, *m.* 25th June, 1818, Dorothy, second daughter of Francis Smales, esq. of Durham, and has issue,

WILLIAM, *b.* 23rd March, 1820.
Francis, *b.* 24th May, 1823.
Alan, *b.* 19th September, 1824.
Henry-Nicholas, *b.* 6th December, 1826.
Dorothy.

Mr. Greenwell *s.* his father 25th February, 1805.

Lineage.



The wide spreading and ancient family of GREENWELL, is of long standing in the North of England.

THOMAS GREENWELL, esq. of Stobilee, in the parish of Lanchester, in the county of Durham, living in 1503, had issue by his wife, Agnes ——,

1. Thomas, who *d. s. p.* in 1504.
2. PETER, in holy orders, who inherited the tenement called Stobilee, as heir to his father, 5th July, 1504, and immediately surrendered it to his brother Richard.
3. RICHARD, of whom presently.
4. Robert.

The third son,

RICHARD GREENWELL, esq. of Stobilee, left at his decease in 1558, a son and successor,

WILLIAM GREENWELL, esq. of Stobilee, whose son,

WILLIAM GREENWELL, esq. of Stobilee, espoused Alice ——, and left at his decease in 1624, with several other children,

1. WILLIAM, of Stobilee, who was fined and sequestered as a recusant and royalist. He *d.* in 1667, leaving issue.
2. Richard, living in 1624.
3. NICHOLAS.

The third son,

NICHOLAS GREENWELL, esq. of Fenhall, purchased in 1633, Fayrhare's lands, in FORD. In 1638, he acquired another portion from Hodgson, of Manor House, and divers other parcels of various dates. He was *s.* at his decease by his only son,

WILLIAM GREENWELL, esq. of Greenwell Ford, and sometime of Kibblesworth, who espoused Barbara, daughter and heiress of Robert Cole, esq. of Kibblesworth, and had, with several other children,

NICHOLAS, his successor.

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John, of Newcastle, merchant, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Alderman William Aubone, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and had issue,

1. AUBONE, merchant of Newcastle, who *d. s. p.* 1729--30.
2. William, living in 1731, executor to his brother Aubone.
3. Nicholas, *d.* in 1714.
4. Jane, *d.* young.
5. Catharine, } both *d.* unm.
6. Jane, }
7. Elizabeth, *d.* in 1711.
8. Barbara, *m.* to Paul Gibson, of Durham.

Robert, on whom his father and mother settled lands in Kibblesworth, in 1683. He *m.* in 1707, Miss Phillis Aubone, and left, with junior issue, a son,

WILLIAM, of Kibblesworth, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Joshua Twizell, esq. of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and was *s.* by his son,

JOSHUA GREENWELL, esq. of Kibblesworth, and of Newcastle-on-Tyne, who *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of the Rev. Thomas Robinson, A.M. rector of Wycliffe, in the county of York, by Olivia, daughter of the Rev. Henry Stapylton, of Thornton Watlass, and dying in 1797, left issue,

1. WILLIAM. *b.* in 1775.
2. Robinson-Robert, *b.* in 1778, a merchant in Newcastle, who *m.* in 1819, Elizabeth, daughter of John Mellar, esq. of Whitby, and has issue.
3. Leonard, C. B. a colonel in the army, *b.* in 1781. This gentleman, a distinguished officer, entered the army in 1802 and was present at the attack on Beunos Ayres, where he was severely wounded. He served throughout the whole of the Peninsular war, and commanded the 45th regiment, during Massena's retreat from the lines, at the battle of Fuentes Donor, and at the storming and capture of Badajoz.
4. Olivia.

William Greenwell *d.* in 1701, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

NICHOLAS GREENWELL, esq. of Greenwell Ford, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Addison, esq. of Egglestone, and was *s.* at his decease in 1736, by his only son,

WILLIAM GREENWELL, esq. of Greenwell Ford, who espoused 5th August, 1734, Miss Mary Sanderson, and had issue,

ALAN, his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Charlton, esq.
Grace, *m.* to John Cumming, esq.
Anne, *m.* in 1761, to Robert Surtees, esq. of Cronywell.

The only son,

ALAN GREENWELL, esq. succeeded his father at Ford, 14th April, 1748. This gentleman *m.* Anne, daughter of Henry Ornsby, esq. of Lanchester, by whom (who *d.* 23rd April, 1783) he had issue,

WILLIAM-THOMAS, *present proprietor.*
George, who *m.* Miss Askwith, daughter of William Askwith, esq. of Rippon, and has issue.
Nicholas.
Alan, who *d.* in 1789.
Mary, *m.* to Alderman John Hutchinson, of Durham.
Anne, *m.* to Edward Serle, esq. of Colchester.
Jane, *d.* young.
Elizabeth, *m.* in 1819, to John Greenwell, esq. of Bromshields, in the county Palatine.

Mr. Greenwell *d.* 25th February, 1805, and was *s.* by his eldest son, WILLIAM-THOMAS GREENWELL, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms---Or, two bars az. between three ducal coronets gu.

Crest---An eagle's head arg. beaked gu. gorged with a chaplet of laurel vert.

Estate---Situated in the parish of Lanchester, in the county of Durham.

Seat---Greenwell Ford, in the county Palatine.

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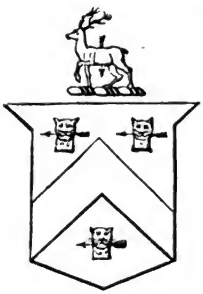
PARKER, OF CUERDEN HALL.

PARKER, ROBERT-TOWNLEY, esq. of Cuerden Hall, in the county of Lancaster *b.* 27th August, 1793, *m.* 21st December, 1816, Harriet, youngest daughter of Thomas Brooke, esq. of Church Minshall, in Cheshire, second son of Sir Richard Brooke, bt. of Norton Priory, by Margaret, youngest daughter of Sir Robert Cunliffe, bt. and has issue,



THOMAS-TOWNLEY, *b.* 5th May, 1822.
Robert-Townley, *b.* 20th December, 1823.
Henry-Townley, *b.* 31st March, 1827.
Harriet-Susan.
Emily-Anne.
Louisa-Lucy.

Mr. Townley Parker, who served the office of high sheriff for Lancashire, in 1817, *s.* his father in 1793.

Lineage.

Dr. Whitaker, in his History of Whalley, notices, in the defective account which he gives of the Parkers, of Extwistle, "that William Parker, of Extwistle, occurs in the 10th of HENRY IV. and John Parker of the same place, in the 7th HENRY VI."

JOHN PARKER, of Extwistle, had by his wife, Isabella, a son and successor,

ROBERT PARKER, who was possessed of Brerecliff and Extwistle, in 1545. He espoused Jane, daughter of Evan Haydock, of Hesandforth, in the county of Lancaster, and left a son and heir,

JOHN PARKER, esq. who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Laurence Townley, of Burnsite, in the county of Lancaster, and dying in 1634, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN PARKER, esq. *b.* in 1578, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Cuthbert Holdsworth, esq. of Sowerby, in the county of York, by whom he had, with other issue,

ROBERT, *b.* in 1604, who *m.* Mary, elder daughter and co-heir of Nicholas Scarborough, esq. of Glusburn, in the county of York, and dying vitâ patris, in 1636, left

JOHN, successor to his grandfather.

John Parker, esq. served the office of sheriff of Lancashire in 1653, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1655, by his grandson,

JOHN PARKER, esq. who *m.* Jane, daughter of Henry Foster, esq. of the county of Southampton, and relict of Colonel Francis Malham, a cavalier officer, by whom he had issue,

I. ROBERT, his successor.
II. Mary, *m.* first, to Benjamin Waddington, esq. of Allerton Gledow, in the county of York; and secondly, to Richard Assheton, esq. second son of Sir Ralph Assheton, of Middleton, in the county of Lancaster, by which latter husband she had a son,

SIR RALPH ASSHETON, bart. who left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

1. MARY, *m.* to Harbord, first Lord Suffield, and had, with three daughters, two sons,

WILLIAM-ASSHETON, second Lord Suffield.
EDWARD, present LORD SUFFIELD, (see *Burke's Peerage*).

2. Eleanor, *m.* in 1769, to Sir Thomas Egerton, first Earl of Wilton, by whom she left an only surviving child,

ELEANOR, *m.* in 1794, to Robert, present Mar-

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quis of Westminster, and has, with other issue,

THOMAS, present EARL OF WILTON.

III. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Lister, esq. of Arnoldsbiggin, in the county of York, and had a son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Arnoldsbiggin, who had, with other issue,

1. THOMAS, of Gisburne Park, grandfather of THOMAS, present Lord Ribblesdale.
2. NATHANIEL, of Armitage Park, great grandfather of the present THOMAS-HENRY LISTER, esq. of Armitage Park *(see that article)*.

IV. Jane, *m.* to Edward Parker, esq. of Browsholme, in the county of York.

The only son,

ROBERT PARKER, esq. was sheriff of Lancashire in 1710. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Christopher Banastre, esq. of Bank, in the county of Lancaster, by whom he had a very numerous family. He *d.* in 1718, leaving a son and successor,

BANASTRE PARKER, esq. who, in 1719, transferred the family seat from Extwistle to Cuerden Hall, to which he had succeeded in right of his mother, the co-heiress of Christopher Banastre, esq. of Bank, in the county of Lancaster. He *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress of William Clayton, esq. of Fulwood, in the same shire, member for Liverpool in many parliaments, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1738, by his eldest son,

ROBERT PARKER, esq. *b.* in 1727, who *m.* Anne, only daughter and sole heiress of Thomas Townley, esq. of Royle, in the county of Lancaster, by whom he left issue, two sons and a daughter, viz.

BANASTRE, his successor.

THOMAS-TOWNLEY, who inherited from his brother.

Anne, *m.* to Richard (Crosse) Legh, esq. of Shaw Hall in the county of Lancaster, and of Adlington, in the county of Chester.

Mr. Parker, *d.* in 1779, and was *s.* by his elder son,

BANASTRE PARKER, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of William Hulton, esq. of Hulton Park, in the county of Lancaster, but dying *s. p.* in 1788, was *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS-TOWNLEY PARKER, esq. who *m.* Susannah, only daughter and sole heiress of Peter Brooke, esq. of Astley, in the county of Lancaster, by whom (who re-married Sir Henry P. Hoghton, bart.) he had issue,

ROBERT-TOWNLEY, *present proprietor.*

Susan, *m.* to Francis-Richard Price, esq. of Bryn-y-Pys, in the county of Flint.

Anne, *m.* to John Baskervyle Glegg, esq. of Withington, in the county of Chester.

Mr. Parker served the office of sheriff of Lancashire, in 1793, and dying the same year, was *s.* by his only son, ROBERT-TOWNLEY PARKER, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms — Gu. a chevron between three leopards' heads or, in the mouth of each an arrow fesseways, arg.

Crest—A buck trippant ppr. transpierced through the body with an arrow paleway, point downwards, arg.

Estates—In the county of Lancaster.

Seat—Cuerden Hall, near Preston.

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ROUS, OF COURTYRALA.

ROUS, THOMAS-BATES, esq. of Courtyrala, in the county of Glamorgan, *b.* 14th January, 1783, *m.* 11th May, 1811, Charlotte, daughter of Sir Robert Salusbury, of Llanwern, in the county of Monmouth, and has issue,

GEORGE-GREY, *b.* 3rd January, 1818.
Charlotte-Katherine-Elizabeth.
Caroline-Mary.
Frances-Anne.
Emma-Elizabeth.
Georgina-Annetta.

This gentleman succeeded to the Welsh estates of his uncle Robert Rous, esq. in 1806.

Lineage.

This family resided, and was possessed of extensive property and influence, in the West of England for many centuries. It derives its origin from

RADULPHUS LE RUFUS, a Norman knight in the train of the CONQUEROR.*

RADULPHUS LE RUFUS, his son and heir, *m.* the daughter of Asceline de Yvery, a powerful baron in the reigns of WILLIAM II. and HENRY I. and had, with other issue,

WILLIAM LE RUFUS, one of the justices itinerant of the counties of Wilts, Dorset, Somerset, Devon and Cornwall, temp. HENRY II. and sheriff of Devonshire in the 21st and 23rd years of the same reign, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR RADULPHUS LE RUFUS, knt. whose son,

WILLIAM LE ROUS, flourished in the reign of Henry III. and left a son and successor,

SIR RALPH LE ROUS, knt. lord of Little Modbury, in Devonshire, living temp. EDWARD I. By his wife, Alice, Sir Ralph left issue a son,

JOHN LE ROUS, who was himself *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM LE ROUS, who *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir Richard Speccott, of Speccott, in the county of Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

RALPH LE ROUS, who *m.* Joan, daughter of Robert Godnesford, and had issue,

RALPH, whose only daughter conveyed by marriage the manor and lands of Little Modbury to the Dymocks, from whom that estate passed by entail to Lord Bonville, and thence to Henry Grey, Duke of Suffolk.

ROBERT.

The second son,

SIR ROBERT LE ROUS, knight-banneret, upon whom the continuation of the male line devolved, distinguished himself under EDWARD THE Black Prince, in the wars with France and Spain, as a valiant soldier and a skilful captain. Sir Robert, who was governor of Cherbourg temp. RICHARD II. was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM LE ROUS, who *m.* Alice, daughter and heiress of Thomas Edmerston, of Edmerston, and had two sons,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Robert, who *d. s. p.*

The elder,

WILLIAM LE ROUS, inherited his mother's lands of Edmerston, and *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Lower, of the county of Cornwall. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN ROUS, who *m.* Isabel, daughter of

* Roll of Battel Abbey, see *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*

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Henry Drewe, of Modbury, and was living at Edmerstone in 1464. His son and successor,

WILLIAM ROUS, of Edmerstone, *m.* Sibyll, daughter of William Fowel, of Fowelscombe, Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

ROGER ROUS, of Edmerstone, who espoused Julian, daughter of William Hill, of Penquite and Fleet, in Cornwall, and eventually co-heiress of her brother, John Hill, and had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.

John, who inherited from his mother Halton, and other lands in Cornwall, but dying *s. p.* bequeathed those estates to his nephew, Sir Anthony Rous, of Edmerstone.

The elder son,

RICHARD ROUS, of Edmerstone, *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Sir Edmund Mervyn, of Fonthill, Wilts, one of the judges of the common pleas, and had, with two other sons,

SIR ANTHONY ROUS, of Edmerstone, his successor, who inherited his father's estates in Devonshire, as well as Halton, and the other landed possessions of his uncle, John Rous. Sir Anthony was a man of great parts and virtues. He was twice sheriff of Cornwall, in the 19th and 42nd of *Queen* ELIZABETH, was one of the burgesses returned to serve in parliament for East Looe in the 27th year of that reign; and in the 1st of *King* JAMES I. was one of the knights of the shire for Cornwall. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Southcote, esq. co-heir of her mother, a Miss Barnhouse, by whom he had issue,

1. AMBROSE, one of the representatives of Launceston in the first parliament of King JAMES I. He *m.* Magdalen, daughter of Peter Osborne, esq. of Chicksands, in the county of Bedford, by whom he left at his decease, vitâ patris, 23rd July, 1620, a numerous family, the eldest of which,

   WILLIAM, *s.* his grandfather.

2. ROBERT, who espoused Jane, daughter of Alexander Pym, esq. and niece of the celebrated JOHN PYM, by whom he had a son,

   ANTHONY, M.P. for the county of Cornwall in 1653 and 1656, who *m.* Mary, daughter of William Bradshaw, esq. of the county of Lancaster, and had, with other issue,

   FRANCIS, of Wootton Underidge, of whom hereafter, as CONTINUATOR OF THE LINE.

3. Richard.

4. FRANCIS, who resided at Lanrake, in Cornwall, and was member for Truro in the 1st year of CHARLES I. for Tregony in the 3rd, and again for Truro in the 15th and 16th of that reign. After the death of the king, he was knight of the shire for Devon, and speaker of the short parliament, and, in the following year, appointed one of Cromwell's lords. He was also provost of Eton college. He *d.* in the lifetime of the PROTECTOR, and was honoured with public obsequies.*

5. Arthur.

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* The following account of his funeral and character is taken from the Mercurius Politicus, a newspaper of the day:—"Monday, the 24th, being the day appointed for the interment of the corpse of the Right Hon. Francis, Lord Rouse, it was performed in this manner: the lords of his Highness's privy council met at his house at Acton, as also divers of the commissioners of the admiralty, and of the officers of the army, with many other persons of honour and quality. His Highness was also pleased to send several of his gentlemen in coaches with six horses to be present at the solemnity; three heralds likewise, or officers at arms, gave their attendance. The corpse was placed in a carriage, covered with a pall of black velvet, adorned with escocheons, and drawn with six horses in mourning furniture. The lords of the council followed it, and the rest, in their order towards Eaton college, by Windsor, where the deceased lord, having been provost, desired he might be interred. A sermon was preached after the burial by Mr. Oxenbridge, one of the fellows, and so the ceremony ended. He needs no monument besides his own printed works to convey his name to posterity; the other works of his life may be termed works of charity, wherein he was most exemplary, as the poor in many parts now with tears will tell you. He chose to lay his bones in his college, because the society had his heart, being men of the same Christian temper with himself; and in his testament he prayed that God would please to continue it (as it is) a famous nursery of piety and learning. I shall add no more but this, that his death was an extraordinary loss to his Highness and good men in particular, and the whole nation in general." Other historians (Clarendon, Wood, &c.) give, however, a very different character of this personage.

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6. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Northcote, esq.

Sir Anthony espoused, secondly, Philippa, daughter of Humphrey Coles, esq.; and, thirdly, Susan, daughter of Sir Lewis Pollard, one of the justices of the common pleas, and widow of John Copleston, esq. of Coppleston, in the county of Devon. He *d.* in 1622, at a very advanced age, and was *s.* by his grandson,

WILLIAM ROUS, esq. of Halton, M.P. for Truro in the 1st parliament of CHARLES I. who *m.* Mary, eldest daughter of Richard, Lord Robartes, of Truro, and sister to John, Earl of Radnor, by whom he had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.
Charles, who *d. s. p.*
ELIZABETH, of whom presently, as heiress of her brother.

William Rous was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD ROUS, esq. of Halton, M.P. for Bossiney 13th CHARLES II. who *m.* Mary, daughter of --- Clarke, esq. (into whose family Halton eventually passed), but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his only sister,

ELIZABETH ROUS, who espoused her cousin,

FRANCIS ROUS, esq. of Wootton Underidge, in the county of Gloucester, (refer to issue of ROBERT, second son of SIR ANTHONY ROUS, knt.) and had issue a son,

THOMAS ROUS, esq. who settled at Piercefield, in Monmouthshire, and marrying Jane, daughter of --- Hoskins, esq. of the county of Gloucester, had (with three daughters, the eldest *m.* to Thomas Costar, esq. of Redbroke, Gloucestershire; the second to the Rev. Dr. Bentham, canon of Christchurch, Oxford; and the youngest to J. Mecrop, esq. of London) three sons, viz.

WILLIAM, who predeceased his father *s. p.*
THOMAS, who *s.* to the estates.
John.

Mr. Rous *d.* in 1737, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

THOMAS ROUS, esq. of Piercefield, (an estate he subsequently sold to the family of Morris). This gentleman espoused Mary, daughter of Thomas Bates, esq. of Northumberland, and had issue,

William, *d.* unmarried.
THOMAS-BATES, his successor.
GEORGE, successor to his brother.
Robert, of Courtyrala, in the county of Glamorgan, high sheriff for that shire, who *d.* unmarried, and was *s.* in his estates by his nephew, Thomas-Bates Rous, esq.
Mary, Jane, } both *d.* unmarried.
Anna-Maria, *m.* to Henry Peter, esq. of Harlyn, in the county of Cornwall.

The eldest surviving son,

THOMAS-BATES ROUS, esq. of Moor Park, in the county of Herts, who for many years was member for the city of Worcester in parliament, dying without issue, in 1800, the representation of the family devolved upon his next brother,

GEORGE ROUS, esq. of Bedford-square, London, an eminent barrister, counsel to the East India Company, and for several years M.P. for the borough of Shaftesbury. This gentleman (who sold Moor Park) *m.* Charlotte, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Thomas, dean of Ely, and master of Christ church, Cambridge, by whom he had

THOMAS-BATES.
George, in holy orders, rector of Laverton, in the county of Somerset, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Richard Newcome, esq. of Burcott, in the same shire.

The elder son, THOMAS-BATES ROUS, esq. inherited, in 1806, the Welsh estates of his uncle Robert, and is now the representative of this ancient family.

Arms---Or an eagle displayed az. pruning his wing, with feet and bill gu.

Crest---A dove arg.

Motto---Vescitur Christo.

Estates---Chiefly in Glamorganshire.

Seat---Courtyrala, near Cardiff, Glamorganshire.

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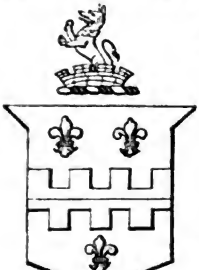
WALL, OF WORTHY PARK.

WALL, SAMUEL, esq. of Worthy Park, in the county of Hants, *b.* 29th May, 1775, *m.* 24th October, 1812, Eliza, daughter and co-heiress of the late John Binns, esq. banker at Leeds, by whom he has had issue,



JOHN-BINNS, *b.* 3rd August, 1813.
Alfred-Ellis, *b.* 18th August, 1817, and *d.* 24th April, 1821.
George-Alfred Ellis, *b.* 10th December, 1824.
Esther-Eliza.
Frances-Millicent, *d.* 7th May, 1821.

This gentleman, who is lieutenant colonel of the Worcester Local Militia, and a deputy lieutenant, and magistrate for the counties of Hants, Worcester, and Hereford, served the office of sheriff for Worcestershire, in 1818.

Lineage.

The present proprietor of Worthy Park is the second son of the late

SAMUEL WALL, esq. banker, of Worcester, by his wife, Millicent, daughter of the late William Ellis, esq. of the same city, and by the demise, issueless, of her only brother, John Ellis, esq. of Claines, inheritor of several valuable estates in Worcestershire and Herefordshire.

Arms---Per fesse, or and az. a fesse battellée, counter battellée between three fleurs-de-lis, all counterchanged. Bearing an escutcheon of pretence, the ensigns of BINNS, viz. az. a falcon volant or.

Crest---Out of a mural coronet or, a demi-wolf arg. charged on the neck with a fesse embattled, counter embattled gu.

Motto---Firm.

Estates---At Claines, Worcestershire; and manor and estates of Cradley, near Whelbourne, Herefordshire; which possessions have been for a long period enjoyed by the family. The mansion, and Hampshire estates, were purchased from Admiral Sir Charles Ogle, bart. in the year 1825.

Seat---Worthy Park, near Winchester.

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FLOOD, OF FLOOD HALL.

FLOOD, JOHN, esq. of Flood Hall, in the county of Kilkenny, *m.* Miss Saurin, daughter of the Right Honorable William Saurin, late attorney general in Ireland, but has no issue. He is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the county of Kilkenny.

Lineage.

The FLOODS possess three estates in the county of Kilkenny—Flood Hall, Farmley, and Paulstown Castle; and it is assumed, that they descend from Sir Thomas Fludd, knt. treasurer to *Queen* ELIZABETH.

FRANCIS FLOOD, esq. of Burnchurch, *m.* Anne, only daughter and heir of Col. Henry Warden, M.P. by whom he had seven sons and a daughter, viz.

I. WARDEN, his successor.

II. John, who *m.* Jane, only daughter and heiress of — Crompton, esq. of the county of Kilkenny, and had two sons,

JOHN, of Flood Hall.

FREDERICK, of Newton Ormonde, in the county of Kilkenny, and of Banna Lodge, in Wexfordshire, custos rotulorum of the latter county. This gentleman was created a baronet on the 3rd June, 1780, was a member of the Irish parliament, and, subsequently, of the Imperial Parliament. Sir Frederick Flood *m.* first, Lady Juliana Annesley, daughter of the Earl of Anglesey, by whom (who *d.* in 1774) he had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Frances, daughter of the Right Hon. Sir Henry Cavendish, bart., and had (with a younger daughter, the wife of the Rev. Mr. St. George)

FRANCES, who *m.* first, Richard Solly, esq. and had issue,

1. FREDERICK SOLLY, who assumed, by sign manual, in 1818, the additional surname and arms of FLOOD.
2. Frances Solly.
3. Jane Solly.

Mrs. Solly espoused, secondly, John Harward Jessop, esq. of Doory Hall, in the county of Longford, and had two other sons and a daughter, viz.

John Jessop.
Francis Jessop.
Elizabeth Jessop.

At the decease of Sir Frederick Flood, the baronetcy became extinct.

III. Charles, of Ballynock, in the county of Kilkenny, *d.* unmarried, in 1780.

IV. Henry, in holy orders, *d. s. p.*

V. George, of Kilkenny, in holy orders, D.D. rector of Rathdonny, Queen's county, *d.* in 1770, leaving issue.

VI. Francis, of Paulstown Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, who *m.* Miss Hatton, daughter of Colonel Hatton,* M.P. by his wife, Lady Anne Gore, daughter of Arthur, Earl of Arran, and had issue,

WARDEN, LL.D. judge of the high court of admiralty in Ireland, *s.*

* The family of HATTON, which derives its surname from the lordship of HATTON, in Cheshire, has maintained, ever since its settlement in Ireland, a leading influence in the county of Wexford. It immediately derives from the celebrated SIR CHRISTOPHER HATTON, LORD CHANCELLOR OF ENGLAND.

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his father at Paulstown Castle. He *m.* Miss Donovan, sister of General O'Donovan, of the county of Cork, and aunt to Sir William Wrixon Becher, bart. by whom he had issue,

1. WARDEN, who predeceased his father.
2. Francis, a captain in the army, killed in action.
3. HENRY, of Paulstown Castle, author of several political essays, *m.* in 1815, Anna-Maria, dau. of Henry Lennon, esq. and has issue,
   WILLIAM. Charles.
   Henrietta. Isabella.
4. Donovan, *m.* Miss Vignau, niece of the Comtesse de la Motte, and left issue,
   WARDEN, a captain in the 51st (king's own) light infantry, *m.* 21st April, 1835, Mary-Grove, eldest dau. of the Hon. Lt.-Gen. Arthur-Grove Annesley, and niece of Earl Annesley.
   Marianne.
5. Marianne, who inherited considerable property, *m.* the Rev. Stuart Hamilton, of Tyrone, second cousin to the Marquess of Abercorn, but *d. s. p.*

Hatton, a colonel in the 1st dragoon guards, *d.* unmarried.

Francis, a major in the army, and high sheriff of the county of Kilkenny in 1778.

Henry, a major in the army, who had issue,

1. JOHN, of Viewmount, county Kilkenny, clerk of the peace for that shire, *m.* Miss Brushe, great grandaughter of Dr. Maude, bishop of Meath, and has issue,
   Warden. John.
   Henry.
   Elizabeth, *m.* to Captain Stoyte, of the 24th.
   Anne. Marianne.
2. Anne, *m.* to the late Dr. Reed, of county Carlow.

VII. Richard, *d.* unmarried.

VIII. Anne, *m.* to Dr. Henry Candler, archdeacon of Ossory, and rector of Callan.

The eldest son,

THE RIGHT HON. WARDEN FLOOD, of Flood Hall, was chief justice of the court of King's Bench in Ireland. His lordship espoused Miss Whiteside, and dying in 1764, was *s.* by his son,

THE RIGHT HONORABLE

HENRY FLOOD, of Farmley, in the county of Kilkenny. This eminent person, so celebrated in the eventful history of his native country, was born in 1732, and educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and at Christ Church, Oxford. In the latter university under the care of Mr. Markham, afterwards archbishop of York. In 1759, Mr. Flood obtained a seat in the Irish House of Commons, but during that session took no part in its debates. In 1761, he was re-elected, and became almost immediately afterwards leader of the opposition. The repeal of POYNING'S LAW* first engaged his great powers, and he ultimately succeeded in having the obnoxious clauses of that statute abrogated. His next patriotic effort was the introduction of a bill for limiting the duration of parliaments, which had previously subsisted in Ireland, for the life of the king. This measure he advocated in vain in the administrations of the lords lieutenant, Northumberland and Hertford; but his perseverance and eloquence eventually triumphed, and the OCTENNIAL BILL passed into a law under the government of Lord Townshend. This was the first victory of importance achieved by the friends of freedom in Ireland:—within a very short period the glorious and bloodless revolution of 1782 followed. In 1775, Mr. Flood was sworn of the Privy Council in both kingdoms, and constituted Vice Treasurer of Ireland. In 1781, the Spirit of Liberty, invigorated from the opposite shores of the Atlantic, roused a feeling in Ireland which concession alone could assuage. England was embarrased, enfeebled, almost prostrate. Ireland was armed, united, and resolved; Mr. Flood saw the crisis, and seized

* By a misconstruction of this statute, the Privy Council of Ireland had assumed for more than a century, authority similar to that formerly exercised by the lords of articles in Scotland. By this usurpation the parliament of Ireland was reduced to a mere cypher.

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it,—emancipating himself from the trammels of office, he assailed the Minister in the House of Commons, with all the vehemence of his eloquence—all the weight of his patriotism—all the energy of his character—and demanded a restoration of his country's rights. The government cowering before its powerful assailant, and sensible of the instability of its position, relinquished, without procrastination, what could no longer be retained without peril. The patriots, BURGH and GRATTAN, flew across the house upon this memorable occasion, and embraced the orator, the former exclaiming, "this is the man whose integrity the highest office in the land could not warp." In 1785, Mr. Flood was returned to the British House of Commons, and continued a member until the dissolution of that parliament. He died in December, 1795. The history of his country, should that history be ever written with impartiality, will do ample justice to the intrepidity, the disinterestedness, and patriotism of this eminent man, and when it records the illustrious characters which adorned the close of the eighteenth century, it will place upon its brightest page the immortal name of FLOOD.

Amongst his contemporaries HENRY FLOOD enjoyed the most splendid reputation. "Here," said Mr. Curran, speaking of him in a celebrated debate, "all the wisdom of the state is collected, exploring your weakness and your strength, detecting every ambuscade, and pointing to the hidden battery that was brought to bear upon the shrine of freedom." Upon his resignation of the treasureship, Mr. Montgomery "called the attention of the house to a right honorable gentleman (Mr. Flood), the best, the most noble, the most indefatigable, the most sincere, that had ever sacrificed private interest to the advantage of his country." In the debate that ensued, Mr. Flood rose and spoke at considerable length, defending his political conduct, and concluding with the following characteristic sentiment; "My ambition has been when out of office not to be factious, and when in office not to be venal."

We cannot close this notice of Flood, without alluding at least, to the personal dispute which occurred between him and his co-patriot, HENRY GRATTAN. The discussion of Poyning's law first caused a misunderstanding between these celebrated persons, and a subsequent debate upon the repeal of the 6th GEORGE I.* produced an altercation between them, unparalled within the walls of parliament, for vituperation, bitterness, and personality. In 1782, Mr. Grattan obtained a simple repeal of that declaratory act, a course which Mr. Flood maintained in two very powerful speeches was no security against England's preferring at any future period a similar pretension founded upon the PRINCIPLE of the measure. Acting upon this opinion he procured a law renouncing the claim for ever. The dispute to which we allude occurred in 1783, and Mr. Flood, in the course of the debate, entered into a long and interesting narrative of his whole political life.

The question of parliamentary reform, Mr. Flood advocated for the first time in the Irish House of Commons, in 1781, with his accustomed force and eloquence. In 1794, he addressed a British parliament upon the same important subject; and his speech upon that occasion was published in 1831, with his reply to Mr. Windham. They are admiral oratorical efforts, and at the time of delivery called forth the highest eulogy from Mr. Pitt.

Had HENRY FLOOD not been one of the most eminent statesmen and orators of the period in which he lived, his translations of Demosthenes, Æschines, and some of the Odes of Pindar, would have stamped him a man of genius, and insured him a place in the temple of fame. Mr. Flood's style of eloquence is described as of the very first order, replete with knowledge, ardent, vigorous, acute, and argumentative; and it is stated, that while he hurried away his auditory by the force of his great reasoning faculties, he delighted every person of taste and judgment, by a certain felicity of diction, which added infinite grace and beauty to his delivery. He sometimes prostrated his adversary by a single word, thus resembling the great Lord Chatham, whose attributes as an orator and statesman he held in the highest veneration.

HENRY FLOOD espoused, 13th April, in 1762, the Lady Frances-Maria Beresford, daughter of Marcus, first Earl of Tyrone, but died without issue. He devised his ex-

* This act had declared "that the kingdom of Ireland ought to be subordinate to, and dependant upon the Imperial crown of Great Britain, and that the parliament of England hath power to make laws to bind the people of Ireland."

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tensive estates to the college of Dublin, for the encouragement of the Irish language; but those estates after procrastinated litigation, reverted to his cousin, and heir at law,

JOHN FLOOD, esq. of Flood Hall, in the county of Kilkenny. This gentleman *m.* Miss Aldworth, daughter of Richard Aldworth, esq. M.P. of Newmarket in the county of Cork, and had issue,

JOHN, *present proprietor.*
Robert, of Farmley.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Flood was succeeded at his decease by his elder son, the present JOHN FLOOD, esq. of Flood Hall.

Arms—Vert. a chevron between three wolves' heads erased ar.

Confirmed to Sir Thomas Fludd, of the county of Kent, 14th Elizabeth.

Crest—A wolf's head, as in the arms.
Motto—Vis unita fortior.
Estates—In the county of Kilkenny.
Seat—Flood Hall, Kilkennyshire.

MOUBRAY, OF COCKAIRNY.

MOUBRAY, SIR ROBERT, knt. of Cockairny House, in the county of Fife, a deputy lieutenant and magistrate for that shire, *b.* in 1774, *m.* in September, 1807, Laura, fourth daughter of William-Hobson, esq. of Markfield, in Middlesex, and has issue,

ROBERT-FREDERICK-NORTH-BICKERTON, *b.* 21st July, 1808, captain Fifeshire militia.
Richard-Hussey-Charles, *b.* 26th May, 1810, Hon. East India Company's Service.
William-Hobson, *b.* 28th August, 1818, R.N.
Edward, *b.* 7th April, 1825.
Ann.
Jane-Laura.
Adeline-Frances.
Matilda.
Emily.
Ellen.
Clara.

This gentleman, a lieutenant colonel in the army, and companion of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic order, received the honor of knighthood at Carlton Palace, 20th April, 1825, in consideration of his ancient and honorable descent. Sir Robert *s.* his father in 1794, in the estate of Cockairny, and in part of the barony of Inverkeithing, originally the property of the potent Earls of Dunbar. This estate was conveyed by Galiena, daughter of Waldeve, fourth Earl of Dunbar, who *d.* in 1182, to her husband Philip de Moubray, with whose descendants it has continued to the present period, with the exception of the short interval from 1320 to 1346, when the possession was suspended by forfeiture.

Sir Robert Moubray, when a captain in the 80th regiment of foot, embarked at Ceylon in 1801, under the orders of COLONEL WELLESLEY (now Duke of Wellington), to join the standard of Sir Ralph Abercrombie, in Egypt. He served ten years in India, and eight in the Mediterranean.

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Lineage.

ROGER DE ALBINI espoused Amicia de Mowbray, sister of Robert de Mowbray, Earl of Northumberland, and had two sons,

1. WILLIAM, from whom derived the Earls of ARUNDEL, the male line of which eminent house expired in 1243, while the female line, now represented by the Duke of Norfolk, continued the family. (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).
2. NIGEL, of whom we are about to treat.

The second son,

NIGEL DE ALBINI, possessor of one hundred and twenty knight's fees in Normandy, and one hundred and forty in England, *m.* in 1118, Gundred de Gournay, only child of Gerard de Gournay, by Edith, daughter of William, Earl of Warren and Surrey, by Gundred, daughter of WILLIAM the *Conqueror*. Their eldest son,

ROGER, by special command of King HENRY I. assumed the surname of MOWBRAY, and the arms of that family. This Roger was one of the chief commanders at the memorable battle fought in 1138 with the Scots near Northallerton, known in history as the BATTLE OF THE STANDARD, and adhering to King Stephen, in his contest with the empress, was taken prisoner with that monarch, at the battle of Lincoln. In 1148 he accompanied *Lewis*, KING OF FRANCE, to the Holy Land, and there acquired great renown by vanquishing a stout and hardy Pagan in single combat. His grants to the church were munificent in the extreme; and his piety so fervent, that he again assumed the cross, and made a second journey to the Holy Land, where he was taken prisoner, but redeemed by the Knight Templars. He *d.* soon after in the East, and was interred at Sures. Some authorities say that he returned to England, and living fifteen years longer was buried in the Abbey of Riland. This potent personage wedded Alice, de Gant, and had two sons,

NIGEL.
Robert.

NIGEL DE MOWBRAY, the elder son, assuming the Cross, set out for Palestine, but *d.* on the journey, leaving by his wife, Mabel, daughter of Edmond, Earl of Clare, four sons, viz.

1. WILLIAM, ancestor of the Mowbrays, Dukes of Norfolk; also of the Howards, Dukes of Norfolk, and the other branches of that puissant house.
2. Philip.*
3. Robert.*
4. Roger.

The second son,

PHILIP DE MOWBRAY, espoused Galiena, daughter of Waldeve, Earl of Dunbar, and with her acquired considerable property, particularly the Baronies of Barbougle, Dalmeny, and Inverkeithing. The first mention of this Philip in the records of Scotland occurs in a charter dated 1208. He was ambassador to England in 1215 and 1220, to treat of the marriage of King ALEXANDER II. with the Princess Joan. He had two sons. 1. Roger; and 2. Nigel.

ROGER DE MOUBRAY, the elder son, in a charter to the church of Soltray, confirmed to the Abbey of Jedburgh the donation of the church which Waldeve, the son of Cos-

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* Regarding the seniority of these two sons, much discussion has arisen. Sir William Dugdale, in his Baronage (I. 124.) arranges the sons thus. 1. William. 2. Robert. 3. Philip. 4. Roger. And says, "Of which Robert I finde that he tooke to wife a *countess* of Scotland, who had a fair inheritance there, from whom descended the Mowbrays of that kingdom." But in the margin Dugdale refers for his authority to the Monasticon II. 193, which is in these words, "Tunc filius Rogeri de Mowbray primogenitus fuit Nigellus de Mowbray, qui ei successit, qui habuit in matrem Aliciam de Gant. Hic Nigellus cepit in uxorem filiam Edmondi Comitis de Clara, nomine Mabillam, et genuit ex eâ quatuor filios, scilicet; Willielmum de Mowbray, Robertum, Philippum et Rogerum. Ille vero porro Robertus frater ejusdem Nigelli, feoffatus fuit in Scotiâ nobiliter per quandam Baronissam, quam cepit in uxorem, cum totâ terrâ patris sui et post mortem uxoris ordinem sacerdotis intravit, et multas in manus suas accepit ecclesias in Anglià, in Normanniâ, et in Scotià." Here Robert, the son of Nigel, is the antecedent to *ille*; Robert, the brother of Nigel, not occurring previously in the Monasticon, where Dugdale just notices Robert, Philip, and Roger, as the younger sons of Nigel, without mentioning the marriage of Robert. Had Robert de Mowbray married a countess in her own right their descendants must have been Earls. The succession of the Earldoms of Scotland, at that early period, is clearly elucidated by Lord Hales in the Sutherland case. And none appears as connected with Robert de Mowbray, who occurs no where in the records of Scot-

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patrick, "my grandfather" (avus meus) made to that abbey.

GALFRID DE MOUBRAY, the next on record, one of the magnates Scotiæ, from 1287 to 1294, espoused the second daughter of *Red* John Cumyn, Justiciary of Scotland, sister of *Black* John Cumyn, who *m.* Marjory, sister of John Baliol, King of Scotland. They had issue,

1. William. } both *d. s. p.*
2. John. }
3. Roger, who, engaging in a conspiracy against *King* ROBERT in 1320, *d.* in prison before trial, when his great possessions of Barnbougle and Dalmeny, in the county of Linlithgow, Inverkeithing, in Fife; Cessford and Eckford, in Roxburghshire; Methven, in Perthshire; Kellie, in Forfarshire; Kirk Michael, in the county of Dumfries, the office of Standard Bearer of Scotland, and hostilages were forfeited to the crown.
4. PHILIP (SIR), of whom presently.
5. Galfrid.

The fourth son,

SIR PHILIP DE MOUBRAY, fell with *King* EDWARD BRUCE at the battle of Dundalk, in 1318. He *m.* Eve, Lady of Redcastle, in Forfarshire, and had one son and a daughter, viz.

JOHN (Sir), of Redcastle, who was slain at Annan in 1332, on the part of Edward Baliol. His estates were forfeited, and granted to Sir William de Douglas, knt. the grant bearing, that John had succeeded to these estates by hereditary succession to Sir Philip de Moubray, his father,

And

PHILIPPA DE MOUBRAY, designed daughter and heiress of Sir Philip de Moubray in a regal charter 3rd August, 1364. This lady espoused Sir Bartholomew de Loen, a foreign knight, probably of the house of Heynberg, in Guelderland, related to the Dukes of Gueldres, who were connected in marriage with the kings of England and Scotland. Philippa and her husband had Barnbougle, Dalmeny, and Inverkeithing, restored to them by royal charter of 28th May, 1346; and they occur frequently in original instruments down to 1375.

Their only child,

DAVID, assumed, as a matter of course, the distinguished name of his maternal ancestors---MOUBRAY, his father being a foreigner, without property and connexion in Scotland. He was contracted in marriage to the Lady Janet Stewart, daughter of Robert, Earl of Fife and Monteith (afterwards Duke of Albany, and regent of Scotland, son of *King* ROBERT II.) in 1372, by indenture under which, the estates were provided to the issue of that marriage. In 1401, the lands of Barnbougle, Dalmeny, and Inverkeithing, were the property of

JOHN DE MOUBRAY, indicating that he was son and heir of that marriage. He was subsequently knighted, and a strong proof that he was grandson of the DUKE OF ALBANY, *Regent of Scotland*, occurs in his forcibly dispossessing Margaret, Lady of Cragy, of her lands of Luckald, in the barony of Dalmeney, "wickedly, contrary to God and all justice," as the record bears, and transmitting them to his son, as none but a near connexion of that unprincipled and powerful governor of the kingdom durst have ventured to act with such flagrant injustice. He was dead before 1st February, 1426, when

PHILIP DE MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, is described as son and heir of the deceased Sir John de Moubray, knt. Lord of Barn-

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land at the time in question. William de Mowbray, eldest son of Nigel, executed two charters, inserted in Dugdale's Monasticon II. 190, confirming to the Abbey of Newburgh all the donations made thereto by Roger de Mowbray his grandfather, and Nigel de Mowbray his father, three of the witnesses to which are, "Robert de Mowbray, my uncle, Philip de Mowbray, my brother, Robert de Mowbray, my brother." Here Philip takes precedence of his brother Robert, indicating that he was his elder brother, consequently second son of Nigel. Philip de Mowbray also makes at that period a conspicuous figure in the records of Scotland, where he married Galiena, daughter of Waldeve, the potent Earl of Dunbar, with whom he got great possessions in that kingdom. He must have been a person of high birth and consideration, from his thus obtaining in marriage a daughter of one of the most powerful of the Scottish nobility, and from his being employed in important negotiations with England; and no family of consequence of the name of Moubray existed in North Britain at that period, except that of Nigel de Mowbray. From these premises the legitimate conclusions are, that Philip de Moubray, and not Robert, was second son of Nigel, and that he was ancestor of the Moubrays of Scotland; it is also apparent that the Scottish Countess and Baroness of Dugdale were one and the same person, Galiena, daughter of Waldeve, Earl of Dunbar, spouse of Philip de Moubray.

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bougle, in an instrument of appellation to Pope MARTIN V. of that date. The parliament of Scotland decided, 17th March, 1429--30, that the lands of Luckald should be restored to Margaret, Lady of Cragy, and that she should be replaced in the same as freely as she had been before she was despoiled of them by the deceased John de Moubray, knt. and which lands were unjustly detained from her by Philip de Moubray, who was amerciated, and found liable to prosecution for expenses and damages. Philip de Moubray occurs in charters and other documents down to 1477.

PHILIP MOWBRAY, his son, had a charter of the barony of Dalmeny, on his father's resignation, 6th February, 1450--1, and occurs in an indenture 25th January, 1461--2. He wedded Isabel Stewart, and had a son,

SIR DAVID MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, who was served heir of Philip, his father, 9th March, 1466--7, and last occurs in 1494. He was father of

1. JOHN, of Dalmeny, who predeceased his father, leaving a son,

SIR JOHN MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, who *d.* in 1519, leaving an only daughter and heiress,

BARBARA MOUBRAY, who espoused Robert Bartoun, son of Sir Robert Bartoun, of Over-Bartoun, high treasurer of Scotland. In 1527, Robert Bartoun was ordained, by act of parliament, to change his name to MOUBRAY, because "the same has been an old and honourable house, and done our Sovereign Lords predecessors good service in their wars and otherwise." The eldest son of this marriage,

JOHN MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, was father of

ROBERT MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, whose son and successor,

SIR ROBERT MOUBRAY, of Barnbougle, *m.* the Lady Anne Erskine, daughter of the first Earl of Kellie, and was obliged through debts and other misfortunes, to dispose of the baronies of Barnbougle Dalmeney, and Inverkeithing, to the first Earl of Haddington in 1615. He *d. s. p.* in 1675.

2. WILLIAM, of whom we are about to treat.

The second son of Sir David,

WILLIAM MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, had a charter of the lands of Cockairny, and part of the barony of Inverkeithing, from his nephew, Sir John Moubray, of Barnbougle, wherein he is designed "Sir John's beloved uncle on the father's side;" dated 24th September, 1511. This charter was produced to Nisbet, when compiling his system of heraldry, about 1720, by John Moubray of Cockairny, stated by Nisbet to be the undoubted heir of William Moubray, of Cockairny, to whom the charter was granted, in a direct and uninterrupted male line. As Sir Robert Moubray, now of Cockairny, is in like manner heir-male of the body of this John Moubray, of Cockairny, it follows that Sir Robert is heir of William Moubray, to whom Cockairny was granted in 1511, in a direct and uninterrupted male line.

JAMES MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, the next proprietor of that estate, on record, *m.* Isabel Cleghorn, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, who *m.* by contract, in 1576, Margaret, daughter of John Finlasour, of Kelleith, and was father of

JAMES MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, who espoused, in 1600, Marie, daughter of David Leslye, of Otterstoun, in Fife, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, who *m.* in 1636, Elizabeth Logan, of the family of Logan, of Coustoun, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT MOUBRAY, of Cockairny, *b.* in 1639, who *m.* in 1666, Margaret, daughter of George Bruce, of Kinnesswood, a near

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connexion of the Earls of Elgin, Kincardine, and Aylesbury; and of Christian, Countess of Devonshire. Robert Moubray *d.* in 1681, leaving, with other issue, two sons

I. JOHN, his successor.

II. ROBERT, father of

ROBERT MOUBRAY, of the Bush and Castlelaw, co. Edinburgh, whose eldest dau. and heiress,

JEAN MOUBRAY, *m.* in 1748, Archibald Trotter, esq. second son of Alexander Trotter, esq. of Cattleshiel, in Berwickshire, by Jean, dau. of Sir Robert Stuart, of Allanbank, bart. by Jean, dau. of Sir John Gilmour, of Craigmiller, knt. lord president of the court of sessions. They had four sons,

1. ROBERT TROTTER, of the Bush and Castlelaw, *d.* leaving issue.
2. Alexander Trotter, of Dreghorn.
3. John Trotter, of Dyrham Park.
4. SIR COUTTS TROTTER, of Westville, in the county of Lincoln, created a baronet 4th September, 1821, who quarters his mother's arms with his paternal coat (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

The elder son of Robert Moubray,

JOHN MOUBRAY, esq. of Cockairny, is mentioned in Nisbet's Heraldry as undoubted heir in a direct and uninterrupted male-line of William Moubray, of Cockairny, who had the charter of these lands from his nephew, Sir John Moubray, of Barnbougle, in 1511. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of the Rev. John Kinnaird, minister of East Calder, and grandaughter and heiress of Robert Wallwood, esq. of Tough and Whitfield, by whom he had, with other issue, a son,

I. ROBERT, his successor.

II. John, who had issue,

1. John, whose only child, Ann Cockerall Moubray, *m.* James Trail Hall, esq. of Dublin, barrister at law, and had issue.
2. William
3. Margaret, who *m.* Walter Ross, esq. and left a son, John Ross, whose only child, Agnes, *m.* Charles Macintosh, esq.
4. Magdalen.
5. Jean, *m.* to James Campbell, esq.

John Moubray dying in 1732, was buried at Dalgely church (where a monument is erected to his memory), and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT MOUBRAY, esq. of Cockairny, *b.* 1st January, 1700, who *m.* in 1726, his cousin Mary, only child of James Dudgeon, esq. of Inverkeithing, and had issue,

John, who *d.* Capt. Royal Marines.

ROBERT, successor to his father.

James.

George, Lt. R.N. *m.* Miss Toby, and had issue.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Black, esq.

Mary, *m.* to Alexander Sutherland, esq. and had issue.

Mr. Moubray was *s.* at his decease, in 1779, by his eldest surviving son,

ROBERT MOUBRAY, esq. of Cockairny, who *m.* in 1773, Arabella, daughter of Thomas Hussey, esq. of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, (sister of Lady Bickerton and of Lieutenant-General Vere Warner Hussey, of Wood Walton, in Huntingdonshire), by whom he had two sons and one dau. viz.

ROBERT (Sir), present proprietor of Cockairny.

RICHARD-HUSSEY (Sir), a rear admiral of the red, K.C.B. &c. who assumed by sign manual, in 1832, upon succeeding to the estate of Wood Walton, the surname and arms of HUSSEY (*see that family.*)

Eleanor-Maria-Anna, *m.* to James Stuart, esq. of Dunearn, Fifeshire.

Robert Moubray, of Cockairny, *d.* in 1794, and was *s.* by his elder son, Sir ROBERT MOUBRAY, knt. now representative of this ancient family.

Arms—Gu. a lion rampant crowned arg. within a bordure engrailed of the last.

Crest—A demi-lion rampant, crowned.

Mottoes—Over the crest—Fortitudine; under the arms—Let the deed show.

Supporters—Dexter, a man in armour: sinister, a woman habited ppr.

Estates—The estate of Cockairny, part of the barony of Inverkeithing, and the adjacent estate of Otterstoun.

Seat—Cockairny House, Aberdour, Fifeshire.

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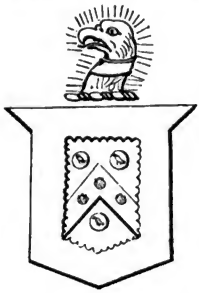
HAMMOND, OF ST. ALBANS COURT.



HAMMOND, WILLIAM-OSMUND, esq. of St. Albans Court, in the county of Kent, *b.* 26th April, 1790, *m.* 15th July, 1815, Mary-Graham, eldest daughter of Sir Henry Oxenden, bart. of Broome Park, and has issue,

WILLIAM-Oxenden, *b.* in December, 1817.
Egerton-Douglas, *b.* in June, 1822.
Maximilian-Montagu, *b.* in May, 1824.
Henry-Anthony, *b.* in June, 1829.
Mary-Elizabeth.
Charlotte-Anna-Maria.
Fanny-Anne-Charlotte.

Mr. Hammond inherited the estates at the decease of his father.

Lineage.

The first member of this family upon record,

JOHN HAMMON, or HAMMOND, was resident in Kent, temp. HENRY VIII. as tenant to the abbot and convent of St. Albans. He died in 1525, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS HAMMOND, who purchased, in 1551, the manor in which he before resided, and built a part of the mansion-house now remaining. He *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Robert Hadde, of Aylesford, in Kent, but by her (who *d.* in 1546) had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Alice, daughter of Edward Monnis, of Waldershare, and had several children, viz.

EDWARD, his successor.
Thomas, of Nonington.
Isaac, of East Sutton.
John, of Lincoln's Inn.
William.
Mary, *m.* in 1565, to Arnolde Hadde, of Frinsted, in Kent, and afterwards of St. Alphage, Canterbury.
Martha, *m.* in 1569, to John Sea, of Herne.
Katherine, *m.* in 1575, to Edward Hills, of Egarton.
Rebecca, *m.* but *d. s. p.*
Sarah, } one of whom *m.* to Matthew
Jane, } Hadde, esq. of St. Alphage.

The eldest son,

EDWARD HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court, *m.* Katherine, daughter of — Shelly, esq. of Patesham, in Sussex, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM (Sir), his successor.
2. John, who *m.* Eleanora, daughter of William Robinson, esq. of Yorkshire, and had issue.
3. Edward, *b.* in 1582.
4. Thomas.
5. FRANCIS, } These gentlemen, who
6. ROBERT, } were distinguished by their military talents, attained each the rank of colonel. The elder served for many years in the German army; both accompanied Sir Walter Raleigh in his expedition to Guinea, and drew forth strong expressions of approbation from that gallant soldier. In the civil commotions of the subsequent reign, they took a prominent part. The elder (colonel Francis), in his advanced age, retired to his native place, and after having added somewhat to the buildings, died there. The younger (colonel Robert) was shot in the wars in Ireland.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* in 1610, to Samuel Hales, gent. (second son of Humphrey Hales, esq. York Herald.)
8. Mary.

The eldest son,

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SIR WILLIAM HAMMOND, of St. Albans Court, who received the honour of knighthood, in 1608, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony Aucher, esq. of Bishopsbourne, by Margaret, daughter of Edward Sandys, Archbishop of York, and had, (with three daughters beside)

1. ANTHONY, his successor.
2. Edward.
3. William.
4. Mary, *m.* to Sir Thomas Stanley, knt. and was mother of
   THOMAS STANLEY, the poet, of Comberlow.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Marsham, bart. of Whornesplace, in the county of Kent, and had issue,
   SIR JOHN MARSHAM, bart. of Cuxton, whose only son, JOHN, *d. s. p.*
   SIR ROBERT MARSHAM, bart. of Bushy Hall, Herts, whose son, ROBERT, was elevated to the peerage, in 1716, as BARON ROMNEY. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)
   Elizabeth Marsham, *m.* first, to Stephen Penkhurst, esq. of Buxted Place, in Sussex, and secondly, to her cousin, WILLIAM HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court.

Sir William Hammond *d.* in 1615, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ANTHONY HAMMOND, esq. of St. Alban's Court, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Dudley Digges, knt. of Chilham Castle, master of the rolls to King CHARLES I. and had, with several daughters, four sons, viz.

I. WILLIAM, his successor.
II. Dudley.
III. Anthony, of Somersham Place, in the county of Huntingdon, whose son,
   ANTHONY, of Somersham Place, was a member of parliament, and commissioner of the navy in the reign of *Queen* ANNE. This gentleman, a person of celebrity amongst the wits and politicians of his day, a period when St. Stephens displayed no ordinary degree of eloquence, obtained from Lord Bolinbroke the epithet of *Silver Tongued Hammond.* He espoused Jane, daughter of Sir Walter Clarges, bart. and had issue,
   1. THOMAS, of Somersham, who *m.* Miss Elizabeth Adams, and *d.* in 1758.
   2. JAMES, the elegiac POET, M.P. for Truro. This eminent person received his education at Westminster school, where he formed an intimacy with the Lords Cobham, Chesterfield, Lyttelton, and several others, who subsequently distinguished themselves in the literary world. His "Love elegies" were published shortly after his death, with a preface by Lord Chesterfield. They are chiefly imitations from Tibullus; are obviously the fruits of a highly cultivated mind, and have been much read and admired notwithstanding the severe and illiberal criticisms of Dr. Johnson.
IV. Edward *d.* at sea.

Anthony Hammond *d.* in 1661, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court, who *m.* twice, but had issue only by his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Marsham, bart. viz.

WILLIAM, his successor.
Anthony, *d.* young.
John, barrister-at-law, who left an only daughter, Elizabeth, who *d.* unm. in 1778.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Oliver St. John, esq. son of the chief justice, St. John.
Anne, *m.* to Dr. William Wotton, the well-known critic.

Mr. Hammond having been bred a physician, went abroad in pursuit of professional knowledge, and a very curious account of his travels, written by himself, is still preserved amongst the family papers. He was succeeded at his decease by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court. This gentleman *m.* first, in 1692, Elizabeth, daughter of John Kingsford, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1702) he had a son, ANTHONY, his successor. He espoused, secondly, Mary, daughter of Thomas Turner, esq. of Ileden, and dying in 1717, was *s.* by his eldest son,

ANTHONY HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court, who *d.* in 1722, and was *s.* by his only child.

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WILLIAM HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter and co-heiress of William Egerton, LL.D. (grandson of John, second Earl of Bridgewater), by Ann, daughter of Sir Francis Head, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Anthony-Egerton, in holy orders, rector of Knowlton, and Ivy church, Kent.
Anna-Maria.
Charlotte, *m.* in 1771, to Thomas Watkinson Payler, esq. of Ileden.
Catharine-Jemima.
Elizabeth.

The elder son,

WILLIAM HAMMOND, esq. of St. Albans Court, *m.* in 1785, Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Osmund Beauvoir, D.D. by Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John Boys, esq. of Hoad Court, descended from the Boys's of Fredville, and had issue,

WILLIAM OSMUND, present proprietor.
Maximilian-Dudley-Digges, who inherited under the will of the late Frances-Isabella Master, widow of — Master, esq. of Yotes Court, Kent, the estates in Kent and Lincolnshire, of the ancient family of DALYSON, of Hamptons, and assumed, by royal license, the surname of that family (DALYSON) only.
Elizabeth.
Mary, *m.* to Charles Allix, esq. of Willoughby Hall, in the county of Lincoln, and has issue.
Charlotte, *m.* John Nethercoat, esq. of Moulton Grange, Northamptonshire.
Caroline, } both deceased.
Julia-Jemima, }
Semina-Julia, *m.* to the Rev. Clayton Glyn, of the county of Essex.

Mr. HAMMOND was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, WILLIAM OSMUND HAMMOND, esq. now representative of the family.

*Arms**---Ar. on a chev. sa between three ogresses, each charged with a martlet of the field, three escallop shells or, all within a bordure engrailed vert.

Crest---A hawk's head, collared gu. rays issuing or.

Motto---Pro rege et patriâ.

Estates---MANOR OF ESTWALL, or EASOLE, in the hundred of Wingham. In 1084, this manor belonged to Odo, Bishop of Bayeux; it thence passed to the crown, was granted to Nigel de Albini, and was conveyed by him to the monastery of St. Albans. At the dissolution, it was sold to Sir C. Hales, thence to Sir T. Culpepper, and purchased from him in 1526, by Thomas Hamon, direct ancestor of the present possessor. Other estates in Kent and Bucks.

Seat---St. Albans Court, Nonington, Kent.

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* Granted by Barker, garter king-at-arms, to Thomas Hamon, of Nonington, in 1548, 2nd EDWARD VI.

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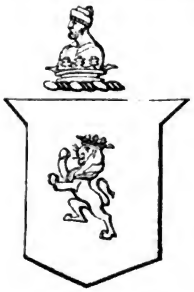
DARELL, OF CALEHILL.

DARELL, EDWARD, esq. of Calehill, in Kent, *m.* 2nd March, 1802, Mary-Anne, daughter of Thomas Bullock, esq. of Muscoats, in the county of York, and has issue,



EDWARD-HENRY, *b.* 27th November, 1810.
Philip-John, *b.* 28th January, 1817.
Henry-John, *b.* 25th June, 1819.
James-Stephen, *b.* 10th December, 1820.
William, *b.* 6th January, 1823.
Robert, *b.* 27th March, 1824.
Mary-Anne.
Olivia-Lucy.

Mr. Darell *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father.

Lineage.

This very ancient family is of Norman descent, deriving from one of the gallant companions in arms of the CONQUEROR, whose name appears on the roll of Battel Abbey.*

WILLIAM DARELL, of Sesay, in the county of York, left by Emma his wife three sons, viz.

MARMADUKE, who inherited Sesay.
JOHN, of whom presently.
William, of Littlecote, in the county of Wilts, under-treasurer of England, ancestor of the Darells of Littlecote.

The second son,

JOHN DARELL, purchased, in the 4th HENRY IV. Cale Hill, in the county of Kent, and espousing Joane, only daughter and heiress of Valentine Barrett, of Perry Court, by Cicele, daughter and co-heir of Marcellus at Lese, had, with other issue, a son,

WILLIAM, of whom presently, as ancestor of the *Darells of Calehill.*

He *m.* secondly, Florence Chicheley, heiress of William Chicheley, archbishop of Canterbury, by this lady he acquired the manor of SCOTNEY, and had a son and successor in that estate, viz.

THOMAS, of Scotney, who *m.* Thomasine, daughter of Sir John Gresley, of the county of Stafford, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY, of Scotney, from whom that manor passed in direct succession, to his descendant and representative,

ARTHUR DARELL, esq. of Scotney, at whose decease unmarried, in 1720, the estate of SCOTNEY devolved, according to an old family settlement, upon the second brother of the branch of the Darells settled at Calehill, namely,

GEORGE DARELL, esq. second son of John Darell, esq. of Calehill, by Olivia his wife, daughter of Philip, Viscount Stangford.

The eldest son of John Darell, by his first wife,

WILLIAM DARELL, of Calehill, *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Edward Guildeford, knt. of Halden, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Julian, *m.* to John Dering, esq. ances-

* See *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*

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tor of the Derings, baronets, of Surrenden Dering.

He *d.* in 1471, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN DARELL, knt. of Calehill, who was so great a promoter of the EARL OF RICHMOND's interest, that King RICHARD III. declared him a rebel and a traitor, seized on all his lands in the counties of Kent and Worcester, (in which latter he had thirteen manors) and granted them to Sir William Harrington, knt. When the earl, however, ascended the throne, Sir John obtained a restitution of his possessions, and was appointed esquire of the body to the king, captain of the Lancers in Kent, and sheriff of the county. He espoused Anne, daughter of James Isaac, esq. of Bekesborne, by whom he had issue,

JAMES, his successor.

John, in holy orders, of Wittersham.

Isabel, *m.* to John Fane, esq. of Hilden, in the county of Kent, and had, with three daughters, four sons, viz.

1. Henry, who *d. s. p.* 25th HENRY VIII
2. RICHARD, from whom lineally derives John Fane, present Earl of Westmoreland.
3. Thomas.
4. JOHN, ancestor of the Earls of Darlington (recently advanced to the marquisate of Cleveland).

Sir John *d.* in 1509, and was buried in Little Chart church, where a monument, still remaining, was erected to his memory. His elder son and successor,

SIR JAMES DARELL, knt. of Calehill, was governor of Guisnes and Hames Castle, near Calais. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Nicholas Dyker, esq. of the county of Berks, by whom he had, with one daughter, three sons, viz.

GEORGE, his successor.

Nicholas, of Lexham.

Hugo, who left issue.

He *d.* in 1521, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE DARELL, esq. of Calehill, who *m.* Mary, daughter of George Whitehead, esq. of the county of Hants, and dying in 1578, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN DARELL, knt. of Calehill, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heir of Robert Horne, bishop of Winchester, and had eleven sons and five daughters, of whom,

George, predeceased his father.

ROBERT, succeeded that gentleman.

John, *m.* Lady Dorothy Harfleet, and had two daughters. He was gentleman harbinger to King JAMES and King CHARLES, and dying in 1646, aged 73, lies buried in the church of Little Chart.

NATHANIEL, governor of Guernsey, *m.* Anne Beauvoir, of that island, and had issue,

NATHANIEL, governor of Sheerness and Languard Fort in the reign of CHARLES II. *m.* the daughter of Colonel John Legge, of the noble family of Dartmouth, and left issue,

1. JOHN, of whom hereafter, as inheritor of Calehill.
2. Mary, *m.* to Sir Charles Murray.
3. Elizabeth. *m.* to Thomas Sackville, esq.

Sir John was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

SIR ROBERT DARELL, of Calehill, who *m.* first, Alicia, daughter of Sir Thomas Peyton, knt. but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, in 1614, Jane, daughter of Christopher Toldervey, esq. of Horton, near Canterbury, by whom he had, with other children,

JOHN, his successor.

Edward, who *m.* Miss Dorothy Kipping, a co-heiress, and left at his decease, in 1665, a son,

JOHN, who eventually inherited Calehill.

Sir Robert *d.* in 1645, at the age of 76, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN DARELL, knt. of Calehill, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Edward Dering, bart. and had an only daughter,

ELIZABETH, *m.* to her cousin, Sir John Darell, of Calehill.

He espoused, secondly, Bridget, daughter of Thomas Denne, esq. of Canterbury, but had no further issue. Dying thus without a son, the manor of Calehill, with the other estates, devolved upon his nephew,

SIR JOHN DARELL, knt. of Calehill, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of his predecessor, but dying *s. p.* in 1694, was *s.* by his relative,

JOHN DARELL, esq. of Calehill, (refer to issue of NATHANIEL, fourth son of the SIR JOHN DARELL, by his wife, the co-heir of

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Bishop Horne). This gentleman *m.* Olivia, second daughter of Philip Smith, Viscount Strangford, and had, with junior issue,

1. PHILIP, his successor.
2. George, who inherited (as mentioned above) the estate at SCOTNEY in 1720, upon the failure of male issue in that branch. He did not obtain possession however without litigation, being obliged to defend himself against the three sisters and heirs of Arthur Darell, esq. of Scotney. He ultimately prevailed, and continued to reside at Scotney until his death, when he was *s.* by his son,

   JOHN, of Scotney, who, in 1774, conveyed the manor and estate, with divers other lands in the parish of Goodhurst, to Mr. John Richards, of Robertsbridge, who again passed away these manors, in 1779, to EDWARD HUSSEY, esq.
3. James, in holy orders.

The eldest son and heir,

PHILIP DARELL, esq. of Calehill, rebuilt the present mansion-house on an eminence at a small distance from the ancient residence of the family. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Constantine, esq. and had, with several other children,

HENRY, his successor.

Catherine, *m.* to Michael Bray, esq.

Barbara, *m.* to --- Broadman, esq. of Manchester.

He *d.* at Canterbury, and was brought to the church of Little Chart, to be interred with his ancestors. His son and successor,

HENRY DARELL, esq. of Calehill, *m.* Elizabeth, second daughter of Sir Thomas Gage, bart. and had issue,

Henry, *d.* unmarried, in 1802, at Bengal.

EDWARD, present proprietor.

Philip, *d.* unmarried, in 1813.

Mary.

Lucy, *m.* to Sir Edward Hales, bart. who *d. s. p.* in 1829.

Catherine, *d.* unmarried.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John-Linch French, esq.

Barbara, *m.* to Francis Cholmeley, esq. of Bransby, Yorkshire.

Margaret.

Arms---Az. a lion rampant or, crowned arg.

Crest---Out of a ducal coronet or, a saracen's head, couped below the shoulders, ppr. wreathed about the temples ar and az, on his head a cap of the last, fretty ar. turned up erm.

Estates---In Kent.

Seat---Calehill, in the county of Kent.

STRANGWAYES, OF WELL.

STRANGWAYES, RICHARD-PURCHAS, esq. of Well, in the county of York *b.* 8th July, 1776, *m.* 28th November, 1801, Sibyl, only daughter of William Bayldon, esq. of York, and had issue,

RICHARD WILLIAM, *b.* 1st September, 1802.

Henry, *b.* 30th June, 1806.

Louisa-Maria, *m.* 12th September, 1825, to Thomas, son of —— Anderson, esq. of Swinethwaite Hall, near Leyburn, in Yorkshire, and has issue.

Harriet-Catherine.

Mr. Strangwayes succeeded at the decease of his father, on the 1st August, 1828.

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Lineage.

This family, which boasts of high antiquity, is allied, through females, to the noble houses of Percy, Kyme, Umfreville, Talboys, Berners, &c.

HENRY STRANGWISH had, with other issue,

1. ROGER, his successor, who *m.* Alice, daughter of Robert Orrell, esq. and his eldest son,

THOMAS, espoused Alianor, daughter of Walter Talboys, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY, who *m.* first, — dau. of Sir John Wadham, and had an only daughter, ELIZABETH, who *m.* Thomas Trenchard, of Dorsetshire. He espoused secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Arundell, of Lanhern, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR GILES STRANGWISH, of Melberrie Sampford, in the county of Dorset, from whom we pass to his descendant and representative,

GILES STRANGWAYES, esq. of Melberrie Sampford. This gentleman was representative in parliament for Dorsetshire, and one of the privy council to *King* CHARLES II. In the time of the civil war, he had the command of a regiment in that division of the royal army which acted under *Prince* MAURICE in the west. In 1645, he was imprisoned in the Tower, for his active loyalty, where he endured confinement for more than two years and a half. There is a fine Medallion struck of Mr. Strangways upon this occasion; on the reverse of which is represented that part of the Tower which is called Cæsars, with this inscription:

"Decusque adversa dederunt."

When Charles fled into the west in disguise, after the battle of Worcester, Mr. Strangways sent his majesty three hundred broad pieces, which were perhaps the most seasonable present the royal fugitive ever received. This was, however, but a small portion of the sum which is to be placed to the account of his loyalty, as the house of Strangways paid no less than £35000 for its fidelity to the crown. This gallant cavalier *m.* Susanna, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Edwards, of London, merchant, and had, with other children, all of whom *d. s. p.* his successor,

THOMAS STRANGWAYES, esq. of Melberrie Sampford, who *m.* Susan, daughter and heir of John Ridout, esq. of Bristol, and had five sons and four daughters, of whom one daughter only left issue, namely,

SUSANNA, who *m.* Thomas Strangways - Horner, esq. and had an only daughter,

ELIZABETH, who *m.* in 1736, Stephen Fox, EARL of ILCHESTER, who, in pursuance of a deed of settlement, assumed the name and arms of STRANGWAYES.

2. Thomas, *m.* Katherine, daughter of Ralph Nevill, Earl of Westmoreland, and widow of John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, and had issue.

3. James (Sir), a judge.

This third son,

SIR JAMES STRANGWISH, *m.* Jane, daughter of Nicholas Orrell, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JAMES STRANGWISH, of Harlesey, Castle, in the county of York. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Evers, and had issue,

RALPH.

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Edward, LL. D.
Felice, *m.* to William Aske.

Sir James espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Philip, Lord Darcy, and had further issue,

RICHARD (Sir), who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and co-heir of William Nevill, Lord Fauconberge, and Earl of Kent, and had issue, but his line is now extinct.
JAMES.
Henry.
John.
Robert.
Eleanor, *m.* to Edmond Maleverer, of Woodersome, Yorkshire.

The second son of Sir James Strangways, by his second wife,

JAMES STRANGWAYS, *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heir of Sir Robert Conyers, of Ormsby and Hornby, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES STRANGWAYS, of Ormsby, in the county of York, who espoused — daughter of Edmond Trafford, of Lancashire, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES STRANGWAYS, of Ormsby, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heir of Ralph Danby, and had issue,

RICHARD (Sir), his successor.
Alice, *m.* first, to Christopher Cogniers, and secondly, to Robert Wilberfoss.
Margaret, *m.* to Philip Bainbridge, of Whenby Hill.
Isabell.

He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR RICHARD STRANGWAYES, of Ormsby and Sutton, who *m.* first, Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Metham, and had issue,

JAMES, who inherited Ormsby, and marrying Margaret, daughter of Sir Richard Cholmley, left an only dau. and heir,
JANE, *m.* to Ralph Crathorne, and *d. s. p.*
Elizabeth, *m.* first, — Tristram, and had a daughter, Dorothy, *m.* to Christopher Fulthorpe. Mrs. Tristram espoused secondly, James Bradshaw, and had issue,
Strangwishe Bradshaw, who *m.* a daughter of James Peniman, of Ormsby, and had a son, Roger.
John Bradshaw.

Sir Richard Strangways espoused, secondly, Isabel, daughter of Thomas Thwaytes, of Lound, and had further issue,

WILLIAM, of Middlesburgh, *m.* Mary, daughter of Roger Tockett, but *d. s. p.*
EDWARD, of whom presently.
Henry.
Margaret, *m.* to William Rabank.
Ursula.

The second son of the second marriage,

EDWARD STRANGWAYES, *m.* Phelice, second daughter of William Ratcliffe, of Lancaster, and had issue,

JOHN, who *d.* unmarried.
THOMAS.
Edward.

The second son,

THOMAS STRANGWAYES, of Little Holtby, in the county of York, *m.* in 1661, Dorothy, daughter of — Hardcastle, esq. of Kirby-on-the-Hill, in the same shire, by whom (who *d.* in 1678) he had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Richard, *m.* to Anne, daughter of — Kaye, esq. of the county of York, and had issue.
Anne, *m.* to Richard Sadler, esq. and had issue.
Margaret, *m.* to — Barugh, esq. and had a son, John.
Dorothy, *m.* to — Nicholas Carter, esq. and had issue.
Mary, *m.* to Richard Wilson, esq. and had issue.

Mr. Strangwayes was *s.* by his eldest son, who, removing from Holtby, became

JOHN STRANGWAYES, of Well, in the county of York. This gentleman *m.* Gratiana, daughter of Thomas Preston, esq. of Holtby-Magna, (by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter and heir of D'Arcy Conyers, esq. of the same place), by whom (who *d.* in 1746) he had issue,

1. JOHN, of Alne, in the county of York, and of the city of York, *b.* 13th March, 1708, *m.* Frances, daughter of Henry Baynes, esq of Bootham, and had issue,
HENRY, who *d. s. p.*
FRANCES, *m.* to Allen Swainston, M.D. of the city of York, and had issue,
JOHN SWAINSTON, who *d.* unm.
EDWARD SWAINSTON, who assumed the name of STRANGWAYES. (See *Strangwayes of Alne.*)
Margaret Swainston, *d.* unm.

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Mary-Elizabeth Swainston, *m.* to Christopher Nevile, esq. of Thorney, in the county of Lincoln.

Matilda Swainston, *d.* unm.

Harriet Swainston, *m.* to George Treacher, esq. son of the Rev. Thomas Treacher, of Begbrook, in the county of Oxford.

II. Richard, of Well.

III. Thomas, of Barham Wood, in the county of Hertford, *m.* 16th December, 1748, Elizabeth-Anne, only surviving issue and heiress of Thomas Holt, esq. of Reading, in Berkshire,* grand-niece of lord chief justice Holt, and first cousin to Mary, Countess of Haddington, and Lady Head, of Langley Park, Berkshire, by whom he had issue,

John, *b.* 24th August, 1756; *d.* unmarried, in America, in 1775.

Thomas-Holt, *d.* young.

LOUISA, *m.* to her kinsman, RICHARD STRANGWAYES, esq. of Well. This lady became eventually one of the co-heirs to the BARONY OF BERNERS.

IV. Elizabeth, *d.* unm.

V. Dorothy, *m.* to J. Palmer, esq. of Bedford Row, London, and of Baunmore, in the county of Kerry, and had an only son, JOHN-GROVE PALMER, esq. who was many years attorney general in the Bermudas, and marrying Miss Dorothy Ball, left at his decease, in May, 1832,

1. John Palmer, esq. of Baunmore, who *m.* Isabella, daughter of J. Studdard, esq. and has issue.

2. Hester-Strangwayes Palmer, *m.* to the Honorable James Christie Esten, chief justice and president of the council in the Bermudas, and has issue,

Palmer Esten, esq. a barrister, *m.* in January, 1832, Ann, daughter of — Hutchison, esq. of Exeter, and sister of Lady Harvey Bathurst.

Hamilton Esten, an officer in the rifle brigade.

3. Harriet Palmer, *m.* to Captain Charles Austen, of the R.N. son of the Rev. — Austen, of Chawton, near Alton, in Hampshire, and has issue, two sons and three daughters.

The second son of John Strangwayes,

RICHARD STRANGWAYES, was of Well. He was *b.* 5th April, 1716, and *m.* 19th April, 1742, Faith, daughter of Thomas Topham, esq. of Aysgarth, in Wensleydale, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

John, *b.* in 1748, *d.* in 1756.

RICHARD, successor to his father.

Mr. Strangwayes *d.* in 1764, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

RICHARD STRANGWAYES, esq. of Well, *b.* 24th September, 1749, *m.* first, Ellen, daughter of Mr. Fryer, of Pickill, in the county of York, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Thomas Purchas, esq. of Spennithorne, in the same shire, by whom (who *d.* in 1781, aged 25) he had surviving issue,

RICHARD-PURCHAS, his successor.

Catherine, *m.* in 1805, to Thomas Prest, esq. of Bedale, in the county of York, and *d. s. p.* 10th September, 1812.

Mr. Strangwayes wedded, thirdly, his relative, Louisa, only daugh. of Thomas Strangwayes, esq. of Barham Wood, and one of the co-heirs, in right of her mother, to the barony of Berners,† by this lady he had issue,

THOMAS, heir apparent to his mother, captain in the army, *m.* Catherine, youngest daughter of Colonel Brooke (of Scholes, in Yorkshire) of the dragoon guards, and had an only child.

* By his wife LUCY KNYVET, younger daughter and co-heir (with her sister, Elizabeth Knyvet, wife of Henry Wilson, esq. of Didlington, in the county of Norfolk) of John Knyvet, esq. of Norwich, lineal descendant and representative of Edmund Knyvet, esq. serjeant porter to King HENRY VIII. and his wife, JANE BOURCHIER, daughter and eventually sole heir of Sir John Bourchier, Lord Berners.

† The barony of Berners has recently been restored to Mrs. Strangwayes' second cousin, Robert Wilson, esq. of Didlington, the other co-heir, who has taken his seat as Lord Berners.

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Caroline-Frances, who *d.* in 1831.
John, a merchant of London.
Edward, of Ripon, *m.* in 1830, Georgiana-Frederica, daughter of the late John Walker, esq. of Walterclough, in Yorkshire.
D'Arcy, of London.
Francis, an officer in the 65th regiment, *d.* at Surat, in the East Indies.
Louisa, *m.* to William Morton, esq. of Ripen, in Yorkshire, and has issue.

Mr. Strangwayes, *d.* 1st of August, 1828, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present

RICHARD-PURCHAS STRANGWAYES, esq.

Arms---Sable, two lions argent passant, paled gules.

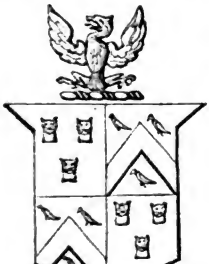
Crest---A lion, as in the arms.

Motto---Ystoyeau & ne doublero.

Residence---York.

BARNE, OF SOTTERLEY AND DUNWICH.

BARNE, MICHAEL, esq. of Sotterley and Dunwich, in the county of Suffolk, *b.* 3rd June, 1759, late lieutenant colonel of the 7th hussars, and member of parliament for Dunwich from 1812 to 1830, espoused Mary, daughter of Ayscogh Boucherett, esq. of Willingham and Shillingborough, in Lincolnshire, and has issue,



FREDERICK, M.P. for Dunwich, captain in the 12th Lancers, *m.* 4th Feb. 1833, Mary-Anne-Elizabeth, eldest dau. of the late Sir John Courtenay Honeywood, Bart.
Emily-Mary.

Colonel Barne succeeded at the decease of his half brother Miles Barne, esq. on the 8th September, 1825.

Lineage.

SIR GEORGE BARNE, knt. was Lord Mayor of the city of London in 1552. By his wife Alice, he had issue,

GEORGE, *his successor.*

John, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Thomas Langton, esq. of Yorkshire, and left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.
1. Mary, *m.* to Francis Roberts, esq. of Wilsdon, Middlesex.
2. Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Altham, esq. second son of Sir James Altham, of Markshall, in Essex.

Anne, *m.* first, to Alexander Carlyell, esq. and secondly, to Sir Francis Walsingham.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Rivers, knt. Lord Mayor of London in 1574. He *d.* 27th February, 1583.

He was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR GEORGE BARNE, knt. citizen of London, and Lord Mayor in 1586. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir William Gerrard, knt. (who was Lord Mayor of London in 1555) of Dorney, in the county of Bucks, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM (SIR).
2. George.
3. Francis, } *d. s. p.*
4. Thomas, } *d. s. p.*
5. John. } *d. s. p.*
6. Mark, *m.* ---, and had two sons,
   George.
   Richard.
7. Peter.
8. Richard, of Tangley, in Surrey, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Francis Aungier, afterwards Lord Aungier, Master of the Rolls in Ireland, but *d. s. p.* 6th October, 1620.

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9. Anne, *m.* to Walter Marley, esq.

Sir George *d.* in 1592, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir William Barne, knt. of Woolwich, in the county of Kent. This gentleman espoused Anne, daughter of his Grace, Doctor Edwin Sandys,* Archbishop of York, and had six sons and a daughter, viz.

1. William (Sir), of Woolwich, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Sir Peter Manwood, of St. Stephens, Canterbury, Knight of the Bath, and had an only son,

   William, who *d. s. p.*

2. Robert, of Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Twysdon, esq. of Wye, in the county of Kent, and had issue,

   Robert, who *d. s. p.*
   Carola, *m.* Sir Roger Harsnet, knt. Serjeant at Arms.
   Frances.
   Mary.
   Anne.

3. Thomas.
4. Miles, in holy orders, of whom presently.
5. John.
6. George.
7. Anne, *m.* to Sir William Lovelace, of Lovelace, in the county of Kent.

The fourth son,

The Rev. Miles Barne, Rector of Bishopsbourne cum Barham, *m.* Jane, daughter of --- Travis or Travers, esq. of Chipping-Norton, in the county of Oxford, and dying 1st September, 1670, left issue,

1. Miles, of Peterhouse, Cambridge, D.D. chaplain to *King* Charles II. *m.* —— but left no issue at his decease, about the year 1709.
2. John, with whom we shall proceed.
3. William, of Beaksbourne, in Kent, *m.* but left no issue.
4. Henry, of York Buildings, in the county of Middlesex, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of J. Mainwaring, citizen of London, and dying in 1689, left three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

   Elizabeth, *m.* to Joseph Saxton, citizen of London.
   Frances, *m.* to Henry Simonds, of London.
   Jane, *m.* to the Rev. John Andrews, Rector of Knowlton, in Kent, and of St. Mildreds and All Saints, Canterbury.

5. Robert, citizen of London, *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Wyvil, of Yorkshire, and left an only daughter,

   Jane, *m.* to the Rev. Henry Rosse, Rector of Swanscombe, near Gravesend, Kent.

6. Anne, *m.* to Bernard Gibbard, and left an only daughter,

   Elizabeth Gibbard.

7. Hesther.

The second son,

John Barne, citizen of London, continued the line of the family. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Edward Billers, of the town of Leicester, gentleman, and had issue,

1. George, Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge, *d.* unmarried in 1695.
2. John, of London, merchant, *m.* Sarah, daughter of Benjamin Drake, of Kensington, gentleman, and had four sons and two daughters, viz.

   John, who *d.* in Ireland, *s. p.*
   Benjamin, an officer of Dragoons, killed in a duel in Ireland in 1722, unmarried.
   Miles, *d.* in 1765, unmarried.
   George, *m.* ---, widow of --- Bowyer, but had no issue.
   Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry Trollope, of London, son of Sir Thomas Trollope, bart. of Caswick, in Lincolnshire.
   Sarah, *m.* to George Thornhill, esq. of Diddington, Hants.

3. William, *d.* at Bombay, in 1710, unmarried.
4. Miles, who eventually continued the line of the family.

* The grandson of this Prelate, Edward Sandys, esq. was Chancellor of the Exchequer in the reign of George II. and elevated to the peerage as Lord Sandys, of *Ombersley*. He was subsequently Speaker of the House of Lords. His lordship *d.* in 1770, and was *s.* by his eldest son, Edward, second Lord Sandys, at whose decease, without issue, in 1797, the title expired, and the estates devolved upon his niece, Mary Sandys, who had married Arthur, Marquis of Downshire, in Ireland. See *Burke's Extinct Peerage*.

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5. Henry, citizen of London, *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev. William Dowdeswell, Rector of Kingham, in Oxfordshire, and had two sons, Henry and William.
6. Anne, *d.* unmarried in 1683.
7. Alice, *m.* to William Selwyn, citizen of London.

The fourth son,

MILES BARNE, a merchant of London, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Solomon Snowdon, esq. of the city of York, and had one son and two daughters, viz.

MILES, his successor.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Stephen Anderson, bart. of Eyworth, in the county of Bedford, and *d. s. p.*

Anne, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Barne *d.* in 1743, and was *s.* by his son,

MILES BARNE, esq. of Sotterley, in the county of Suffolk, M.P. for Dunwich, *b.* in 1718, *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Nathaniel Elwick, esq. of May Place, near Crayford, Kent, formerly governor of Fort Saint George, in the East Indies, and had issue,

MILES, his successor.

Elizabeth-Elwick, *d.* 24th June, 1759.

Mr. Barne espoused secondly, Mary, eldest daughter of George Thornhill, esq. of Diddington, in Huntingdonshire, and had, with other children,

Barne, M.P. for Dunwich, from 1777 to 1790, afterwards a Commissioner of Taxes, *d.* in 1829, unmarried.

Snowdon, M.P. for Dunwich, from 1796 to 1812, Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer, afterwards a Lord of the Treasury from 1809 to 1812, and then a Commissioner of the Customs, *d.* in 1825, unmarried.

MICHAEL, present proprietor.

Thomas, in holy orders, M.A F.S.A. sometime Rector of Southelmham, Saint James's, and of Sotterley, Suffolk, Chaplain in ordinary to their Majesties GEORGE III. GEORGE IV. and WILLIAM IV. *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Wyatt, esq. of Milton Place, Surrey, and secondly, Sarah, daughter of the Hon. and very Rev. Andrew St. John, D.D. and Dean of Worcester.

Mary, *m.* to W. Sawbridge, esq. of East Haddon, in the county of Northampton.

Sarah, *m.* to John Harding, esq. of Clyadernon, and *d.* 7th January, 1818.

Elizabeth.

Anne, *m.* to Drake Garrard, esq. of Lamer, Herts, and *d.* in January, 1827.

Mr. Barne *d.* 20th December, 1780, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

MILES BARNE, esq. of Sotterly, Suffolk, and May Place, Kent, M.P. for Dunwich from 1791 to 1796, at whose decease, unmarried, 8th September, 1825, the estates devolved upon his half-brother, MICHAEL BARNE, esq. the present proprietor.

Arms---Granted in the reign of *Queen* ELIZABETH to Sir George Barne, knt. and his brother John Barne, esq. Quarterly: first and fourth, az. three Leopards' heads, arg. Second and third, arg. a chevron az. between three Cornish choughs, sa.

Crest---Sa, an eagle displayed, sa.

Motto---Nec timidé, nec temeré.

Estates---In the counties of Suffolk and Kent.

Town Residence---Grosvenor Street.

Seats---Dunwich and Sotterley Park, Suffolk.

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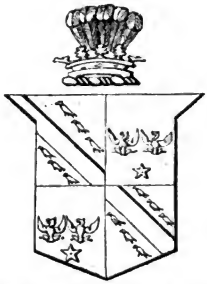
LUTTRELL, OF DUNSTER CASTLE.

LUTTRELL, FOWNES JOHN, esq. of Dunster Castle, in the county of Somerset, and Nethway House, Devonshire, formerly member of parliament for Minehead, *b.* 26th August, 1787, *s.* to the estates at the decease of his father, in 1816.

Lineage.



The family of LUTTRELL, or LOTERELL, was established in England by one of the chiefs in the Norman Conquest, whose name is to be found in the Roll of Battel Abbey.

In the reigns of HENRY I. and *King* Stephen, Sir John Luttrell held, *in capite*, the manor of Hoton Pagnel, in Yorkshire, which vested in his male descendants until the time of HENRY V. when it devolved upon an heiress, who espoused John Scott, feudal lord of Calverley, and steward of the household to the *Empress* MAUD.

The estates of Sir Geoffry Luttrell, knt. in the counties of Derby, Leicester, Nottingham, and York, were confiscated in the reign of RICHARD I. for his adhesion to John, Earl of Morton, but they were restored upon the accession of that prince to the throne, as *King* JOHN. Sir Geoffry subsequently accompanied the king into Ireland, and obtained from the crown a grant of Luttrellstown, in that kingdom. The descendants of Sir Geoffry were afterwards feudal barons of Irnham, and one of those barons, ROBERT DE LUTTRELL, had summons to parliament on the 24th June, and 2nd November, 1295. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*)

JOHN LUTTRELL (youngest son of Andrew Luttrell, of East Quantockshead, living temp. EDWARD I.) acquired by grant from the crown, in the 11th Edward III., certain lands and rents in Chilton, in the county of Devon, which shire he represented in parliament in the 37th of the same monarch. He *m.* two wives, by the first, Rose, he seems to have had no issue; by the second, Joan, he had a son, his successor.

SIR ANDREW LUTTRELL, of Chilton, who had married in the lifetime of his father, Lady Elizabeth Courtenay, second daughter of *Hugh*, EARL OF DEVON, and widow of Sir John Vere, knt. son of Aubrey de Vere, Earl of Oxford, an alliance which connected the Luttrells with the ROYAL HOUSE OF PLANTAGENET. The son of this marriage,

SIR HUGH LUTTRELL, resided at Dunster Castle, which his mother, Lady Elizabeth, had purchased from the family of Mohun; he was member of parliament for Somersetshire in the reign of RICHARD II. and successively for that county and Devon. In the 8th HENRY IV. Sir Hugh gained a suit at law against Edward Plantagenet, Duke of York, and the other heirs of John Lord Mohun, of Dunster,* by which he obtained possession of the honours and Castle of Dunster, lordship of Carhampton, &c. in the county of Somerset. He was afterwards ranger of Blackmore Forest, in Dorsetshire, a privy-councillor to *King* HENRY V., and one of the commanders under that martial monarch, at the reduction of Harfleur, in Normandy, anno 1415, and at the memorable

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* JOHN, LORD MOHUN, OF DUNSTER, left at his decease three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

Philippa, *m.* first, to Edward Plantagenet, Duke of York, and secondly, to Sir Walter Fitz-Walter, knt.

Elizabeth, *m.* William de Montacute, Earl of Salisbury.

Maud, *m.* to John, Lord Strange, of Knockyn.

Burke's Extinct Peerage.

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siege of Rouen. In 1418, being Lieutenant of Harfleur, he took from the French the town and fortress of Monstreville. Sir Hugh *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir John Beaumont, knt. and was *s.* in 1431, by his eldest son,*

SIR JOHN LUTTRELL, who had been made a Knight of the Bath at the coronation of HENRY IV., anno 1399.† This gallant person espoused, first, Joan, daughter of Sir John Mallet, of Enmore, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Margaret, daughter of John, Lord Audley. He died the year after his father, possessed of the castle, church, and manor of Dunster, lordship of Carhampton, town of Minehead, with several manors in the west, held of the crown, as one entire barony of forty-nine knights' fees. He was likewise seized of the manor of Quantoch, with four other knights' fees in Somersetshire, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JAMES LUTTRELL, who was made a KNIGHT-BANNERET at the battle of Wakefield, in 1463, and fell fighting under the standard of Lancaster, in 1471. He was subsequently attainted by *King* EDWARD IV. and his castle of Dunster, lordship of Carhampton, &c. granted to Sir Edward Herbert, knt. first Earl of Pembroke. He left by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir William Courtenay, eldest brother of Sir Edward Courtenay, of Haccombe, a son and successor,

SIR HUGH LUTTRELL, who is mentioned by Hollingshed and other historians amongst the persons of note in the west, who joined the EARL OF RICHMOND at his landing, and were afterwards instrumental in quelling the Devonshire insurrection. When the successful issue of BOSWORTH placed the crown upon RICHMOND's head, as HENRY VII., the estates of Sir Hugh Luttrell were immediately restored, and he was subsequently created a Knight of the Bath, at the coronation of the queen, in 1487. He espoused, first, Margaret, daughter of Robert Hill, and half-sister (maternally) of Lord Daubeney, K.G., and secondly, Walthera, widow of Thomas Drelne. He was *s.* in 2nd of HENRY VIII. by his son by his first wife,

SIR ANDREW LUTTRELL, knt. of Dunster Castle, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Wyndham, and had issue,

JOHN (Sir), *his heir.*
Thomas, successor to his brother.
Richard, ancestor of the Luttrells, of Hartland, Honnibere, Sandon-Court, and Chelsea.
Andrew.
Hugh.

Sir Andrew was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN LUTTRELL, who in the 36th HENRY VIII. was with the Earl of Hertford in Scotland, and present at the taking of Edinburgh and Leith, when he received the honor of knighthood. Two years afterwards he was under the same nobleman at Boulogne, and had the command of a hundred men. In the reign of EDWARD VI. he was likewise distinguished in arms, and was made a Knight-Banneret, for his conduct at the taking of Yester, in the first year of that monarch. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir John Griffith, K.B. by whom (who *m.* after his decease James Godolphin, of Cornwall) he had three daughters, heiresses to one third part of his estates, the other two thirds devolving, by two entails, and by the will of Sir John himself, upon his next brother,

THOMAS LUTTRELL, esq. M.P. for Minehead. This gentleman, in order to preserve the estates which he thus inherited clear of his nieces portions and of his brother's debts, sold all the lands in Devon and Suffolk, but those were amply replaced by the estates acquired on his marriage with Margaret, only daughter and heiress of Christopher Hadley, esq. of Withycombe, and great grandaughter of Philippa, daughter of Sir Humphrey Audley, by Elizabeth, widow of Sir James Luttrell. In consequence of this consanguinity it was necessary to procure a special bull, in the 5th of Philip and Mary, from *Pope* PAUL V. to sanction the marriage. Mr. Luttrell *d.* in 1570, Margaret, his wife surviving, who was afterwards *m.* to John Strode, of Parnham, esq. and again to Richard Hill, esq. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE LUTTRELL, esq. who inherited likewise his mother's lands. This gentleman was sheriff of Somersetshire in 1593. He added considerably to the buildings of

* From a younger son of this Sir Hugh and Catherine Beaumont, ROBERT LUTTRELL, who died in the 15th HENRY VI. seized of the castle and lands of Luttrellstown, in the county of Dublin, descended the well known Irish family of Luttrell, of which were the extinct EARLS OF CARHAMPTON.

† The ORDER OF THE BATH was then first instituted, and consisted of forty-six knights, amongst whom were three of the king's sons.

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Dunster Castle, and lived there in the greatest hospitality, enjoying, in an eminent degree, the love and respect of his neighbourhood. He *m.* first, Joan, daughter of Hugh Stewkley, esq. of Marsh, in the county of Somerset, by whom he had THOMAS, his successor. He espoused, secondly, Sylvestra Capper, by whom (who wedded after his decease, first, Sir Edmund Story, and secondly, Gyles Penny, esq.) he had two daughters,

Diana, *m.* to Alexander Lynde, esq.
Sarah, *m.* to John Wogan, esq.

Mr. Luttrell died at an advanced age, in 1630, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, who had married in the lifetime of his father, Jane, daughter of Sir Francis Popham, knt. of Littlecot, and dying in 1647, was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, to whom *s.* his next brother,

FRANCIS LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, who was likewise *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle. This gentleman espoused Lucy, daughter of Thomas Simonds, esq. of Cambridgeshire, and had issue,

FRANCIS, *his successor.*
ALEXANDER, who *s.* his nephew in the estates.

Mr. Luttrell was *s.* by his elder son,

FRANCIS LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, a colonel in the army of *King* WILLIAM, who *m.* Mary, only dau. and heiress of John Tregonwell, esq. of Milton Abbey, county Dorset, (see vol. ii. p. 404,) and had issue,

TREGONWELL, his heir.
Mary, *m.* to Sir George Rooke, vice-admiral of Great Britain.
Frances, *m.* first, to Edward Hervey, esq. and secondly, to Edward Ashe, esq. of Heytesbury, in the county of Wilts.

Col. Luttrell *d.* in 1690, and was *s.* by his nephew,

TREGONWELL LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, at whose decease without issue, in 1706, the estates reverted to his uncle,

ALEXANDER LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle. This gentleman served in all the wars in Flanders, throughout the reign of *King* WILLIAM, and in *Queen* ANNE's time was colonel of the royal regiment of marines. He was likewise, during the greater part of those reigns, member of parliament for the borough of Minehead. He espoused Dorothy, daughter of Edward Yard, esq. of Churston, in the county of Devon, and had two sons,

ALEXANDER, *his successor.*
Francis.

He *d.* in 1714, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ALEXANDER LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir John Trevelyan, bart. of Nettlecombe, and had an only daughter,

MARGARET, *m.* to HENRY FOWNES, esq. of Nethway House, in the county of Devon.

Mr. Luttrell having thus no male issue, his estates devolved, at his decease, upon his only daughter above mentioned,

MARGARET LUTTRELL, whose husband, HENRY FOWNES, assumed in consequence the additional surname and arms of Luttrell. Of this marriage were issue,

JOHN, heir to his father and mother.
Francis, a commissioner of the customs.
Alexander, in holy orders, rector of East Quantockshed, who *d.* in 1810.

Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell were succeeded by their eldest son,

JOHN FOWNES-LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle, M.P. for Minehead. This gentleman *m.* Miss Drewe, of Grange, in the county of Devon, and had issue,

JOHN, *his heir.*
Henry, commissioner of public accounts.
Francis, a captain in the army, *m.* Miss Drewe, and has issue.
Alexander, in holy orders, rector of East Quantockshead, *m.* Miss Leader, and has issue. His only dau. Caroline Lucy Fownes, *m.* in 1836, E. J. Yeatman, M.D. of the Bengal Army.
Thomas, in holy orders, vicar of Minehead, and incumbent curate of Dunster.
Mary-Anne.
Margaret.
Harriet.

Mr. Luttrell *d.* in 1816, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JOHN FOWNES-LUTTRELL, esq. of Dunster Castle.

Arms—Quarterly; 1st and 4th, or a bend between six martlets, sa. for LUTTRELL. 2nd and 3rd, az. two eagles displayed in fesse, and a mullet in base arg. for FOWNES.

Crest—Out of a ducal coronet or, a plume of five feathers arg.

Estates—In Somerset and Devon.

Seats—Dunster Castle, Somersetshire, and Nethway House, in the county of Devon.

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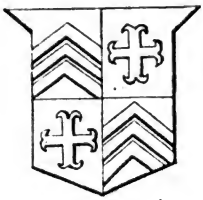
GORE-LANGTON, OF NEWTON PARK.



LANGTON-GORE, WILLIAM, esq. of Newton Park, in the county of Somerset, colonel of the Oxford militia, *b.* in December, 1760, *m.* first in 1783, Bridget, only child and heiress of Joseph Langton, esq. of Newton Park, (upon which occasion he assumed by royal permission the additional surname and arms of Langton) and has had issue,

1. WILLIAM, *b.* in 1787, M.P. for the county of Somerset, *m.* 21st February, 1822, Jacintha-Dorothea, only child of H. Powell Collins, esq. of Hatch-Beauchamp, in that shire, by whom, who *d.* in February, 1827, he had one son.
2. Edward, *b.* in 1789, an officer in the army.
3. John, an officer in the army, *d.* at Ceylon.
4. Frances-Matilda.

Col. Gore-Langton espoused secondly, Mary, only daughter of John Browne, esq. of Salperton, in the county of Gloucester, and has by that lady,

5. William-Henry.
6. John-Frederick.
7. Mary-Henrietta, *m.* in 1831, to Sir J. M. Burgoyne, bart. of Sutton Park.
8. Caroline-Maria, *m.* in 1836, to Col. D'Oyly of the Grenadier Guards.

Col. Gore-Langton succeeded his father, Edward Gore, esq. in 1801.

Lineage.

This family, which originates in a common ancestor with the Earls of Arran, in Ireland, derives immediately from

JOHN GORE, who acquired the lands of Eastham, in the county of Essex, and was *s.* by his son,

GERARD GORE, an alderman of the city of London, who *m.* Ellen, dau. of John Davenant, of Davenant Land, in Essex, and dying at the age of 91, in 1607, left four sons, viz.

I. Richard, *d.* in 1622.
II. Thomas, *d. s. p.*
III. Gerard, ancestor of the Gores of Esher.
IV. JOHN (Sir).

The fourth son,

SIR JOHN GORE, knt. who served the office of LORD MAYOR of the city of London, *m.* Hester, dau. of Sir Thomas Campbell, and dying in 1636, left, *inter alios*, a son,

SIR JOHN GORE, knt. of Gilstone, in the county of Herts, who *m.* Bridget, daughter of Sir Edward Harrington, bart. and died in 1659. His brother,

WILLIAM GORE, of Morden, in the county of Surrey, afterwards of Barrow Court, in Somersetshire, *m.* Jane, daughter of Thomas Smith, esq. of Tedworth, Wilts, by whom he left at his decease in 1662, a son, his successor,

SIR THOMAS GORE, knt. who *m.* Philippa, sister and co-heir of Sir Giles Tooker, of Maddington, in Wiltshire, and dying in 1675, left issue,

William, *d.* in 1718, leaving issue.
Thomas, *d.* before 1725, leaving issue.
EDWARD, of whom presently.
Jane, *m.* to Richard Baskerville, esq of Richardston.
Anne, *m.* to — Stear.

Sir Thomas's third son,

EDWARD GORE, esq. *m.* Arabella, sister and co-heir of Sir John Smyth, bart. of Long Ashton, in the county of Somerset, and *d.* in 1742. His second son, and eventual heir,

EDWARD GORE, esq. *m.* Barbara, widow of Sir Edward Mostyn, bart. and dau. and sole heiress of Sir George Browne, of Kiddington Park, Oxfordshire (by the Lady Barbara Lee, dau. of Edward, first Earl of Litchfield), by whom he left at his decease, in 1801,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Charles, in holy orders, *m.* in 1798,

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Harriett, dau. of Richard Little, esq. of Grosvenor Place, and had surviving issue,

MONTAGUE, the present possessor of Barrow Court.

William-Charles.

George.

Mr. Gore *d.* in 1801, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present WILLIAM GORE-LANGTON, esq.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth grand quarters: quarterly first and fourth arg. three chevrons gu. second and third arg. a cross moline sa. for LANGTON: second and third grand quarters, gules, a fesse between three cross crosslets fitchée, or.

Motto—In hoc signo vinces.

Town Residence—12, Grosvenor-square.

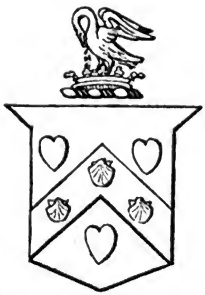
Seat—Newton Park, Somersetshire.

PATESHALL, OF ALLENSMORE.

PATESHALL-BURNAM, EDMUND, esq. of Allensmore, in the county of Hereford, *b.* in 1778, *m.* in 1804, Milborough, daughter and co-heiress of the Reverend James Ingram, of Burford, in the county of Salop, of the ancient Montgomeryshire family of that name.

Mr. Pateshall assumed by royal sign manual, upon the demise of his mother in 1820, the additional surname and arms of BURNAM. He *s.* to the estates upon the decease of his father, 4th November, 1790.

Lineage.



The family of LECHMERE* (from which Mr. Pateshall derives his paternal descent), came from the Low Countries, and, serving under WILLIAM the Conqueror, obtained from that victorious prince lands in Hanley, Worcestershire, called from them Lechmere's Place.

ADAM DE LECHMERE, of Hanley, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT, OR WILKIN DE LECHMERE, of Hanley, who flourished temp. EDWARD II. and had a son and successor,

HENRY LECHMERE, who espoused Alice, — and, dying in the reign of EDWARD III. was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT LECHMERE, whose great-great grandson,

RICHARD LECHMERE, *m.* (21 HENRY VII.) Joan, daughter and co-heiress of John Whitmore, of Hanley, and from him lineally derived

EDMUND LECHMERE, esq. who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Nicholas Overbury, knt. and dying in 1650, was *s.* by his son,

SIR NICHOLAS LECHMERE, knt. who was appointed a baron of the exchequer at the revolution. He wedded Penelope, daughter of Sir Edwyn Sandys, of North borne, in the county of Kent, and dying in 1701, left issue,

1. EDMUND, who *m.* Lucy, daughter of Sir Anthony Hungerford, of Farley Castle, in the county of Somerset, and left at his decease, in 1703, with junior issue, two sons, viz.
   1. ANTHONY, of Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester, who was father of

* LECH is a branch of the Rhine which parts from it at Wyke, and, running westward, falls into the Maes before Rotterdam.

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EDMUND, of Hanley Castle, M.P. for the county of Worcester, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Blundel Charlton, bart. of Ludford, Hertfordshire, and had a son and successor,

NICHOLAS, of Hanley Castle, who assumed, upon inheriting the Charlton estates at the decease of his uncle, Sir Francis Charlton, bart. in 1784, the additional surname and arms of CHARLTON, and his son and heir is the present

EDMUND - LECHMERE-CHARLTON, esq. of Ludford Park, in the county of Hereford (see *family of Charlton*).

2. NICHOLAS, of the Middle Temple, barrister-at law, and M.P. This eminent lawyer was appointed solicitor-general in 1714, chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster in 1717, and attorney-general in the following year. He was one of the managers against Sacheverell, and was elevated to the peerage 25th August, 1721, by the title of LORD LECHMERE OF EVESHAM. He *m.* Lady Elizabeth Howard, dau. of Charles, Earl of Carlisle; but dying issueless, in 1727, the BARONY of LECHMERE became extinct, and the estates devolved upon his nephew, Edmund Lechmere, of Hanley Castle. His lordship was a good lawyer, a prompt and able speaker, much courted by the Whig party; but of a temper violent, proud, and impracticable.

II. SANDYS.

Sir Nicholas Lechmere's second son,

SANDYS LECHMERE, esq. inherited by will from his relative, Roger Lechmere, esq. the property of Fownhope, in the county of Hereford, and settled there. He espoused Joanna, widow of John Holmes, esq. and only daughter of Robert Clarke, esq. (descended from the ancient family of Clarke, of Kingsnott, in the county of Kent), and dying in 1694, was *s.* by his only son,

NICHOLAS LECHMERE, of Fownhope, who *m.* Martha, daughter and co-heiress of John Scudamore, esq. of Treworgan, in the county of Monmouth, and *d.* in 1711, at the early age of twenty-six, leaving an only surviving son and successor,

SCUDAMORE-LECHMERE, esq. of Fownhope, who *m.* Jane, second daughter of Edmund Pateshall, esq. of Allensmore, and had (with two daughters, who both married) five sons, viz.

1. JOHN-SCUDAMORE, who *s.* his father in the family estates, and marrying Catherine-second daughter of John Withmore, esq. of the Haywood, in the county of Hereford, left issue at his decease, 8th January, 1801
2. EDMUND.
3. Edwyn-Sandys, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Jones, of Foy, in Herefordshire, and by her (who *d.* in 1822) has issue.
4. Nicholas, *d.* at sea.
5. Thomas-Allen, who *m.* Jane, youngest daughter of John Whitmore, of the Haywood, and left issue.

The second son,

EDMUND LECHMERE, esq. upon inheriting, at his maternal uncle's decease, the Allensmore estates, assumed, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of that gentleman, the surname and arms of PATESHALL only. He espoused Ann, dau. and heiress of William Burnam, esq. of Westington Court, in the county of Hereford, by whom (who *d.* in 1820) he left issue at his decease, in 1790.

1. EDMUND, present possessor of Allensmore.
2. William, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Michael Cheen, esq. and has a daughter, Ann-Elizabeth.
3. John Scudamore-Lechmere, who *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Williams, of Shobdon, in the county of Hereford, by whom he has an only surviving child, MARY.
4. Nicholas, captain R.N.
5. Edwyn-Sandys, captain in the Hon. East India Company's Service, *d.* at Ceylon in 1819.
6. Thomas-Allen.
7. Walter, in holy orders, M.A. *d.* in 1820.
8. Ann, *m.* to the Rev. John Jones, M.A. and has two daughters.
9. Martha, *m.* to Thomas Williams, esq.

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and has three sons and three daughters.

Mr. Pateshall *d.* in 1790, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present EDMUND BURNAM-PATESHALL, esq.

FAMILY OF PATESHALL.

This family boasts of high antiquity in the county of Northampton. In the 6th year of RICHARD I. we find upon record the name of SIMON DE PATESHALL, high sheriff of that shire; and Camden mentions his descendants as performing the same duty during several subsequent reigns.

THOMAS PATESHALL, of Paddlestone, in the county of Hereford, *m.* the daughter of --- Cole, of Hatfield, in the same shire, and had a son,

THOMAS PATESHALL, of Weston, who espoused Sarah, daughter of Thomas Smith, esq. and dying in 1687, left issue,

1. JOHN, of Weston, who *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Allen, esq. and *d. s. p.* in 1726.
2. Thomas, } both *d.* without issue.
3. Walter, }
4. EDMUND, who *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Allen, esq. and left issue at his demise, in 1739, one son and a daughter, viz.

   JOHN, *b.* 20th April, 1714; who *d.* unmarried, leaving his estates at Allensmore and Weston to the son of his sister,

   JANE, who *m.* to SCUDAMORE LECHMERE, esq. of Fownhope Court, and had, with other issue, EDMUND LECHMERE, esq. inheritor of his UNCLE's possessions.

Arms---Quarterly of ten,

1st for PATESHALL. Az. on a chev. between three hearts arg. as many escallops gu.

2nd for LECHMERE. Gu. a fess or, and two pelicans in chief arg. with the necessary mark of cadency.

3rd for WHITMORE. Vert, fretty or.

4th for ROOKE. Arg. a chev. engrailed between three chess rooks sa.

5th for SCUDAMORE. Gu. three stirrups leathered and buckled or, two and one; with the mark of cadency for the third house.

6th for SCUDAMORE (ancient). Or, a cross pattée fitchée gu.

7th for TREGOZ. Az. two bars gemell or, in chief a lion passant, guardant of the second.

8th for DE EWYAS. Ar. a fess gu. between three mullets with six points sa.

9th for HUNTERCOMBE. Ermine two bars gemell gu.

10th quarterly for BURNAM. First and fourth, gu. a chev. between three lions' heads erased or; second and third, gu. a chevron between three lions rampant arg. On an escocheon of pretence for INGRAM, quarterly, first and fourth, ermine on a fess gu. three escallops or; second and third, vert three escutcheons arg. two and one.

Crest---Out of ducal coronet, a pelican arg. vulning itself ppr.

Seat---Allensmore, in the county of Hereford.

BUTLER-DANVERS, OF SWITHLAND.

DANVERS-BUTLER, GEORGE-JOHN-DANVERS, esq. of Swithland Hall, in the county of Leicester, *b.* in December, 1794, *m.* 29th August, 1815, Frances Arabella, third daughter of the late Colonel Stephen Freemantle and niece of the Right Honorable Sir W. H. Freemantle, of Stanhope Street, May Fair. Mr. Butler-Danvers served the office of high sheriff for Leicestershire, 1831-2.

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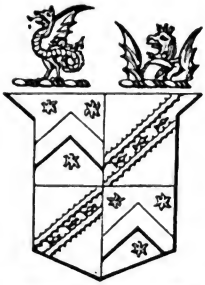
Lineage.



This is a branch of the noble family of Butler, Earls of Lanesborough, springing from

BRINSLEY BUTLER, the second Earl, who *m.* 26th January, 1754, Jane, only daughter of Robert Rochfort, first EARL OF BELVEDERE, and had issue,

ROBERT-HERBERT, who *s.* as third Earl, and marrying Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Right Hon. David Latouche, had two sons, viz.

1. BRINSLEY, present Earl of Lanesborough. (See *Burke's Peerage.*)
2. David, deceased.

AUGUSTUS-RICHARD, of whom presently.

Mary, *m.* to the Right Hon. George Ponsonby, and *d.* in 1826.

Catherine, *m.* to George Marley, esq. who *d.* in 1829.

Caroline.

Sophia, *m.* to the Marquis Lewis Marescotti.

The Earl's second son,

HON. AUGUSTUS BUTLER, *m.* first, in 1792, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Danvers, bart. (see family of Danvers at foot) upon which occasion he assumed the additional surname and arms of DANVERS, and had issue,

GEORGE-JOHN-DANVERS, present possessor.

George-Augustus, *b.* 5th August, 1798.

He espoused secondly (his first wife dying in 1802), Eliza-Bizarre, daughter of Humphrey Sturt, esq. and had by that lady (who *d.* in 1811)

George-William-Augustus, *b.* in 1803.

Augustus-Richard, *b.* 29th Oct. 1807.

Charles-Augustus-Ashley, *b.* in 1808.

Charles-Augustus, *b.* in 1809.

Another son, *b.* in 1811.

Elizabeth-Sophia, *m.* in 1828, to Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Dumaresque.

Emily-Jane.

Mr. Butler-Danvers dying 26th April, 1820, was *s.* by his eldest son, GEORGE-JOHN-DANVERS BUTLER-DANVERS, esq. present representative of this branch of the Butlers.

FAMILY OF DANVERS.

This family denominated from the town of Anvers, in France, and anciently written de Anverso or D'Anvers, derives its descent from

ROLAND D'ANVERSO, one the gallant companions in arms of the CONQUEROR, whose son,

RANULPH D'ANVERS, received of Crispin, Lord of Wallingford, the manors of Marlow, Dorney, and Huckham, to hold of his honour of Wallingford. The descendant of this eminent knight,

SAMUEL DANVERS, esq. espoused Elizabeth Moorewood, of Overton, in the county of Derby, an heiress, by whom, (who *m.* after Mr. Danvers' decease, John Danvers, esq. of Prescott Manor, in the county of Oxford, nephew of Sir Henry Danvers, Earl of Danby, the staunch and loyal adherent of the unhappy CHARLES), he had issue, a son and successor,

JOSEPH DANVERS, esq. of Swithland, in the county of Leicester, who, having successively represented Boroughbridge, Bramber, and Totness, in parliament, was created a BARONET in 1746. Sir Joseph *m.* Frances, daughter of Thomas Babington, esq. of Rothley Temple, Leicestershire, by whom he had an only son and successor,

SIR JOHN DANVERS, bart. of Swithland, in the county of Leicester, who *m.* Mary, dau. and heiress of Joel Watson, esq. and left a daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH, who *m.* the Hon. AUGUSTUS BUTLER, as stated above.

Arms---Quarterly, first and fourth, gu. a chevron between three mullets of six points or, for DANVERS: second and third ar. three covered cups in bend between two bendlets, eng. sa. for BUTLER.

Crests---First, for DANVERS, a wyvern or. Second, for BUTLER, a demi-cockatrice couped vert, comb, beak, wattles and ducally gorged or.

Motto---Liberté toute entière.

Estates---At Swithland, Leicestershire.

Seat---Swithland Hall, near Mount Sorrel, Leicestershire.

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STEADE-PEGGE-BURNELL, OF BEAUCHIEFF ABBEY.

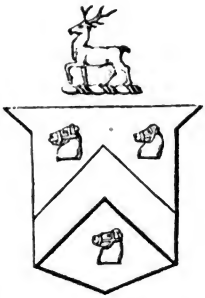
BURNELL-PEGGE-STEADE, BROUGHTON-BENJAMIN, esq. of Beauchieff Abbey, Co. Derby, *b.* 3rd July, 1774, *m.* 21st Dec. 1802, Miss Dalton, and has issue,

EDWARD-VALENTINE, B.A. of Magdalen College, Oxford, *b.* 14th February, 1805, a justice of the peace for the county of Nottingham.

Mary-Meliscent, *m.* 22nd March, 1831, to the Rev. W. Smith, M.A. of Dunston Hall.

Mr. Steade *s* to the family estates upon the demise of his brother in 1796, and has assumed the additional surname of Pegge-Burnell. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant of the county of Derby.

Lineage.



The first mention we have of the family of Steade, living at, or being possessed of ONESACRE, in the county of York, where stands the old family mansion, and other property, appears, says Dr. Hunter, in some old writings of the time of EDWARD III. between 1326 and 1377.

JOHN DE LA STEDE, resided, according to several ancient deeds, at Onesacre, in 1417, as did his immediate successors, Thomas, John, John, and Nicholas de la Stede.

NICHOLAS STEADE espoused Mary Revel, and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS STEADE, who *m.* in 1581, his cousin, Elizabeth Steade, and dying in March, 1619, was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS STEADE, esq. who marrying in 1619, Frances Brighton, left at his decease in 1623, a son and successor,

THOMAS STEADE, esq. who was himself *s.* in 1686, by his son,

NICHOLAS STEADE, esq. who *m.* in 1669, Mary, daughter of William Milner, esq. of Burton Grange, in the county of York, and sister to Mrs. Beaumont, from whom derived the Beaumonts of Bretton Hall, in Yorkshire. By her (who *d.* in 1715) he left a son and heir,

THOMAS STEADE, esq. who espoused in 1696, Miss Creswick, of Burrowlee House, in the county of York, and was *s.* at his demise in 1739, by his son,

NICHOLAS STEADE, esq. who *m.* in 1728, Ann, daughter of Benjamin Micklethwaite, esq. of Ardsley, in the county of York, and had a son and successor, in 1760,

THOMAS STEADE, esq. who wedded, in 1768, Meliscent, daughter of Strelley Pegge, esq. of Beauchieff Abbey, in the county of Derby, and sister to Peter-Pegge Burnell, esq. of Winkbourne Hall, Nottinghamshire, by whom he had, with other issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

BROUGHTON-BENJAMIN, present proprietor.

Mr. Steade dying in 1793, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS STEADE, esq. a captain in the 21st reg. of light dragoons, at whose decease, unm. in 1796, at Cape Nicholas Mole, St. Domingo, the estates devolved upon his brother, BROUGHTON-BENJAMIN STEADE, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms---Arg. a chev. between three bears' heads, couped sa. muzzled or.

Crest---A stag trippant argent.

Estates---At Woodseats, in the county of Derby, and at Stanington, Worral, Wadsley, Burrowlee, Owlerton, Bentehough, and Onesacre, in the county of York: most of which Yorkshire estates have been for so long a period in the possession of the family, that the date of their first acquirement cannot at this distance of time be precisely ascertained.

Seat---Beauchieff Abbey Derbyshire.

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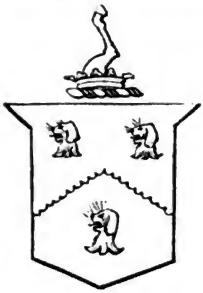
DUNCOMBE, OF COPGROVE.

DUNCOMBE, THOMAS, esq. of Copgrove, in the county of York, *m.* in 1795, Emma, daughter of the late Right Reverend Doctor John Hinchcliffe, Lord Bishop of Peterborough, and has issue,



THOMAS-SLINGSBY, M.P.
Henry-John, in holy orders.
Edward, also in holy orders.
George.
Emma, *m.* to Colonel Dawkins.
Frances-Barbara.
Harriet.

Lineage.

The DUNCOMBES, originally of Barley End, in the county of Buckingham, spread through different branches into other counties during the reigns of King HENRY VIII. and his son, EDWARD VI.

WILLIAM DUNCOMBE, of Ivingho, (at the time of the herald's visitation in 1634) *m.* Mary, daughter of John Theed, esq. and had four sons, of whom the second,

ANTHONY DUNCOMBE, esq. of Drayton, in the county of Bucks, *m.* ——, daughter of Paulye, lord of the manor of Whitchurch, and had issue,

1. CHARLES (Sir), a banker in London, who served the office of sheriff for that city, anno 1700, and filled in nine years afterwards, the civic chair. Sir Charles *d.* unm. possessed of immense wealth, acquired by himself, which he devised to his nephews, Anthony Duncombe, the son of his brother, and Thomas Broun, the son of his sister.
2. Anthony, who *m.* Jane, eldest daughter and co-heiress of the honorable Frederick Cornwallis, and had an only son,

   ANTHONY, who inherited, as stated above, a moiety of his uncle, Sir Charles Duncombe's large fortune, and was elevated to the peerage by letters patent, dated 23rd June, 1747, as LORD FEVERSHAM, baron of Dowton, in the county of Wilts. His lordship *m.* thrice, but left issue only by his third wife, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Hales, a daughter,

   ANNE, who *m.* Jacob, second Earl of Radnor, by whom she was mother of the present EARL OF RADNOR.

   His lordship dying thus, in 1763, without male issue, the BARONY OF FEVERSHAM became extinct. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.)*
3. MARY, of whom presently.

Mr. Duncombe's only daughter,

MARY DUNCOMBE, espoused Tho. Broun, esq. of the city of London, who assumed the surname of DUNCOMBE, and had an only son and successor,

THOMAS DUNCOMBE, esq. of Duncombe Park, high sheriff of the county of York, in 1728. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Slingsby, of Scriven, bart. by whom he had three sons and two daughters, and dying in 1746, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS DUNCOMBE, esq. of Duncombe Park, who *m.* Isabel, daughter of —Soleby, esq. of Helmsley, in the county of York, by whom he left at his decease, 11th September, 1803, (with several daughters),

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CHARLES, who *s.* to his father's estates, and was elevated to the peerage, 14th July, 1826, as LORD FEVERSHAM.

THOMAS, present possessor of Copgrove.

Slingsby, *m.* and has issue.

Arms---Per chev. eng. gu. and ar. three talbots' heads erased, counterchanged.

Crest---Out of a ducal coronet or, a horse's hind leg sa. shoe arg.

Motto---Deo, regi, patriæ.

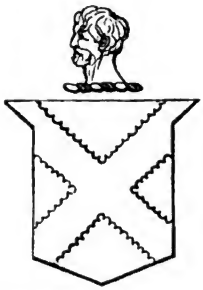
Estates---In the North and West Ridings of Yorkshire.

Seat---Copgrove, near Boroughbridge.

SALWEY, OF MOOR PARK.

SALWEY, JOHN, esq. of Moor Park, in the county of Salop, *b.* 25th June, 1798, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father 4th February, 1825.

Lineage.



The SEWYNS, now SALWEYS, are of Saxon origin, and were settled at Cannoc (the present Kanke), in the county of Stafford, at a period antecedent to the Conquest---thence they spread into Worcestershire, Salop, and other shires, and have been resident at Richard's Castle, in Shropshire, for several generations.

GEOFFERY DE SALEWEY held lands in Norton-under-Cannoc, in the county of Stafford, temp. HENRY III. (1216).

WILLIAM SALEWEY likewise had possessions in the same place temp. EDWARD I. His son and successor,

RICHARD SALEWEY, living in the reign of EDWARD II. was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM SALWEY of Cannoc, who *m.*---Mytton, of Weston-under-Lizard, in the county of Stafford, and was *s.* by his son,

ADAM SALWEY, of Cannoc, whose son,

JOHN SALWEY, lord of Leycroft, in Staffordshire, was chosen among those "qui portabant arma ab ancestriâ," to attend the king as a man-at-arms and an esquire in France. He *m.* Isabell, daughter and heir of Sir William Tromwyn, knt. and had a son and successor,

JOHN SALWEY, of Cannoc, who was lord of Stanford, in the county of Worcester, in the 3rd HENRY IV. and died siesed of the manors of Stanford and Richards-Castle, in the county of Hereford, 8th HENRY V. He *m.* Isold, daughter of John Washborne, of Stanford, in the county of Worcester, and heiress to her mother Joan, daughter and heir of Sir John Musard, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

HUMFREY SALWEY, of Kanke and Stanford, who was the king's escheator for the county of Worcester, 22nd HENRY VI. and knight mareschall of that prince's court, as appears on his monument in Stanford church, of which he was lord and patron. He espoused Joyce, daughter of Sir Robert Strelley, knt. of Strelley, in the county of Nottingham, by Isabell, daughter of Thomas, and sister of cardinal John Kemp, lord archbishop of Canterbury, and had issue,

JOHN (Sir), knt. who was in the immediate service of the Duke of Clarence, but being disinherited, did not succeed to the family estates. He *m.* Margery, daughter of Hugh Erdeswicke, of Sandon, in the county of Stafford, and left three daughters, his heirs, viz.

1. Cicelley, *m.* to Thomas Co-

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ningsby, of Hampton Court, in Herefordshire.

2. Margaret, *m.* to Richard Biddulph, of Biddulph, in the county of Stafford.
3. Joyce, *m.* first, to W. Ashbye; and, secondly, to Raulfe Wolseley, of Wolseley Bridge.

THOMAS, of whom hereafter.

Edmund, *m.* the daughter of --- Burghill, of the county of Hereford.

Isold, *m.* to Richard Acton, of Sutton, in the county of Worcester.

The second son,

THOMAS SALWEY, of Kanke and Stanford, was nominated heir to the family possessions by his father. He lived temp. HENRY VII. and *m.* Jane, daughter of Thomas Lygon, of Maddersfield, in the county of Worcester, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS SALWEY, who was in ward to his cousin-german, Thomas Acton, a courtier and servant of King HENRY VIII. He espoused Margery, daughter and co-heir of William Porter, esq. of the county of Worcester, and had issue,

ANTHONY, who was disinherited by his father, and *d. s. p.*

And

ARTHUR SALWEY, who was made heir by a fine and recovery. He was of the royal exchequer temp. Queen ELIZABETH, and marrying Mary, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Searle, esq. of the city of London, had issue,

1. HUMPHREY, his successor.
2. Henry, a military officer.
3. Thomas.
4. Arthur, in holy orders, rector of Severn Stoke, in Worcestershire. This gentleman preached before the House of Commons on the 25th October, 1643.
5. Mary, *m.* to Rowland Bradshaw, esq. of Richards Castle.
6. Judith, *m.* to Thomas Wythe, esq. of Droitwich.
7. Jane, *m.* to Sir Robert Parslow, knt. of Sudbury.
8. Margaret, *m.* to Philip Cockerham, esq. of Wigmore Abbey, in the county of Hereford.
9. Anne, *m.* to Peter Dauncer, esq. of Moreton, in the county of Hereford.
10. Elizabeth, *m.* to --- Mainwaring, esq. of the county of Chester.
11. Alice, *m.* to Richard Skinner, esq. of Corfton, in the county of Worcester.

The eldest son,

HUMPHREY SALWEY, esq. of Stanford, justice of the peace for the county of Worcester, was a member of the long parliament, previously to 1653. He *m.* Anne, second daughter of Sir Edward Littleton, knt. of Pillaton Hall, in the county of Stafford, and had, with three daughters, five sons, viz.

1. EDWARD, his successor at Stanford, and M.P. for Droitwich in 1658, jointly with the Right Hon. John Wylde, lord chief baron of the exchequer. He espoused Dorothy, third daughter of Sir Erasmus Dryden, bart. of Canon's Ashby, in the county of Northampton, and left issue,

   EDWARD, of Stanford, (of the Inner Temple), barrister-at-law, at whose decease unmarried, the estates passed to his sisters, as co-heirs.

   Mary, *m.* to Colonel Rogers, of Llan Vach, in the county of Monmouth, governor of Hereford.

   Honora, *m.* to --- Hanbury, esq. of the county of Glamorgan.

   Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Francis Winnington, knt. solicitor-general to King CHARLES II. who became sole possessor of Stanford, having obtained the right of the other two sisters therein.
2. Humphrey, who had one son, Posthumous, a sea captain, who *d. s. p.*
3. Arthur, in holy orders, Rector of Severne Stoke, who *m.* the daughter of --- Giles, esq. of Lindridge, and had issue,

   Arthur, in holy orders, Rector of Stanford, *d.* unmarried.

   John, in holy orders, Rector of Richard's Castle, who espoused his cousin Hannah, second daughter of Richard Salwey, esq. of Richard's Castle.

   Anne, *d.* unmarried.

   Elizabeth, *m.* to --- Harris, of the city of Worcester.
4. RICHARD, of whom presently.

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5. John, killed in the civil wars, unmarried.

The fourth son,

RICHARD SALWEY, esq. of Richard's Castle, in the county of Hereford, a major in the parliamentary army, was successively M.P. for the counties of Worcester (1653), and for Westmoreland (1659). In 1654 he was constituted ambassador under the protectorate to Constantinople, a commissioner to Ireland, ranger of Wychwood Forest, and Mayor of Worcester. He espoused Anne, daughter of Richard Waring, esq. Alderman of London, and had issue,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Richard, of London, merchant, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of Samuel Berwick, esq. of Barbadoes, and had with several other children, who all *d.* unmarried, an only surviving daughter and heiress, JANE, who espoused her cousin, RICHARD SALWEY, esq. of the Moor Park.
3. Thomas, a Turkey merchant, at Smyrna, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Freeman, esq. of London, and by her (who espoused after his death John, Lord De la Warre) he had an only son, Thomas, who *d.* unmarried at about the age of twenty.
4. Edward, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, a Turkey merchant, who *m.* Hannah, second daughter and co-heir of Theophilus Revell, esq. of London, and left issue, at his demise in 1731,

   Theophilus, of Salwey House, Woodford, in the county of Essex, a director of the Bank of England, who *m.* Mrs. Mary Cartwright, daughter and sole heiress of Robert Dennet, esq. of Walthamstow, but *d. s. p.* in 1760.

   Richard, of Woodford, in the county of Essex, a director of the South Sea Company, who *d. s. p.* in 1742.

   Hannah, *m.* to Richard Knollys, esq. of Fleet Street, London.
5. Henry, *d.* unmarried.
6. Katherine, *m.* 1668, to William Cockerham, esq. of Wigmore Abbey, in the county of Hereford.
7. Hannah, *m.* to her cousin, the Rev. John Salwey.

Major Salwey was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SALWEY, esq. of Richard's Castle, who *m.* Jane, daughter and heiress of William Griffith, esq. of Ludlow, and relict of Somerset Hall, esq. of Brimfield, in the county of Hereford, by whom he had, with three daughters, who *d.* unmarried, four sons, viz.

1. RICHARD, his successor, of the Moor Park, and Hay Park, in the counties of Salop and Hereford, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, younger daughter of Walter White, esq. of Grittleton, in the county of Wilts, and co-heir to her brother Walter, and had two sons, John and Richard, who both *d.* unmarried. He espoused secondly, his cousin Jane, daughter and heiress of Richard Salwey, esq. of London, by whom he had an only daughter, and last heir of the line, Jane *m.* to Benjamin Booth, esq. of the Adelphi, London.
2. JOHN, of whom presently.
3. Henry, Lord of the Manor of Elton in the county of Hereford, *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heir of Dr. Augustine Cæsar, but *d. s. p.*
4. William, *d.* unmarried.

The second son,

THE REV. JOHN SALWEY, M.A. Rector of Richard's Castle, *m.* in 1708, Alice, fourth daughter and co-heir of Dr. Augustine Cæsar, and had issue,

1. John, who *d.* an infant in 1710.
2. THOMAS, successor to his father.
3. Edward, of the Lodge, in the county of Salop, *d.* unmarried, in 1781.

The eldest surviving son and heir,

THE REV. THOMAS SALWEY, LL.D. Rector of Richard's Castle, espoused in 1742, Constance, only daughter of Francis Biddulph, esq. of Ledbury, in the county of Hereford, and had issue,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Thomas, } *d.* young.
3. Robert, }
4. THEOPHILUS, of the LODGE (*see that family*).
5. Mary, *d.* young.
6. Jane-Constance, who *d.* in 1829.
7. Frances, who *d.* 30th May, 1832.
8. Lucy, *d.* young.
9. Sarah, *d.* in 1826.

The Rev. Dr. Salwey was *s.* by his eldest son,

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JOHN SALWEY, esq. of the Moor and Haye Park, in the county of Salop, who *m.* first, in 1768, Anne, only daughter of Thomas Foliot Baugh, esq. of Stonehouse, in the county of Salop, and had issue,

1. John, *d.* an infant in 1776.
2. RICHARD, successor to his father.
3. Theophilus, a lieutenant in the R. N. who *m.* 4th September, 1802, Mary, daughter of Thomas Davies, esq. of Ashley Moor, and by whom he acquired that estate, and had issue,
   - Humphrey, *b.* 13th July, 1803.
   - Gilbert, *b.* 2nd December, 1804.
   - Walter, *b.* 11th May, 1806.
   - Erasmus.
   - Herbert, *b.* 4th April, 1816.
   - Alfred, *b.* 27th April, 1817.
   - Mary, *d.* in 1823.
   - Anne.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* to Lieutenant-General Sir P. K. Roche, K.C.B. and *d.* in 1799.
5. Katherine, *d.* unmarried, in 1804.

The eldest surviving son and heir,

RICHARD SALWEY, esq. of the Moor Park, and the Haye Park, *b.* 20th November, 1773, espoused Isabella, third daughter of Job Walker Baugh, esq. of Stonehouse, in the county of Salop, and had issue,

1. JOHN, present proprietor.
2. Constance-Isabella, *m.* 18th May, 1815, to Thomas Beale, esq. of the Heath, in the county of Salop.
3. Elizabeth.
4. Frances.
5. Katherine.
6. Amelia.
7. Charlotte-Margaretta.
8. Cecilia-Sarah, *d.* February, 1816.

Mr. Salwey *d.* 4th February, 1825, and was *s.* by his son, JOHN SALWEY, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Sa. a saltire engrailed or.
Crest—A Saracen's head.
Motto—Fiat voluntas Dei.
Seat—Moor Park, Salop.

SALWEY, OF THE LODGE.

SALWEY, THEOPHILUS-RICHARD, esq. of the Lodge, in the county of Salop, *b.* 27th March, 1757, *m.* 9th April, 1787, Anna-Maria, younger daughter and coheiress of Thomas Hill, esq. M.P. of Court, of Hill, in the county of Salop, and eldest branch of that family, by whom (who *d.* 13th August, 1812) he has had issue,

EDWARD, *b.* 12th February, 1790.

Thomas, in holy orders, *b.* 19th October, 1791, Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge, Vicar of Oswestry, in the county of Salop, and Rector of St. Florence in Pembrokeshire, *m.* in 1829, Frances, daughter of the late Henry Gibbons esq. of Oswestry, and has issue, a daughter.

Henry, of Egham Park, *b.* 20th January, 1794, late lieutenant-colonel in the Coldstream guards, who *m.* 13th March, 1828, Elizabeth-Philippa, only daughter and heiress of John Hooper Holder, esq. of Stanton-Lacy, Shropshire, by Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Honorable William Williams Hewitt, brother to Viscount Lifford, Lord Chancellor of Ireland, and has issue one son and two daughters, viz.

1. Edward-Henry, *b.* in 1830.
2. Constance-Eliza.
3. A daughter.

Arthur, *b.* 15th Feb. 1797, clerk in his Majesty's Treasury, who *m.* 20th July, 1824, Anne-Frances Pole, only dau. of Vice-Admiral Mauley, of Braziers, in the county of Oxford, by his wife, Frances Pole, of Radbourne, Derbyshire, and is deceased.

Richard, *b.* 1st October, 1800, in holy orders, A.B. of Christ Church, Oxford, and Rector of Fawkham, Kent.

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Anna-Maria, *m.* 13th June, 1815, to William Browne, esq. only son and heir of the Reverend William Browne, of Camfield Place, in the county of Herts, and nephew to Sir Fitz-William Barrington, bt.
Margaret.
Elizabeth.
Octavia-Constance, *m.* 2nd June, 1825, to the Reverend Thomas Lavie, eldest son of Sir Thomas Lavie, K.C.B. and *d.* off St. Helena, 17th August, 1826.
Jane.
Frances.
Sarah-Henrietta, *d.* young.

Mr. Salwey, who was a fellow of All Soul's College, Oxford, in 1781, *s.* his uncle 20th March, in the same year.

Lineage.

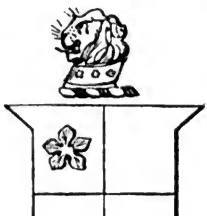
For an account of this gentleman's family and armorial ensigns, refer to that of SALWEY, of Moor Park.

Estates---Manor and estate of Elton, manor and estate of Wigmore Abbey, Herefordshire. The Lodge and Courton, Richard's Castle, and Court of Hill, parish of Burford, Shropshire.

Seats---The Lodge and Court of Hill, Shropshire. Elton Hall, Elton, Herefordshire.

PACKE, OF PRESTWOLD.

PACKE, CHARLES-JAMES, esq. of Prestwold Hall, in the county of Leicester, some time lieutenant-colonel of the Leicestershire militia, *b.* 29th January, 1758, *m.* 23rd November, 1791, Penelope, eldest daughter of the late Richard Dugdale, esq. of Blythe Hall, in Warwickshire, and sister of Dugdale Stratford-Dugdale, esq. and has issue,



CHARLES-WILLIAM, M.P. for Leicestershire, *b.* 23rd Sept. 1792, *m.* 13th Nov. 1821, Kitty-Jenkyn, only dau. of the late Thomas Hort, esq. This lady assumed the name and arms of READING, as heiress under the will of her godfather, the late Jenkyn Reading, esq. of Harpenden, in the county of Hertford.
George-Hussey, *b.* 1st May, 1796, *m.* 1st September, 1824, Maryanne-Lydia, eldest daughter of John Heathcote, esq. of Connington Castle, in the county of Huntingdon, and has issue.
Edmund, *b.* 30th April, 1799, an officer in the royal horse guards, *m.* 23rd November, 1825, Jane-Sarah, second daughter of John Mansfield, esq. of Bristall House, in the county of Leicester, and has issue.
James, *b.* 20th August, 1801, fellow of King's College, Cambridge.
Augustus, b. 8th October, 1805.

Colonel Packe succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father, 20th October, 1816.

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Lineage.

The family of PACKE originally was of the county of Northampton.

CHRISTOPHER PACKE, of Finchley, a merchant of London, espoused Mary, daughter of — Jones, esq. of the Principality of Wales, and was father of

SIR CHRISTOPHER PACKE, lord mayor of London, in 1654--5. This gentleman, a zealous parliamentarian, received the honor of knighthood from the *Protector* CROMWELL, and was a member of the Usurper's other house of parliament, as LORD PACKE. Upon the restoration of the monarchy, Sir Christopher's name, at the express recommendation of the House of Lords, was omitted in the list of persons excepted from the general pardon, "provided that he should never from that time accept any office, ecclesiastical, civil, or military, or any other public employment." He was accordingly, with six other citizens, who had served the office of lord mayor in the time of the Commonwealth, deprived of the aldermanic gown; and withdrawing into retirement, he resided subsequently in great hospitality, at Cotes, in Leicestershire, where he was living when the heralds visited that county, in March, 1621--2, but died on the 17th May following, about 89 years of age. This eminent citizen married three wives, but had issue only by the second, Anne, daughter of Simon Edmonds, esq. of Howell, in the county of Lincoln, and niece of Sir Thomas Edmonds, comptroller to *King* JAMES I. namely,

- CHRISTOPHER, his successor.
- Simon, a captain in the Flemish wars, under Sir Henry Goodrick, bart. *d.* in 1701.
- Anne, *m.* to Thomas Wilson, esq. of Keythorpe, and *d.* in 1772, leaving several children.
- Mary, *m.* to George Pochin, esq. of Barkby, and *d. s. p.*
- Susanna, *m.* to Sir Thomas Bellot, bart. of Moreton.

The elder son,

CHRISTOPHER PACKE, esq. of Prestwold, in the county of Leicester, a justice of the peace for that shire, espoused Jane, daughter of Sir Gervase Clifton, bart. by Jane, his *sixth wife*, daughter of Gervase Eyre, esq. of Rempston, Notts, and had issue,

- CLIFTON, his successor.
- Charles, who *m.* Penelope, daughter of Paul Jenkinson, esq. of Hodseck, and *d.* in 1751.
- Anne.
- Frances, *m.* to Sir Robert Clifton, only brother of Sir Gervase Clifton, bart.
- Arabella.

Mr. Packe *d.* 8th September, 1699, and was *s.* by his elder son,

CLIFTON PACKE, esq. of Prestwold, who *m.* Penelope, daughter and heiress of Edward Bate, esq. of Maid's Morton, in the county of Buckingham, and had a son and two daughters, viz.

- CHARLES, his successor.
- Penelope, *m.* to the Hon. Mr. Verney, son of Lord Willoughby de Broke.
- Anne, *m.* to Francis Stratford, esq. of Merevale Hall, in the county of Warwick.

He was *s.* at his decease in 1707, by his son,

CHARLES PACKE, esq. of Prestwold Hall. This gentleman espoused Rebecca, third daughter of John Harvey, esq. of Old Buckenham, in the county of Norfolk, and dying 1st August, 1735, was *s.* by his only son,

CHARLES-JAMES PACKE, esq. of Prestwold Hall, *b.* in 1726, *m.* first, Charlotte, younger daughter of Thomas Pochin, esq. of Barkby Hall, in Leicestershire, (by his first wife, Charlotte, eldest daughter of Sir Edward Hussey, bart. to whose estates Mrs. Packe eventually succeeded) and had issue,

- CHARLES-JAMES, present proprietor.
- Rebecca.
- Charlotte, *m.* to William Hanbury, esq. of Kelmarsh, and has issue.

Mr. Packe espoused, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Robert Clifton, esq. of London, and had other chidren, viz.

- Robert-Christopher, *b.* in 1783.
- Henry, *b.* in 1786.
- Frances, *m.* in 1799, to Robert Andrew, esq. of Harleston, Park, Northamptonshire.
- Catherine-Maria.
- Anne.

He *d.* 20th October, 1816, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CHARLES-JAMES PACKE, esq. of Prestwold Hall

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Arms---Quarterly; sa. and or. In the first quarter a cinquefoil arg. with an ermine spot on each leaf.

Crest---A lion's head or, collared sa. on the collar, three cinque foils, with an ermine spot on each leaf.

Motto---Libertas sub rege pio.

Estates---Prestwold, Cotes, and Hoton, in the county of Leicester; paternal inheritance. Caythorpe and Hale, in the county of Lincoln, derived through the present Mr. Packe's mother, CHARLOTTE POCHIN, from the family of HUSSEY.

Seat---Prstwold Hall, in the county of Leicester.

COOPER, OF TODDINGTON.

COOPER, WILLIAM-DODGE-COOPER, esq. *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Cooper, esq. of Toddington Park, in the county of Bedford, and of Park House, Highgate, Middlesex, by whom he acquired those estates, and dropping his paternal surname of HEAP, assumed by sign manual in 1819 that of COOPER, and obtained a new grant of arms from the Herald's College, Mr. Cooper has issue,

1. WILLIAM-COOPER, *m.* 26th April, 1831, Laura-Georgina, daughter of Captain Ellis, and has a son.
2. James-Lindsay.
3. Jane-Cooper.
4. Elizabeth-Cooper, *m.* 27th May, 1827, Count-Alexander-Charles Joseph Vander Burch, eldest son of the Count Vander Burch, of Escanssines, in the Netherlands, and has a son and daughter, viz.
   Guillaume-Alexandre-Felix-Charles.
   Marie-Charlotte-Elizabeth.
5. Amelia-Cooper.
6. Caroline-Cooper.
7. Lucy-Cooper.

This gentleman served the office of sheriff of Bedfordshire, in 1829.

Lineage.

This family resided originally for many years in Sussex, and the branch of which we are about to treat was dwelling at Bosden, in the county of Chester, about the year 1377. The inscription upon the gravestone, in the middle aisle, approaching the pulpit in Stockport church, bears the names of "Thomas Cowper, de Bosden, February 13, 1411---and Thomas Cowper, ye son, October 8, 1471." It is not known, however, whom these persons married, as no parish registers were kept there at that early period, nor before the year 1538; but from ancient family registers and documents in the possession of Thomas Cowper and William Mills, the following information is deduced.

JOHN COWPER, of Bosden, son of the above Thomas Cowper, *m.* Grace, daughter of Sir R. Corbett, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, *m.* --- Davenport, and had a son,

Ralph, whose daughter,

Catherine, *m.* Mabell Sebright.

Matthew, *m.* --- de Henhull, and had issue.

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Elizabeth, *m.* to --- Chorley, esq.
Mary, *m.* to --- Calverley, esq. and had issue.
Maud, *m.* to --- Newton, esq.
Barbara, *d.* unmarried.

This John Cowper *d.* in 1507, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN COWPER, who espoused, in 1525, Mary, daughter of --- Mainwaring, esq. and dying in 1543, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS COWPER, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, and had two sons,

JOHN, his heir.
Ralph, *m.* to Miss Howe, and had issue.

He *d.* in 1582, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN COWPER, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of --- Dutton, esq. and grandaughter of John Egerton, first Earl of Bridgewater, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas, *m.* to --- Meredith, and had issue.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Walter St. John, esq. and had issue.

Mr. Cowper *d.* in 1630, and was buried at Stockport church: "John Cowper de Bosden." He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN COWPER, of Bosden, who espoused Mary, daughter of William Brereton, esq. and had two sons,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas, *m.* Alicia, daughter of --- Egerton, esq. and had issue.

He *d.* in 1681, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN COWPER, esq. who *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of W. R. Handford, esq. and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas.
Martha, *m.* to Sir Richard Edgcroft, bart. and had issue.
Mary, *m.* to John Hampson, esq. and had an only daughter.
Sarah, *m.* to Sir Thomas Bennison, knt.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Thomas Hyde, knt.

Mr. Cowper *d.* in 1700, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN COWPER, esq. of Bosden, who espoused, in 1701, Sarah, daughter and heiress of Walter Copestrick, esq. of Langley Park, in Derbyshire, and had issue,

JOHN, who *m.* in 1721, Hannah, daughter and heiress of Thomas Strettell, esq. of Ashton, and dying before his father, in 1728, left two sons and a daughter, viz.

JOHN,* who succeeded his grandfather at Bosden, *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev. William Dodge, of Sowesby, in Yorkshire, and his daughter, ANNE COOPER, espousing the Rev. John Heap, of Beretham, Sussex, was mother of the present William-Dodge-Cooper (late Heap) Cooper, esq.

THOMAS, of whom presently.
—— *m.* to Joshua Roylance, esq. but *d. s. p.*

Elizabeth, *m.* to Samuel Dale, esq. of Handford, and had two daughters, viz.

Elizabeth Dale, *m.* to William Warren, esq.
Bridgett Dale, *m.* to Henry Leigh, esq.

Hannah, *m.* to John Bennison, esq. and had a daughter, ——, *m.* to Peter Leigh, esq.

Mr. Cowper *d.* 6th October, 1728, and was *s.* by his elder grandson, John Cooper, esq. His younger grandson,

THOMAS COOPER, esq. *m.* in 1749, Sarah, daughter and heiress of William Paulden, esq. and had twelve children---eight sons and four daughters---ten of whom died infants: the youngest daughter, Sarah, died in 1785. The youngest son,

JOHN COOPER, esq. *b.* 16th January, 1759; *m.* Jane, daughter of William Gidden, esq. and had an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH COOPER, who espoused her cousin, William-Dodge-Cooper Heap, esq. who in consequence changed his surname to COOPER, and is the present proprietor of Toddington Park, Bedfordshire, and of Park House, Middlesex.

Mr. Cooper served the office of sheriff for the county of Bedford in 1812, and was *s.* at his decease by his son-in-law, the present William-Dodge-Cooper Cooper, esq.

Arms---Gu. on a chevron between three lions passant arg. each holding a battle-axe

* This John and his brother altered the spelling of the name to COOPER.

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in his fore paw or, three lozenges sa. on a chief engrailed gold, a lozenge of the field between two martlets of the fourth: an escutcheon of pretence quarterly gu. and az. on a chevron ermine between three lions passant or, as many lozenges voided of the first.

Crest---On a gazon vert, a lion sejant or, holding in his dexter paw a battle-axe, and in the sinister a tilting-spear, all ppr.

Motto---Tuum est.

Seats---Toddington Park, Bedfordshire; Park House, Middlesex.

WYNDHAM, OF DINTON.

WYNDHAM, WILLIAM, esq. of Dinton, in the county of Wilts, *b.* 18th December, 1769, *m.* 3rd March, 1794, Laetitia, daughter of Alexander Popham, esq. one of the masters in Chancery, and has issue,

WILLIAM, who *m.* in June, 1831, Ellen, daughter of the Rev. Samuel Heathcote, of Bramshaw Hill, and has a daughter, Ellen.

Alexander-Wadham, who *m.* in 1830, Emma, daughter of Sir John Trevelyan, bart. and has issue,

1. William-Trevelyan, *b.* in 1831.
2. Emma-Lætitia.

George, *m.* in 1827, Margaret, daughter of John Jay, esq. and has issue,

1. Alward, *b.* in 1828.
2. George, *b.* in 1831.
3. Weeta.

Francis.

John.

Charles-Henry.

Laetitia, *m.* in 1824, to William Codrington, esq. of Wrangton.

Mary-Anne.

Louisa-Elizabeth, *m.* in 1825, to the Reverend Wadham Knatchbull.

Ella.

Charlotte.

Henrietta-Sophia.

Mr. Wyndham inherited the estates at the decease of his father.

Lineage.

This family derives from a common ancestor with that of WYNDHAM, Earls of Egremont.

SIR JOHN WYNDHAM, knt. of Orchard, in the county of Somerset, and of Felbrigge, in Norfolk, espoused Joan, daughter of Sir Henry Portman, knt. of Orchard-Portman, in the former shire, and had issue,

1. JOHN, who *m.* Catharine, daughter of Robert Hopton, esq. of Witham, and aunt of Ralph, Lord Hopton, (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*). From this marriage lineally descended

   George-O'Brien Wyndham, present Earl of Egremont.

2. Henry, who *d.* unmarried.
3. Thomas, of Felbrigge and Crounthorpe. This gentleman *m.* twice

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but had issue by his second wife (Elizabeth, dau. of Sir John Mede, knt. of Loftus Hall) only. Amongst others, his son and heir,

WILLIAM, who *m.* Catherine, dau. of Sir Joseph Ashe, and had a son,

ASHE, of Fellbrigge, M.P. for the county of Norfolk, temp. *Queen* ANNE, who *d.* in 1749, and was *s.* by his son,

Col. WILLIAM WYNDHAM, father of the celebrated WILLIAM WYNDHAM.*

4. Francis, *d.* unmarried.
5. George (Sir), *d.* unmarried in 1624.
6. George, ancestor of the Wyndhams, of Cromer, in Norfolk.
7. Humphrey, from whom descended

THOMAS WYNDHAM, esq. of Dunraven Castle, in the county of Glamorgan, whose only daughter and heiress,

CAROLINE WYNDHAM, *m.* 27th December, 1810, the Hon. Windham-Henry Quin, elder son of Valentine, Lord Adare, to whom she conveyed Dun-

* This eminent person was born in London, 3rd May, 1750. In his seventh year he was placed at Eton, and became conspicuous amongst his companions for abilities and courage. In 1766, he went to the University of Glasgow, and the next year he entered Oxford as a gentleman commoner. At this period of his life, he felt so little interest in public affairs, that he was said never to know who was prime minister. His debût, as a public speaker, was at a political meeting in Norwich, and he there opposed, with great energy, the subscription then in progress to sustain the American war. In 1782, he obtained a seat in parliament, as representative for Norwich, and here, as at Eton, he was soon distinguished by his talents and intrepidity. In 1783, he was appointed chief secretary to the lord-lieutenant of Ireland. Upon the disunion amongst the whigs, in 1793, Windham attached himself to Burke, and the next year he was constituted secretary-at-war, with the unusual distinction of a seat in the cabinet. From this time he held office until the retirement of Mr. Pitt, in 1801, at whose decease in 1806, he resumed his station of secretary-at-war, joined to that of colonial secretary, under the Grenville administration. With the whigs he again retired, and ever afterwards sate upon the opposition bench. His death, which took place in 1810, arose from the following circumstance. While passing, in the preceding year, by the end of Conduit-street, (on the 8th July,) he saw a house on fire, and with his characteristic intrepidity, proceeded towards the spot, in order to afford all the assistance in his power. He found the flames rapidly advancing towards the residence of the Hon. Mr. North, whose valuable library he determined, if possible to save from destruction. He laboured at the task which he thus imposed upon himself, for no less than four hours, during a heavy rain, and amidst the playing of several engines. He laboured, however, not in vain, for most of the books were preserved; but he sustained a serious injury in the hip, by falling under the weight of some heavy volumes; of the accident he took little notice, until an indolent encysted tumour had been formed, when, upon taking surgical advice, he found that it was necessary for him to submit to a painful and dangerous operation. The tumour was accordingly operated upon and removed, 17th May, 1810, but unfavourable symptoms followed, and he expired on the 4th of the following June. "Windham generally acted," (says a recent writer,) "as though he cared for no opinion but his own. He dealt largely in paradoxes, was often false in his philosophy, and occasionally advocated nonsense; yet he had the credit of being an enlightened man, and of always speaking as he thought. A Quixote against what he deemed the prejudices of the great: he frequently startled the dull ear of some stately associate, by asserting that it was essential for the support of our national intrepidity, to encourage cock-fighting, bull-baiting, and pugilism. It was his ambition to realize and embody in himself the popular idea of a thorough Englishman; his eloquence was bold and forcible; his opinions masculine, generous, and tolerant. He had a most fervid affection for the pastimes of our ancestors; and declaimed with equal zeal and eloquence to prove the necessity of their perpetuation. His popular predilections were so nicely balanced by his loyalty, that he enjoyed the

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raven Castle, &c. and he assumed the additional surname of WYNDHAM. His father was subsequently created Earl of Dunraven and Mountearl, and he inherited those honours himself at the decease of that nobleman, 24th August, 1824.

8. Hugh (Sir), of Silton. This gentleman was called to the degree of serjeant-at-law 1st June, 1660, constituted one of the barons of the exchequer in 1670, and subsequently transferred to the bench of the common-pleas.

9. WADHAM (Sir), of whom we are about to treat.

The youngest son,

SIR WADHAM WYNDHAM, of Norrington, in the county of Wilts, was one of the judges of the court of king's bench, in 1660. He *m.* Barbara, daughter of Sir George Clarke, knt. of Walford, Northamptonshire, and had. with several other children,

I. JOHN, of Norrington, who *m.* Alice, daughter of Thomas Fownes, esq. and left three sons, viz.

1. JOHN, whose only daughter and heiress, ANNE, wedded the Hon. James-Everard Arundel, and *d.* in 1796.
2. Wadham, *d. s. p.*
3. THOMAS, for several years LORD CHANCELLOR of Ireland, who was elevated to the peerage of that kingdom, as BARON WYNDHAM, of Finglas. His lordship *d. s. p.* in 1745.

II. WILLIAM.

The second son,

WILLIAM WYNDHAM, esq. of Dinton, in Wiltshire, *m.* Henrietta, daughter and coheir of Henry Stratford, esq. of Hawling, in the county of Gloucester, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM WYNDHAM, esq. of Dinton, in the county of Wilts, and of Hawling, Gloucestershire, who *m.* Barbara, daughter and heiress of Michael Smith, esq. of Staunton St. Bernard, in Wiltshire, and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM WYNDHAM, esq. of Dinton, and of Hawling, wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Heathcote, bart. of Hursley Lodge, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WILLIAM WYNDHAM, esq. present representative of this branch of the family.

Arms—Azure a chevron between three lions' heads erased or.

Crest—A lion's head erased within a fetterlock or.

Motto—Au bon droit.

Estates — DINTON, purchased in 1689 NORRINGTON, purchased in 1658.

Seat—Dinton, in the county of Wilts.

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rare felicity, as a public man, of being in high favour with the people, without rendering himself at all odious to the sovereign. He was much beloved in private life, his character being amiable, and his conversation varied, sportive, intelligent, and conciliating. So decidedly high did he rank in public estimation, that the immediate neighbourhood of his residence was thronged with carriages during his illness, containing anxious enquirers as to the state of his health; his house was crowded with friends during the consultations of his medical attendants. All classes exhibited the most lively sympathy for his sufferings; and the king himself repeatedly desired to be informed of the progress of his malady; emphatically declaring that the expiring senator was a genuine patriot and a truly honest man." Mr. Wyndham *d.* unmarried.

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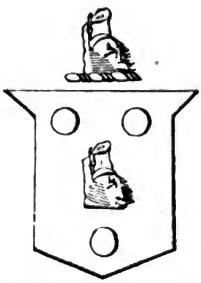
LOVIBOND, OF HATFIELD PEVERELL.

LOVIBOND, GEORGE-BRUDENELL-MICHELSEN, esq. of Hatfield Peverell, in the county of Essex, *b.* 6th March, 1796, *m.* 15th July, 1826, Frances, second daughter of Alexander Hatfield, esq. of Twickenham, and grandaughter of Sir Richard Perryn. Mr. Lovibond *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1817.

Lineage.



GUSTAVUS HAMILTON, (grandson of Claud, first Lord Paisley) a distinguished officer in the service of King WILLIAM III. was elevated to the peerage in 1715, as BARON and VISCOUNT BOYNE. His lordship espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Brook, and had issue,

FREDERICK, who *m.* Sophia, eldest sister of James Viscount Limerick, and predeceased his father in 1715, leaving,

1. GUSTAVUS, successor to his grandfather, as second VISCOUNT BOYNE. His lordship *d. s. p.* and was *s.* by his cousin.
2. James, *d. s. p.* in 1744.

GUSTAVUS, of whom presently.

The second son,

HON. GUSTAVUS HAMILTON, of Redwood, in the King's county, M.P. for Donegal, wedded in 1718, Dorothea, only daughter of Richard, Lord Bellew, and had (with other issue)

FREDERICK, who inherited from his cousin, as third VISCOUNT BOYNE, but dying issueless, was *s.* by his brother.

Richard, fourth VISCOUNT BOYNE, whose grandson,

GUSTAVUS, is the sixth and present VISCOUNT BOYNE (see *Burke's Peerage*).

CAROLINE, of whom presently.

Mr Hamilton's youngest daughter,

CAROLINE HAMILTON, espoused in 1744.

EDWARD LOVIBOND, esq. of Hampton (son of — Lovibond, esq. a merchant and East India director). This gentleman was a poet of some celebrity. He wrote several papers in the "World;" and his poems, consisting of 2 vols. 12mo, published after his death, display some originality of manner, with considerable sprightliness and ingenuity. He *d.* 27th September, 1775, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE LOVIBOND, esq. who inherited from his uncle, Anthony Lovibond Collins, esq. the estates of Hatfield Peverell, and Sandon, in the county of Essex. He *m.* 22nd March, 1793, Martha, eldest daughter of Sir Elijah Impey, and dying in 1817, was *s.* by his son, GEORGE-BRUDENELL-MICHELSON LOVIBOND, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Arg. a boar's head couped and erect gu. between three roundles per fesse or and gu.

Crest—A boar's head, as in the arms.

Estates—Hatfield Peverell, and Sandon, in Essex.

Town Residence—23, Manchester-square.

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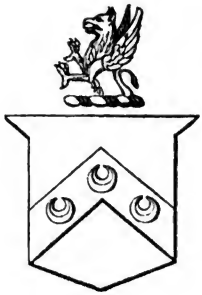
ATTHILL, OF BRANDISTON HALL.

ATTHILL, THE REVEREND WILLIAM, of Brandiston Hall, in the county of Norfolk, A.M. prebendary of Clogher, Rector and Vicar of the parishes of Fintona, in the county of Tyrone, and of Magheraculmony, in the county of Fermanagh, *b.* in April, 1774, *m.* 1st April, 1805, Henrietta Margaret Eyre, eldest daughter of the very Reverend George Maunsell, D.D. Dean of Leighlin, niece of Robert Hedges Eyre, esq. of Macroom Castle, in the county of Cork, and cousin to the Earl of Bantry, by whom he has issue,



WILLIAM, in holy orders, A.B. *b.* 11th July, 1807, *m.* 14th Dec. 1835, Sarah-Bircham, eldest dau. of Guy Lloyd, Esq. of Croghan House, in the county of Roscommon. (See vol. iv. p. 89.)

Robert, A.B. *b.* 9th February, 1810, a medical man, resident at Trillic, a justice of the peace for the county of Tyrone.

Richard, *b.* 11th August, 1811, A.B. now of Harvey Township, Upper Canada.

John-Grey-Porter, *b.* 31st December, 1812.

Edward-Eyre.

Henry-Maunsell.

Lombe.

Henrietta-Elizabeth.

Emily.

Jemima-Grace.

This gentleman was elected in 1796, a fellow of Caius and Gonville College, Cambridge; whence removing to Ireland, he obtained the preferment above mentioned.

Lineage.

This family deduces its origin from the time of the Norman Conquest, at which period its first founder came over into England, and is said to have borne the name of DE-LA-HOW. His grandson having settled in the county of Berks, the surname originally signifying "*Of the Hill*," became corrupted *At the Hill*, and thence was shortened into ATTHILL. From this DE-LA-HOW lineally descended

RICHARD ATT'EHILL, of Bareworth, in the county of Berks, (whose name, &c. are recorded in the Abbreviatio Rotulo Originalium, 31st Edward I.) He *m.* Maude, daughter of Sir John Harley, of South Wales, and had issue,

SIMON, his successor.

Thomas, in holy orders.

PETER, of Walpole, in the county of Norfolk, who had a son,

JOHN, of whom presently.

Maude, *d.* unm.

Richard Att'ehill, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIMON ATT'EHILL, who died leaving an only daughter and heiress, who espoused in 1326, her cousin,

JOHN ATT'EHILL. This gentleman was the first of his family who settled in the county of Norfolk, where his descendants have since continued to reside. He is mentioned among the benefactors of the Abbey of Lewes, and *d.* leaving issue, one son and a daughter. He was interred in the church of Geystwick, Norfolk, where a monument to his memory still remains, in the South aisle. He was *s.* by his only son,

WILLIAM ATT'EHILL, who married in 1354, Catherine, daughter of — Alger, esq. of the county of Norfolk, and had issue, two sons, Thomas and John, the latter of whom acquired the lands and tenements of Harewell, in the county of Berks, and *d.* without male issue.

THOMAS ATT'EHILL, the elder son, succeeded his father at Walpole. This gentleman was among the valiant followers of the chivalrous EDWARD III. and is re-

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corded to have displayed on several occasions, proofs of the greatest valour; for these and other services, EDWARD granted him estates to a considerable extent in Buckinghamshire, of which we find mention in the Calendarium Rotulorum Patentium, p. 152, in the following words:

"Rex confirmavit Thomæ Att'ehill, arm: in general' tallio, unum messuagium, vocat' Le Asprevil in Ailesbury, in com' Bucks, et alt' messuag' ib^m ei dat', &c. &c."

He *m.* in 1377, Margaret, daughter of Sir John Condoys, knt. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Richard, whose son,
HENRY, inherited the family estates upon the demise of his uncle, THOMAS.
William, in holy orders, D.D. rector of Foxley, in the county of Norfolk, to which living he was presented by the Bishop of London, and other feoffees of Reginald Grey, Lord Ruthyn.
Catherine.
Margaret.

Thomas Att'ehill *d.* at an advanced age, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS ATT'EHILL, at whose decease, unmarried, the family inheritance devolved upon his nephew,

HENRY ATT'EHILL. This gentleman's name appears among the list of the gentry of England returned by the commissioners in the reign of Henry VI. He espoused in 1448, Mary-Therese, daughter of Sir Hugo de Montmorencie, a French officer, and by her, left with three daughters,

HENRY, his successor.
THOMAS.

He was *s.* by his elder son,

HENRY ATT'EHILL, who fell in the wars of the Roses, leaving an only son, who *d.* in infancy. The family estates then devolved upon his only brother,

THOMAS ATT'HILL, who *m.* in 1471, Lucy, daughter of Sir Ralph Mordaunt, and had, with four daughters, an only son, his successor,

SIR RICHARD ATT'HILL, knt. who *d.* in 1505, leaving two sons and two daughters, and was interred in the church of Geystwick, where his effigy in brass still remains, with a tombstone, bearing the following inscription:

"Orate A. i. à Richardi Att'hill, eqs. qui obiit Septembris Anno D. MDV."

Sir Richard was *s.* at his demise by his elder son,

ANTHONY ATT'HILL, esq. The family residence having become dilapidated, this gentleman settled at Cawston, in the county of Norfolk, where his descendants continued to reside, until they removed to Brandiston, the seat of the present proprietor. He *m.* in 1540, and had issue, four sons and two daughters, of whom the eldest,

RICHARD ATT'HILL, esq. *b.* in 1545, succeeded his father, and marrying in 1569, had, inter alios, a son and successor,

EDWARD ATT'HILL, esq. a captain in the army of CHARLES I. who *d.* in 1676, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

ANTHONY ATT'HILL, esq. of Cawston, who *m.* in 1684, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Lombe, knt. (maternal ancestor of the present Earl of Lauderdale, and of Sir Richard-Paul Joddrel, of Sall House, in the county of Norfolk, bart.) and left, besides several daughters, two sons, viz.

ANTHONY-LOMBE.
John, from whom the Cawston branch is descended.

Mr. Att'hill was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ANTHONY-LOMBE ATTHILL, esq. of Brandiston, who *m.* Maria, daughter of — Capon, esq. and had issue,

ANTHONY, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Charles Wetherall, esq. of Norwich, and dying before his father, in 1758, left issue,
1. ANTHONY-JOHN, successor to his grandfather.
2. William, M.D. of Spottisham Hall, in the county of Norfolk, *d.* unm.
3. Jermyn, H.E.I.C.S. *d.* abroad, unm.
4. Maria, *m.* to — Bond, of the county Middlesex, esq.

Edward, A.M. in holy orders, rector of Sparham, and Foxley, in the county of Norfolk, *d.* unm.
John, R.N. *d.* at sea, unm.
Lombe, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Johnson, esq. and left issue, four sons, and three daughters.
Mary, *m.* to — Smith, of Cottis Hall, in the county of Norfolk, and had with other issue,

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Mary, *m.* to the Right Rev. John Porter, D.D. Lord Bishop of Clogher.

Mr. Atthill was *s.* at his decease in 1760, by his grandson,

16. ANTHONY-JOHN ATTHILL, esq. of Brandiston, who *m.* in 1773, Sarah, daughter of — Howlett, esq. of Marsham, in the county of Norfolk, and had issue,

WILLIAM.

Martha.

He *d.* in 1780, and was succeeded by his only son,

WILLIAM, the present representative of the family.

Arms---Arg. on a chevron gu. three crescents or.

Crests---First; a demi griffin rampant. Second, a falcon or, ducally gorged azure, belled and leashed of the first.

Mottoes---Honorantes me honorabo; and Monte de alto.

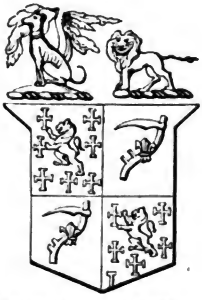
Seats---Brandiston Hall, county of Norfolk. Ardess Rectory, county of Fermanagh; and Dundevea, in the county of Tyrone.

SNEYD-KYNNERSLEY, OF LOXLEY PARK.

KYNNERSLEY-SNEYD, THOMAS, esq. of Loxley Park, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 6th May, 1774.

This gentleman, whose patronymic is SNEYD, assumed in 1815, by sign manual, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his uncle Clement Kynnersley, esq. the additional surname and arms of that family: when he succeeded to the Kynnersley estates.

Lineage.



According to an old pedigree

"The family of the Kynnersleys is very ancient, being seated long before the Conquest in com. Hereford, in a castle soe called at present. In Doomesday Booke it is recorded, that when the Conqueror was possessed of his newe kingdome of England, hee sent his Comiss^ns^ throughout ye remote parts thereof, to know howe every man held his lands. In which tyme there was an ould gentleman that lived and was owner of Kynnardsley Castle, in com. Hereford: by name John de Kynnardsley, and by title a knight (if any knights were before the Conquest). This ould gentleman was blind, he had then liveing with him twelve sonnes, whom with himself he armed, and stood in his castle gate, his halberd in his hand, attending the coming of sheriffs and other comiss^ns^ from ye king, who being arrived, demanded of him by what tenure he held his castle and lands; ye old kn^t^ replyed by his armes, shewing to them his halberd."

HUGO DE KYNNARDSLEYE is mentioned in several charters, in the time of HENRY III. and was seised of the manor of Newland, and other estates in the counties of Gloucester and Hereford. This Hugh, a soldier of the cross, accompanied Prince Edward to the Holy Land, and received the honor of knighthood; upon which occasion he added the Jerusalem crosses to his arms, which were before "az. a lion rampant ar."

JOHN DE KYNNARDSLEY, in the latter part of the reign of EDWARD II. or the beginning of that of EDWARD III. espoused Johanna,

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daughter and heiress of Thomas de Ferrers, of Loxley, in the county of Stafford, a younger branch of the family of Ferrars, Earls of Derby, and is written Dominus de Lockesleye. He had a son,

JOHN DE KYNNARDSLEYE, of Lockesleye, who *m.* Joan, daughter and heiress of Sir Robert Dethicke, knt. and dying 23rd EDWARD III. was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DE KYNNARDSLEY, of Lockesleye, who wedded Elizabeth, sister and heiress of Robert Salway, of Cannock, and had, with other issue,

ROBERT DE KYNNARDSLEY, of Lockesleye, who espoused, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Gyfford, of Chillington, knt. and had a son, JOHN, his successor. He *m.* secondly, Joane, relict of Sir Thomas Tamhorne, by whom he had a son, Henry, of Brocton, in the county of Derby, and thirdly, Isabel, daughter of John Hynckley, of Aston. He *d.* 37th HENRY VI. and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN DE KYNNARDSLEY, of Lockesley, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Robert Aston, of Tixal, and had, with other issue, who *d. s. p.*

THOMAS, his successor.
Margaret, *m.* to John Fitz-Herbert, of Somersall.
Joan, *m.* to Thomas Langham.

John de Kynnardsley *d.* 13th Edward IV. and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS KYNNARDSLEY, of Lockesleye, who *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of John Agard, of Foston, in the county of Derby, and had issue,

JOHN, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter and heiress of Petit, of Badger, in the county of Salop, and predeceasing his father, left, with other issue,
THOMAS, successor to his grandfather.
Francis, in holy orders, rector of Leigh and Blithfield.
Dorothy, *m.* to Humphrey Minors, of Uttoxeter.
Eleanor, *m.* to Robert Whitehall, of Yardeley in Derbyshire.
Anne, *m.* to John Strelay, of Strelay.
Elizabeth, *m.* to — Abelleyn.

Thomas Kynnardsley espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Humphrey Wolrych, and relict of Henry Petit, of Badger, by whom he had further issue; and thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of William Hussey, of King's Bromley. He *d.* 30th HENRY VIII. and was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS KYNNARDSLEY, of Loxley, wedded Dorothy, daughter of Sir Philip Draycot, of Pensley, in the county of Stafford, and had

ANTHONY, his successor.
Ralph, of Bridgenorth, in the county of Salop, who had a son, Francis, *d. s. p.*
Philip, } *d. s. p.*
Nicholas, }
Edward, of Cleobury, Shropshire, living in 1613, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Richard Johnson, of Chester, and had several sons and grandsons in the service of the parliament.
Elizabeth, } *d. s. p.*
Helen, }
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Comes, esq.
Anne, wife of John Aron.

The eldest son,

ANTHONY KINARDSLEY, esq. of Loxley, succeeded to the estates in the 34th Elizabeth. He *m.* Isabell, daughter and heiress of Lewis Walker, of Bramshall, and had issue,

FRANCIS, his successor.
Edward, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of William George, esq. and niece of Sir John George, by whom he had several children.
Mary, *m.* to Henry Mainwaring, esq. of Caringham, in Cheshire.

Anthony Kinardesley was *s.* at his decease, in 1622, by his son,

FRANCIS KINARDESLEY, esq. of Loxley, who marrying Lettice, daughter of Richard Bagot, esq. of Blithfield, had, with other children, a son,

THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. his successor, in 1634. This gentleman, who was sheriff of Shropshire in 1653, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph Floyer, of Hints, in the county of Stafford, and had a son and successor,

THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, who *m.* first, Sarah, daughter of — Clarke, esq. of Walford, in the county of Northampton, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
George, *d.* in 1657.
George, *d.* in 1660.
Sarah, *d.* young.

He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of — Joddrell, esq. of Twamley, and had further issue,

John, of Badger, who *m.* Miss Anne Case.
Clement, of Uttoxeter, *d. s. p.*

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Elizabeth, *m.* to Walter Horton, esq. of Catton, in the county of Derby.
Mary.
Lettice, *m.* to Ralph Adderley, esq. of Coton, Staffordshire.

Mr. Kynnersley *d.* in 1662, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, *b.* in 1654, who espoused Mary, daughter of John London, of Islington, merchant, and was *s.* upon his demise by his son,

THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, who *m.* Barbara, eldest daughter of Sir Gilbert Clarke, of Chilcote, in the county of Derby, by whom (who *d.* in 1717) he had fourteen children, of whom six only survived infancy, viz.

CRAVEN, his successor.
THOMAS, who inherited from his brother.
Barbara, *m.* to Sir John Frederick, bart. of Hampton, in the county of Middlesex.
Mary, *m.* to — Kirby, esq. of Leicester.
Dorothy, *d.* unmarried, in 1759.

The elder son,

CRAVEN KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, was unfortunately killed in the park at Loxley, by the accidental discharge of his fowling-piece. He had *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Bagot, bart. of Blithfield, but dying thus in 1735, and leaving no issue, the estates devolved upon his brother,

THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, an officer in the navy, who *m.* Penelope, only daughter of John Wheeler, esq. of Wootton, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

John, *d.* in 1756.
Thomas, *d.* in infancy.
CLEMENT, successor to his father.
Penelope, who *m.* John, Sneyd, esq. of Bishton, and afterwards of Belmont, in the county of Stafford, and had, with several older children, a son,
THOMAS, who inherited, by will, from his uncle, Clement, the Kynnersley estates, and assuming that additional surname, is the present THOMAS SNEYD-KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley.
Dorothy, *m.* first, to Thomas Byrche-Savage, esq. of Elmley Castle, in the county of Worcester, and secondly, to Ralph Adderley, esq. of Coton.
Barbara, *d.* unmarried in 1782.
Mary, *m.* to Charles Augustus Louis Frederick Baron de Bodè, and *d.* at Moscow in 1814.
Catherine, *d.* unmarried, in 1815.

Mr. Kynnersley *d.* in 1755, and was *s.* by his son,

CLEMENT KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, who *m.* Rosamond, daughter of Sir Wolstan Dixie, bart. of Bosworth Park, in the county of Leicester, but dying issueless, in 1815, willed his property to his nephew, THOMAS SNEYD, who has assumed the additional surname of KYNNERSLEY, and is the present proprietor.

FAMILY OF SNEYD.

This is a branch of the ancient family of Sneyd, of Keel, in Staffordshire, springing from

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. of Keel, and Bradwell, sheriff of the county of Stafford, 16th CHARLES II. who espoused Elizabeth, dau. of Robert Audeley, of Gransden, and had issue,

RALPH, of Keel.
WILLIAM.

The second son,

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. of the Birches, in the county of Stafford, *m.* Sarah, daughter and heiress of — Wettenhall, esq. of Waterhouse, in the same shire, and had issue,

RALPH, his successor.
Wettenhall, *d.* in Ireland.
Richard, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Charles Adderley, esq. of Chesterfield, but *d. s. p.*
Elizabeth, *m.* to Samuel Adderley, esq. of Blakehall.
Mary, *m.* to Walter Chetwynd, esq. of Brockton.

The eldest son,

RALPH SNEYD, esq. of Bishton, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of John Bowyer, esq. of Bishton, and had, with other issue, a son and successor,

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. of Bishton, who espoused Susan, only daughter of John Edmonds, esq. of London, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM HEDGES, who *d.* unmarried in 1757.
2. JOHN, who *m.* thrice, but had issue only by his first wife, PENELOPE, daughter of THOMAS KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley, with several other children,

WILLIAM, of Ashcomb, *b.* in 1767,

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who *m.* in 1796, Jane, daughter and heiress of Simon Debank, esq. of Leek, and has issue.

Clement, of Huntley Hall, who *m.* first, in 1812, Helen, daughter of Roger Swetenham, esq. of Somerford Booth, in Cheshire; and, secondly, in 1825, Eliza-Catherine Cotton, daughter of J. Green, esq. of Dalbury, Derbyshire.

THOMAS, who has assumed the surname of KYNNERSLEY, and is the present THOMAS SNEYD-KYNNERSLEY, esq. of Loxley.

3. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Lloyd, esq. of Aston, in the county of Salop.

4. Susanna, *m.* to H. Powys, esq. of Underdale.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, for KYNNERSLEY, az. semée of crosses croslet, a lion rampant arg. Second and third, for SNEYD, ar. a scythe, the blade in chief, the sned, or handle, in bend sinister, sable; in the fess point a fleur-de-lis of the second.

Crests—For KYNNERSLEY, a mount vert, thereon a greyhound sciant arg. collared or, under a hawthorn tree ppr. For SNEYD, a lion statant guardant, the tail extended sa.

Motto—Nec opprimere nec opprimi.

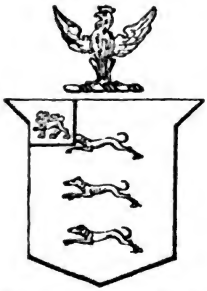
Estates—In Staffordshire.

Seat—Loxley Park, in the county of Stafford.

MOORE, OF APPLEBY-PARVA.

MOORE, GEORGE, esq. of Appleby-Parva, in the county of Leicester, *b.* 17th September, 1811, *s.* his father 23rd June, 1827, *m.* in June, 1833, the dau. of William Phillips Inge, esq. of Thorpe Constantine, in Staffordshire, which lady died in 1836. Mr. Moore is present (1837) high-sheriff for Leicestershire.

Lineage.



This family derives from the Moores, of Moor and Bank Hall, in Lancashire, and is of great antiquity. Amongst its ancestors honorable mention may be made of Sir William de-la-More, who was advanced to the rank of knight-banneret by EDWARD the Black Prince upon the field of POICTIERS.

CHARLES MOORE, of Stretton, in the county of Derby, purchased in the 41st ELIZABETH, of Sir Edward Griffin, knt. the manor of Appleby Parva, in the counties of Leicester and Derby. He espoused Cicely Yates, and had, with several other children,

CHARLES, his successor.

John (Sir), knt. a citizen of London, who was elected alderman of Walbrook ward in 1671, chosen sheriff of London in 1672, and raised to the civic chair in 1681. For his eminent services during his mayoralty, King CHARLES II. granted to him and the descendants of Charles Moore, his father, an honourable augmentation to their arms, viz. "on a canton gu. a lion of England." Sir John Moore *d. s. p.* in 1702.

George, from whom descend the MOORES of Kentwell Hall.

The eldest son,

CHARLES MOORE, esq. lord of the manor of Appleby Parva, who succeeded his father in 1654, *m.* Rebecca, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Mould, rector of Appleby, and dying in 1700, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS MOORE, esq. lord of the manor of Appleby Parva. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Heafield, esq. of Appleby, and had four sons, viz.

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1. Charles, *d.* in infancy.
2. George, successor to his father.
3. John, whose son,
   Charles, inherited from his uncle.
4. Thomas, who had issue,
   Thomas, in holy orders, of whom presently, as successor to his cousin Charles.
   George, who inherited from his brother.
   John, in holy orders, of Bentley, in the county of Warwick, who *d. s. p.*

Mr. Moore *d.* in 1725, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

George Moore, esq. of Appleby Parva, who served the office of sheriff for Leicestershire in 1728. He died unmarried, 13th July, 1751, when the estates devolved upon his nephew,

Charles Moore esq. LL.D. F.R.S. &c. of the Middle Temple, barrister-at-law, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Mould, esq. of Kentwall Hall, Suffolk, but having no issue, was *s.* at his decease, 18th May, 1775, by his cousin,

The Rev. Thomas Moore, M.A. of Appleby Parva and of Bentley, in the county of Warwick, an estate he inherited from his father. The Rev. Mr. Moore dying unmarried, 9th February, 1793, devised his manor and estates of Bentley to his youngest brother, and the possessions at Appleby to his eldest,

George Moore, esq. of Appleby, sheriff for Leicestershire in 1794, and deputy-lieutenant of that county, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of William Darker, esq. and was *s.* at his demise, in 1813, by his eldest son,

George Moore, esq. of Snarestone Lodge, in the county of Leicester, who, besides inheriting from his father the manor of Appleby Parva, with other large estates in the counties of Leicester, Derby, Warwick, and Stafford, succeeded to the possessions at Bentley upon the decease, issueless, of his uncle the Rev. John Moore. He served the office of sheriff for Leicestershire in 1821, and *m.* first, Susan, daughter of John Drummond, esq. of Megginch Castle, in the county of Perth, by whom he had issue,

George, present proprietor.
Susan-Drummond, *m.* 22nd November, 1832, to Edward Anthony Holden, esq. of Aston Hall, in Derbyshire.

He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Sturt, esq. of Alderwasley, in the county of Derby, but had no further issue. Dying 23rd June, 1827, the estates devolved upon his only son, George Moore, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms---Ermine three greyhounds courant, in pale, sa. collared gu. and on a canton of the third, a lion of England.

Crest---A moorcock sa. gutté or, the beak, comb, wattles and legs gu. the wings expanded, holding in the beak a branch of heath ppr.

Motto---Non civium ardor.

Seat---Snarestone Lodge, Leicestershire.

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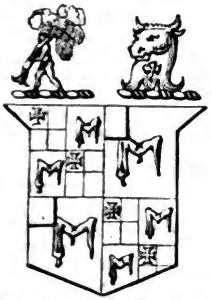
WHARTON-MYDDLETON, OF OLD PARK.



MYDDLETON-WHARTON, ROBERT, esq. of Old Park, in the county of Durham, and of Grinkle Park, in Yorkshire, *b.* in 1760, *m.* first, Miss Penelope Stainsby, and has issue,

RICHARD, *b.* in 1795, an officer in the army, *m.* Frances Penelope, daughter of lieutenant colonel Watson.
Anne, *m.* to John Wilmer Field esq. of Heaton Hall, in the county of York, and *d.* in 1815.
Frances, *m.* to John Wilkinson, esq.
Elizabeth, *m.* to James R. Watson, esq.

Mr. Wharton-Myddleton espoused, secondly, Elizabeth Sophia, daughter of Captain Pococke, of first regiment of life guards, by whom he has further issue,

Henrietta. Sophia. Catharine.

He *s.* to the family possessions upon the demise of his father, in 1794, and inheriting the Bowlby estates at the death of Sir Thomas Heron-Myddleton, bart. in 1801, he assumed the surname of MYDDLETON, in pursuance of the will of his maternal grand-uncle, Francis Myddleton, esq. of Offerton.

Lineage.

This family, which derived its surname from "a fair lordship," situated upon the river EDEN, is of great antiquity in the north of England. One of its members espoused in the reign of *King* EDWARD I. the daughter and heiress of — Hastings, and thereby acquiring the lands of Croglin, in Cumberland (which remained in the family until the demise of Philip, Duke of Wharton, in 1731), assumed her arms; ensigns which still continue with their descendant, the present Robert Wharton Myddleton, esq. The great-great grandson of the heiress of Hastings,

HENRY WHARTON, of Wharton, on the banks of the Eden, living in 1409, possessed of Croglin, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Musgrave, knt. of Harcla Castle, in the county of Westmoreland, and had a son and successor,

THOMAS WHARTON, of Wharton, who held Croglin, and marrying the daughter of Sir Robert Lowther, knt. of Lowther, had issue,

1. HENRY, of Wharton and Croglin, who was grandfather of SIR THOMAS WHARTON, knt. Governor of the town and castle of Carlisle, who, in the 34th HENRY VIII. assisted by Sir William Musgrave, at the head of only three hundred men, gallantly resisted an incursion of the Scots, put them to the rout, and made prisoners of the Earls of Cassilis and Glencairn, with several other personages of note. In two years afterwards he marched into Scotland with the Lord Dacre, and was at the taking of Dumfries; for which, and other eminent services, he was summoned to parliament as BARON WHARTON, 30th January, 1545. The lineal descendant and representative of this eminent nobleman,

PHILIP WHARTON, sixth Lord and second Marquis of Wharton, was created DUKE OF WHARTON 20th January, 1718. Of this, the eccentric, witty, and gifted Lord Wharton, Walpole thus speaks, "With attachment to no party, though with talents to govern any, this lively man changed the free air of Westminster for the escurial; the prospect of *King* GEORGE's Garter for the Pretender's; and, with indifference to all religion, the frolic lord, who had written the ballad on the Archbishop of Canterbury, died in the habit of a capuchin.

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His Grace, who had been attainted for joining the CHEVALIER, *d.* in 1731, when *all his honours*, save the BARONY OF WHARTON, independently of the attainder, became EXTINCT (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*); but were that act repealed, the BARONY would then be vested in the present Marchioness Dowager of Cholmondeley, Lord Willoughby de Eresby and Charles Kemeys-Tynte, esq. M.P. of Halsewell House, in the county of Somerset, as descendants of Philip, fourth Lord Wharton.

2. GILBERT, of whom presently.

The second son,

GILBERT WHARTON, *m.* Joan, daughter and heiress of --- Kirkby, of Kirkby Thore, in the county of Westmoreland, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Edward, Rector of Wharton.

William.

Henry, Rector of Kirkby Thore.

Gilbert Wharton dying in 1436, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WHARTON, of Kirkby Thore, living in 1461, who espoused Isabel, daughter and co-heir of John Lancaster, of Brampton, and relict of --- De Fleming, by whom he had two sons, viz.

I. JOHN, his successor.

II. Christopher, of Offerton, in the county of Durham, whose great grandson,

Christopher, of Offerton, marrying Alice Shepperson, left an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH WHARTON, who espoused George Myddleton, esq. of Silksworth, lineal descendant of Sir John Myddleton, of Belsea Castle, and thus conveyed the estate of Offerton to that family. Elizabeth Myddleton was *s.* at her decease by her second son,

Francis Myddleton, esq. of Offerton, who was himself *s.* by his son,

Richard Myddleton, esq. of Offerton, who *m.* Catherine, daughter and co-heir of Nicholas Conyers, of Bowlby and Easington, a staunch royalist, by Jane, daughter of Sir William Lambton, who was slain at Marstonmoor, and had issue,

1. FRANCIS, who *d. s. p.*

2. Catharine, who *m.* Cuthbert Heron, esq. and had a son,

SIR THOMAS HERON, who assumed the surname of MYDDLETON, but dying without male issue in 1801, the estate passed to his cousin ROBERT WHARTON, esq.

3. Mary, who *m.* Robert Wharton, esq. and her grandson is the present ROBERT WHARTON-MYDDLETON, esq. of Old Park.

John Wharton was *s.* at his demise by his eldest son,

JOHN WHARTON, of Kirkby Thore, counsel to Lord Clifford 21st HENRY VII. who espoused Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of --- Fenwick, of Wallington, in the county of Northumberland, and had a son and successor,

GILBERT WHARTON, of Kirkby Thore, who *m.* first, Catherine, daughter of John Machell, esq. of Crackenthorpe, in the county of Westmoreland, and had a son,

JOHN, his successor.

He espoused, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of --- Crackenthorpe, of Newbiggin, by whom he had, with other issue,

ANTHONY, of Rigwell Grange, from whom sprang the Whartons of Gillingwood, since extinct in the male line, but now represented through females by

JOHN-HALL STEVENSON, esq. of Skelton Castle, who has assumed by royal license the surname and arms of WHARTON in place of those of Stevenson.

Gilbert Wharton *d.* in 1551, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WHARTON, esq. of Kirkby Thore, who *m.* Cicely, daughter of Sir William Thornborough, of Selsall, in the county of Westmorland, and had issue,

THOMAS, of Kirkby Thore, whose male line became extinct in 1664.

JOHN, of whom hereafter.

The second son,

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JOHN WHARTON, of Winston, in the county of Durham, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WHARTON, esq. of Winston, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Hodgson, of Winston. This gentleman, who purchased Old Park, *d.* in 1628, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WHARTON, M.D. of Old Park, *b.* in 1614. This gentleman was the celebrated Doctor Wharton, who continued to practice physic in London during the dreadful plague of 1665, and to whom King CHARLES II. granted, in consideration of his eminent services in attendance upon the sick of the foot guards, an honourable augmentation to his paternal coat of arms, viz. a *canton or*. Dr. Wharton, the friend and companion of Asholme and Sir William Lilly, the astrologer, *d.* in 1674, leaving by his wife, Jane, daughter of William Aldridge, esq. of London, an only surviving son and successor,

THOMAS WHARTON, M.D. of Old Park, who married twice, but had issue only by his first wife, Mary, daughter of John Hall, of Durham, viz.

GEORGE, his successor.

Robert, Thomas, John, } all *d.* infants.

ROBERT, successor to his brother.

Thomas, M.D. who went to Virginia, and *d.* in 1745.

Jane, Alice, } both *d.* unmarried.

Jane, *m.* to John Carter, esq. of Essex.

Dr. Thomas Wharton dying in 1714, was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE WHARTON, M.D. of Old Park, at whose decease, without issue, the family possessions devolved upon his brother,

ROBERT WHARTON, esq. of Old Park, mayor of Durham, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Myddleton, esq. of Offerton, in the county palatine (refer to descendants of CHRISTOPHER, second son of JOHN WHARTON, of Kirkby Thore, living in 1461), and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Richard, mayor of Durham, *b.* in 1721, who *m.* Anne, daughter of --- Lloyd, esq. of Wales, and had a son,

Robert, in holy orders, chancellor of Lincoln cathedral, archdeacon of Stowe, and rector of Siggersthorne, in the county of York, who *m.* Sarah, daughter and heiress of the Rev. John Whalley, rector of Huggate, and left issue at his decease, in 1808, three sons and two daughters, viz.

1. WILLIAM - LLOYD WHARTON, esq. of Dryburn, near Durham, barrister-at-law, who *m.* Frances, daughter of the Rev. John-Henry Jacob.
2. John-Thomas.
3. Robert.
4. Anne-Elizabeth.
5. Catharine.

Jonathan, of London, who *m.* Mary, daughter of George Wilson, esq. but *d. s. p.* in 1768.

Catherine, *m.* to William Ettrick, esq. of High Barnes.

Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Leighton.

Mr. Wharton was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS WHARTON, M.D. A.M. of Old Park, the friend and correspondent of Gray, the poet. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter of Anthony Wilkinson, esq. of Cross Gate, in the county of Durham, by whom (who *d.* in December, 1803) he had issue,

ROBERT, present proprietor.

Richard (deceased), sometime of Offerton, *b.* in 1764, barrister-at-law, M.P. for the city of Durham in the years 1802, 1806, 1807, and 1812, chairman of the ways and means, and subsequently one of the joint secretaries of the treasury. He *m.* Henrietta, daughter of James Ferrers, esq. of Lincoln's-inn.

Margaret.

Elizabeth.

Deborah, *m.* to the late Rev. Thomas Brand.

Catharine, *m.* to Major-general Anthony Salvin, and *d.* in 1790.

Dr. Wharton *d.* in 1794, at the age of seventy-seven, and was *s.* by his eldest son, ROBERT WHARTON, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms---First and fourth GRAND QUARTERS, first and fourth quarterly gu. and or, in the first a cross patonce argent, for MYDDLETON; second and third, az. a maunch or for CONYERS; SECOND AND THIRD GRAND

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QUARTERS, sa. a maunch arg. a canton or, for WHARTON.

Crests---First, a savage man wreathed about the head with leaves, in the dexter hand an oak tree erased and fructed all ppr. for MYDDLETON: second, a bull's head erased arg. charged with a trefoil vert, for WHARTON.

Motto---Lesses dire.

Estates---In Yorkshire, Durham, &c.

Seats---Grinkle Park, near Bowlby, Yorkshire, and Old Park, in Durham.

LANE, OF KING'S BROMLEY.

LANE, JOHN NEWTON, esq. of King's Bromley Hall, in the county of Stafford. *b.* 4th December, 1800; *m.* 8th January, 1828, *the Hon.* Agnes Bagot, second daughter of William, Lord Bagot, by Lady Louisa Legge, daughter of the Earl of Dartmouth, and has had issue,

JOHN-HENRY-BAGOT, *b.* 24th February, 1829.
Albert-William, *b.* in 1830, and *d.* in January, 1831.
Sydney-Leveson, *b.* 13th April, 1831.
William, *b.* 14th February, and *d.* 15th April, 1832.

Mr. Lane *s.* his father in 1824.

Lineage.

The ancient family of LANE came into England, according to Holinshed, with WILLIAM the *Conqueror*. Its pedigree commences with

ADAM DE LONE, of Hampton, but *that* and the succeeding name are without date.

RICHARD DE LA LONE lived at Hampton in the 9th of Edward II. anno 1315. His son,

ANDREW DE LA LONE, living in 1337, was father of

JOHN DE LA LONE, whose son,

RICHARD LONE DE HALTON, *m.* in the 9th of HENRY IV. Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Ralph de la Hyde, and left a son,

JOHN LANE, of Bentley and Hyde, who *m.* in the 11th of HENRY VI. Margery, daughter of Randle Egerton, of Wrinehill. He was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD LANE, whose son,

RALPH LANE, *d.* in the 17th EDWARD IV. and left by Joyce, daughter of Ralph Cresset, a son and successor,

RICHARD LANE, who *m.* in the 15th HENRY VII. Anne, daughter of John Harcourt, of Raunton, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN LANE, of Bentley, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Thomas Patrick, of King's Bromley, and dying in the 19th ELIZABETH, was *s.* by his son,

FRANCIS LANE. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, daughter of Richard Trentham, esq. and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas.
Richard, of Kiernes, in Monmouthshire.
Cassandra, *m.* to Thomas Littleton, third son of Sir Edward Littleton.

He *d.* in the 31st ELIZABETH, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

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JOHN LANE, esq. who *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Littleton, knt. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Alicia, *m.* to Alexander Whightwick, esq.

He *d.* in the 3rd of JAMES I. and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS LANE, esq. This gentleman *m.* Anne, eldest daughter of Walter Bagot, esq. of Blithfield, in the county of Stafford (and sister of Sir Harvey Bagot, bart. who suffered so severely by his attachment to the royal cause), by whom he had

JOHN, his successor.

William, from whom the Irish branch of the family derives.

Richard, a groom of the bedchamber.

JANE. This lady has become celebrated by her spirited conduct in saving the life of *King* CHARLES II. after the battle of Worcester; by riding behind the PRINCE, disguised, from Bentley, the ancient seat of the Lane family, in Staffordshire, to her cousin Mrs. Norton's house, near Bristol. She *m.* subsequently, Sir Clement Fisher, of Packington, in Warwickshire.

Writhy, *m.* to --- Peters.

Anne, *m.* to Edward Birch, of Leacroft.

Mary, *m.* to Edward Nicholas, cupbearer to *King* JAMES I.

Mr. Lane *d.* in 1660, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

COLONEL JOHN LANE, who saved *King* CHARLES after the battle of Worcester, and received him at his seat at Bentley; from which he was conveyed, in disguise, by Miss Lane, as stated above, to Mrs. Norton's, at Bristol. For these signal services pensions were granted, after the restoration, to the colonel and his sister (which were continued, with arrears constantly owing, to the time of *Queen* ANNE), and the family was moreover dignified with an especial badge of honor, viz. the arms of England in a canton, in augmentation of their paternal coat; and a crest, a strawberry horse, bearing between his fore legs the royal crown. There is a tradition in the family, that Colonel Lane was likewise offered a peerage, but declined it. He *m.* Athalia Anson, and had, with other issue,

THOMAS (Sir), his successor.

Lettice.

Frances, *m.* to William Offley, esq.

Mary, *m.* to Sir Humphry Jervis, lord-mayor of Dublin.

Colonel Lane *d.* in 1667, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS LANE, knt. who *m.* Abigail, Lady Williams, widow of Sir Henry Williams, bart. and daughter of Samuel Wightwick, esq. prothonatory of the King's Bench, by whom he had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, *d.* at Sluys, returning from Flanders, 3rd April, 1697.

Elizabeth.

Sir Thomas *d.* in January, 1715, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

JOHN LANE, esq. *b.* 12th December, 1669, *m.* 30th April, 1702, Mary, daughter and co-heir (with her sister Sybill, wife of the Rev. Dr. Birch) of Humphry Wyrley, esq. of Hampstead, in the county of Stafford, by Mary, eldest daughter and co-heiress, with her sister Jane, *m.* to William de Zu estein, Earl of Rochford, of Sir Henry Wroth, knt. of Durance, in the county of Middlesex.* By this lady Mr. Lane had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Mary, *m.* to — Leigh, esq. of Aldridge, whose dau. *m.* Wm. Dilke, esq. of Maxtoke Castle, in Warwickshire.

Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

Jane, *m.* to John Birch, Wyrley, esq.

He *d.* 25th Oct. 1748, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS LANE, esq. *b.* 28th April, 1703; *m.* first, Anne Austen, and had by her, who *d.* in 1724, two sons and three daus. viz.

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, who *d.* young.

Mary, *m.* in 1729, to John Taylor, esq. of Walsall.

Anne, *d.* young.

Elizabeth-Sybilla, *m.* to Roger Holmes, esq. of Walsall.

Mr. Lane espoused, secondly, Miss Anne Sayers, and had

Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Handsworth, *b.* in 1746, *m.* in 1779, Esther-Barbara, daughter of Judge Birch.

Charles, *d.* young.

William, a colonel in the army, and for some time governor of St. Helena,

* By Anne, daughter of William, first Lord Maynard. Sir Henry Wroth was great grandson of Sir Robert Wroth, knt. by Mary Sydney, eldest daughter of Robert, Earl of Leicester.

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m. Miss Camac, of Greenmount Lodge, in Ireland.

Edward, *d.* in 1784.

Jane, *m.* in 1776, to John Freer, of Birmingham, surgeon, and had a son,

The Rev. T. L. Freer, rector of Handsworth, *m.* Sarah, daughter of the very Rev. Doctor Wetherell, late dean of Hereford, and sister of Sir Charles Wetherell, barrister at law, M.P.

Anne, *m.* in 1776, to George Birch, esq. of Harbourne, and Hampstead, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

Wyrley Birch, of Wrotham, in Norfolk, *m.* Sarah, daughter of Jacob Reynardson, esq. of Holywell, in the county of Lincoln, by Anne, sister of the first Lord Brownlow, and daughter of the Right Honorable Sir John Cust, speaker of the House of Commons.

Mary-Anne Birch, *m.* to Richard Congreve, esq. of Burton, in the county of Chester.

Esther-Barbara Birch, *d.* young.

Sarah Birch.

Jane Birch, *m.* to William Durbin, esq. son of Sir William Durbin.

Mr. Lane *d.* in 1775, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

JOHN LANE, esq. *b.* in 1723, *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heir of Richard Fowler, esq. of Penford, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, of the Grange, in Essex, clerk of the Goldsmith's Company, *b.* 30th September, 1754, *m.* Barbara, daughter of Thomas Fowler, esq. of Penfold, by whom he had issue,

1. Thomas, who *m.* Mrs. Napier, widow of Captain Napier, and *d. s. p.*
2. John, who succeeded his father, as clerk of the Goldsmith's Company, and in the Grange, Essex, *m.* Jane, daughter of the Rev. T. Williams, of Somersetshire.
3. Charles, in holy orders, *b.* in 1793, *m.* Frances, daughter of Doctor Sandford, titular Bishop of Edinburgh.
4. Richard, *b.* 2nd October, 1794.
5. Sarah, *m.* to William Cotton, esq. of Walwood, Essex.
6. Jane, *d.* young.

Mr. Thomas Lane *d.* in January, 1824.

Richard, Cap. R.N. *d.* in 1799.

Newton-Charles, in holy orders, Fellow of Christ's College, Cambridge.

Maria, *m.* to the Rev. John Lucy, of Charlecote Park, in the county of Warwick, and had issue.

Mr. Lane *d.* 28th June, 1782, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN LANE, esq. *b.* 25th December, 1752, Fellow of Queen's College, Cambridge, and barrister at law, *m.* in 1800, Sarah, only daughter of Thomas Lloyd, esq. and widow of John Amler, esq. of Ford Hall, in Shropshire, (by whom she had one child, Frances, *m.* to Sir Edward-Pretyman Tomline bart.) and had issue,

JOHN-NEWTON, his successor.

Thomas-Leveson, in holy orders, *b.* 28th September, 1802, rector of Withington, in the county of Gloucester.

Mr. Lane *d.* 21st December, 1824, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present JOHN NEWTON LANE, esq.

Arms---Per fesse, or and az. a chev. gu. between three mullets counter-changed, on a canton of the third, three lions of England.

Crest---A strawberry roan horse, salient couped at the flanks, bridled sa. bitted and garnished or, supporting between the feet a regal crown.

Estates---At King's Bromley, and Chartyr Hay, in the county of Stafford.

Seat—King's Bromley Hall, near Lichfield.

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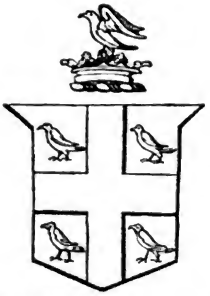
AYLMER, OF WALWORTH CASTLE.

AYLMER, JOHN-HARRISON, esq. of Walworth Castle, in the county of Durham, *b.* 24th January, 1813, *s.* his father, General Aylmer, in 1831.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the very ancient family of Aylmer, of Donadea Castle, springing from

SIR FITZGERALD AYLMER, bart. of Donadea Castle,* who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Fenton Cole, esq. of Silver Hill, in the county of Fermanagh, by whom he left at his decease in February, 1794, with other issue,

FENTON (Sir), his successor, as eighth bart. This gentleman espoused Jane-Grace, daughter of Sir John Freke, bart. and sister of Lord Carberry, by whom he left, with several other children, a son and successor, the present

SIR GERALD-GEORGE AYLMER, bart. of Donadea Castle.

ARTHUR.

The second son,

LIEUTENANT GENERAL ARTHUR AYLMER, an active justice of the peace, for the county of Durham, and for the North Riding of Yorkshire, was elected chairman of the quarter sessions for the former shire, as successor to William Hutchinson, esq. of Egleston; the duties of which station he fulfilled with exemplary attention. He espoused, 9th June, 1807, Anne, only daughter and heiress of John Harrison, esq. of Walworth Castle, by whom he had issue,

JOHN-HARRISON, present proprietor.

Elizabeth-Margaret.

Grace-Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Pasley Vivian, vicar of Willingborough, Northamptonshire.

Louisa-Lucy-Eleanor.

Catherine-Dorothy.

Augusta-Anne.

Lieutenant General Aylmer dying universally regretted, in 1831, was *s.* by his son, the present

JOHN-HARRISON AYMLER, esq.

Arms—Arg. a cross sa. between four Cornish choughs ppr.

Crest—A Cornish chough, rising out of a ducal coronet, all ppr.

Motto—Hallelujah.

Estates—At Walworth, parish of Highington, and at Sunderland, and Bishopwearmouth, all in the county of Durham.

Seat—Walworth Castle,* near Darlington.

* For the early descent, see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*

* Walworth Castle belonged formerly to the ancient family of Jennison, and the last possessor of that name, Ralph Jennison, esq. who was master of the stag hounds of King GEORGE II. and who married one of the wealthy co-heiresses of Allan, of Allan's Flatts, in the county of Durham, sold the manor, castle, and estate of Walworth, to Matthew Stephenson, esq. who soon after conveyed it to John Harrison, esq. the father of the late General Aylmer's wife. The Jennisons retired to the continent about the year 1770, and their "ancient blood, says Mr. Surtees, is now widely spread by intermarriage with the Noblesse of Bavaria and Austria."

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LENTHALL, OF BESSELS LEIGH.

LENTHALL, KYFFIN-JOHN-WILLIAM, esq. of Bessels Leigh, in the county of Berks, and of Maynan Hall, Caernarvonshire, *b.* 12th October, 1789, *m.* 28th April, 1818, Mary Ann, eldest daughter of John Ashton, esq. of the Grange, in the county of Chester, and had issue,

EDMUND-KYFFIN.
William-Kyffin.
Francis-Kyffin.
Mary-Ann.

Mr. Lenthall *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father. He served the office of High Sheriff for Caernarvonshire in 1828.

Lineage.

The ancestor of this ancient and distinguished family,

SIR ROWLAND LENTHALL, of Hampton Court, in the county of Hereford, was high in favour with *King* HENRY IV. to whom he was master of the robes. He was one of the lords-marchers, and for some time ambassador to the Parisian court. Sir Rowland accompanied HENRY V. to France, and having a command at the Battle of AZINCOURT, made so many prisoners in that celebrated conflict, that he completed, with the produce of their ransom, the new buildings at Hampton Court. In that mansion was preserved a picture, engraved by Vertue, and said to be an undoubted original of HENRY IV.; pendant from the neck is a chain and medallion, on which are depicted the arms of the Fitz-Alans, Earls of Arundel, and underneath the following inscription: "HENRY IV. King of England, who laid the first stone of this house, and left this picture in it when he gave it to Lenthall."

Sir Rowland espoused Margaret, daughter and eventually co-heiress of Richard Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel; upon which marriage, Lady Margaret being related to the king, Sir Rowland had given to him "a thousand by the year," for the maintenance of them and their heirs, of which grant, says Leland, the town of Ludlow forms a part.

Some years afterwards, the Lenthalls sold their possessions, in Herefordshire, to the Cornwalls, Barons of Burford, and settled at Latchford and Great Haseley, in Oxfordshire, (which manors and estates they acquired in the reign of EDWARD IV. by marriage with the heiress of the Pipards,*) where they remained seated for many generations.

In 1603, these estates were possessed by

SIR EDMUND LENTHALL, who was one of those fined, under an act of parliament passed in the reign of JAMES I., for restraining persons of quality from residing so much of the year in London. Sir Edmund dying without issue, the line of the family was continued by his brother,

* A member of this ancient family, having gallantly distinguished himself in the Scottish wars, was summoned to parliament, as a baron, from the 6th February, 1299, to 24th July, 1302. *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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WILLIAM LENTHALL, esq. who *m.* Francis, dau. of Sir R. Southwell, of St. Faith's, in Norfolk, and left at his decease, 2nd Dec. 1596, aged 44, with other issue,

1. JOHN (Sir), who inherited the family estates upon the demise of his uncle, Sir Edmund. This gentleman, who was a member of the long parliament, *m.* Bridget, dau. of Sir T. Temple, bt. of Stow, and had six sons, and eight daus. His eldest son and successor,
   EDMUND, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wade, lieutenant of the Tower of London, and had issue two sons and a daughter. The elder son married late in life, and, selling the old family estates at Latchford and Great Haseley, terminated this branch of the family. JOHN, the second son, *d.* 14th May, 1641, without issue; and Bridget, the only dau. *d.* unmarried, in 1641.
2. WILLIAM, of whom hereafter.
3. A daughter, who *m.* into the family of Warcup, and was mother of
   Sir Edmund Warcup, the historian of Italy.

The second son,

WILLIAM LENTHALL, esq. *b.* in June 1591, having studied the law with eminent assiduity, and having attained high distinction in that learned profession, was, in 1637, admitted a bencher of Lincoln's-inn, made recorder of London, and master of the rolls. In 1639, he was returned member for Woodstock, and when the long parliament met, on the 3rd November, 1640, he was chosen speaker, which important office he continued to hold after the king's death, and until the dissolution of that assembly. In the first parliament called by CROMWELL, as protector, he had no seat; but in the second, he was returned for two places, the city of Gloucester, and the county of Oxford, and was again elected speaker. He subsequently was appointed chamberlain of Chester, chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, and keeper of the great seal. In the single parliament assembled by Richard Cromwell, he sat in the upper house by the title of William, Lord Lenthall, and so great was his influence and weight at the restoration, that General Monck assured *King* CHARLES, that he could not have brought about that desirable event without Mr. Lenthall's concurrence. This eminent lawyer and statesman *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Ambrose Evans, esq. of Lodington, in the county of Northampton, by whom he left surviving issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Rowland Lacey, esq. of Puddlecote and Shepton, in Oxfordshire.

Catherine, *m.* in 1653, to James, Lord Paisley, by whom (who predeceased his father, the Earl of Abercorn) she had an only daughter,
   Catherine, *m.* first, to her cousin, William Lenthall, esq.; and secondly, to Charles, fifth Earl of Abercorn.

Mr. Speaker Lenthall *d.* at his seat the Priory, Burford, 1st September, 1661, and was privately buried at Burford, the advowson of which church, with the manor and estate, he had purchased of the great Lord Falkland. His only surviving son and successor,

Sir JOHN LENTHALL, was member for Gloucester in the long parliament, and also for the same place in the parliament called by Richard Cromwell. Sir John, who was colonel in the army, governor of Windsor Castle, and one of the six clerks in chancery, was created a BARONET by OLIVER CROMWELL. He *m.* first, Rebecca, dau. of T. Bennet, an alderman of London, but had by her no issue. He wedded, secondly, Mary Blewet, relict of Sir John Stonehouse, bart. by whom he had one son WILLIAM. Sir John espoused, thirdly, Catherine, dau. of Eusebius Andrew, esq. of Edmonton, Middlesex, but had no further issue. He served the office of sheriff for the county of Oxford in 1672, and dying 9th November, 1681, was buried in the chancel of Bessels Leigh church, and was *s.* by his only son,

WILLIAM LENTHALL, esq. to whom General MONCK stood sponsor, who *m.* his first cousin, the Hon. Catherine Hamilton, only child of James, Lord Paisley, by whom (who *m.* after his decease, the Earl of Abercorn) he left issue, at his demise, 5th Sept. 1686, at the early age of 27, two sons, JOHN, his heir, and James, so named after his grandfather, Lord Paisley. The elder,

JOHN LENTHALL, esq. who served the office of sheriff for Oxfordshire, and *m.* Jane, dau. of Sir. W. Hill, had two sons and two daus.,

WILLIAM, his successor.

JOHN, successor to his brother.

Anne. Mary.

The elder son,

WILLIAM LENTHALL, esq. of Burford, sheriff of Oxfordshire, dying *unm.* in 1781,

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the family representation devolved upon his brother,

JOHN LENTHALL, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev. Christopher Shute, and had, with two daughters, two sons,

JOHN, of Burford, sheriff for Oxfordshire in 1787, who *m.* Sarah, dau. of the Rev. John Caswall, rector of Swacliffe, by whom he left at his decease, in 1820, with three daughters two sons, viz.

WILLIAM-JOHN, *m.* Frances-Mary, eldest dau. of T. Terry, esq. of Beverley, and has one surviving son, Edmund-Henry, of Lincoln's-inn.

Rowland-Henry, of Kemsey in Worcestershire, who has been twice married.

WILLIAM-JOHN.

The second son,

WILLIAM-JOHN LENTHALL, esq. of Bessels Leigh, in Berkshire, *b.* in Jan. 1764; was high sheriff for the counties of Caernarvon and Merioneth. He *m.* in Jan. 1789, Elizabeth, eldest dau. and co-heiress of Sir T. Kyffin, of Maynan, co. Caernarvon, by whom (who *d.* in June, 1791) he had two children,

KYFFIN-JOHN-WILLIAM, his successor.

Ann-Margaret, *d.* young.

Mr. Lenthall was *s.* at his decease by his only son, KYFFIN-JOHN-WILLIAM LENTHALL, esq. the present possessor.

Arms—Arg. on a bend cottised sa. three mullets or.

Crest—A greyhound courant sa. collared or.

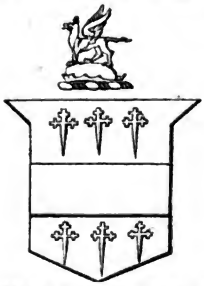
Motto—Azincourt.

Estates—BESSELS LEIGH, in Berkshire, purchased from the Fettiplace family in 1630; YELFORD-HASTINGS, in Oxfordshire, acquired about the same period; MAYNAN, in the county of Carnarvon. This last estate descended to the late Sir Thos. Kyffin, from his ancestor Richard Kyffin, who was the last Abbot of Maynan Abbey, at the dissolution of the monasteries. The family of Kyffin derived from Blethyn ap Cynfyn, Prince of Powys.

Seats—Bessels Leigh, near Abingdon; Maynan Hall, Carnarvonshire.

CRAVEN, OF CHILTON HOUSE.

CRAVEN, FULWAR, esq. of Chilton House, in the county of Wilts, *m.* 26th Nov. 1809, Laura, second daughter of George Vansittart, esq. of Bisham Abbey, uncle of Lord Bexley, by whom he has issue,



FULWAR-WILLIAM, *b.* 12th September, 1810, an officer in the army.

George-Vansittart, *b.* 15th October, 1812.

Henry-Vernon.

William-East.

Georgina-Maria.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the noble family of Craven, springing from

SIR WILLIAM CRAVEN, upon whom the dignity of LORD CRAVEN, of Hampstead Marshall, was entailed. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Christopher Clapham, knt. of Beamsly, in the county of York, by whom he had, with several other children, who died unmarried,

I. WILLIAM, who inherited upon the demise of his cousin, the BARONY of CRAVEN, and left issue at his demise in 1711.

WILLIAM, his successor, and third Lord of Craven.

FULWAR, who inherited from his brother, as fourth lord, but dying *s. p.* in 1764, the title devolved upon his kinsman.

II. John, who left issue,

WILLIAM, who *s.* as fifth lord of Craven, but *d. s. p.*

John, whose only son,

WILLIAM, *s.* his uncle as sixth lord, and *d.* in 1791, leaving with other issue.

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WILLIAM, seventh lord, elevated to an earldom, as EARL CRAVEN, in 1801. His lordship's eldest son is
WILLIAM, present earl (See *Burke's Peerage*).

III. CHARLES, of whom immediately.

The youngest son,

CHARLES CRAVEN, esq. was constituted governor of Carolina, in the reign of Queen ANNE. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of — Staples, esq. by whom (who *m.* after his decease, Jemmit Raymond, esq. of Berkshire) he left at his death in 1754, an only surviving son,

REV. JOHN CRAVEN, of Chilton House, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of James Hughes, esq. of Litcomb, in the county of Berks, by whom he had surviving issue,

FULWAR, present proprietor.

Charles-John, *b.* 14th March, 1784, *m.* 23rd Oct. 1817, Penelope, daughter of Edward Wheeler, esq. and has issue,
CHARLES, *b.* 2nd August, 1818.
Charlotte-Penelope.
Cecilia-Catherine.

Charlotte-Elizabeth, *m.* 9th September, 1819, to Sir John-Walter Pollen, bart. M.P.

The Rev. Mr. Craven was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, FULWAR CRAVEN, esq. representative of this branch of the family.

Arms—Arg. a fess between six cross crosslets fitchy gu.

Crest—On a chapeau gu. turned up ermine, a griphon statant of the second beaked or.

Motto—Virtus inactione consistit.

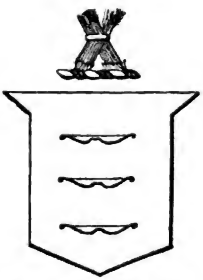
Estates—Chilton Foliat, and Dracot St. George, in the county of Wilts; Speen Hill, Berkshire; and Sennington, Gloucestershire.

Seat—Chilton House, Wilts.

BOWES, OF BRADLEY.

BOWES, THOMAS, esq. of Bradley Hall, in the county of Durham, *b.* 29th of June, 1758.

Lineage.



This gentleman, being a lineal descendant of the elder branch of the Bowes's, of Streatlam Castle, is representative of that ancient family, which, for a long period, was one of the most powerful and distinguished in the county of Durham, renowned for the strenuous loyalty of its members, and the many important services which they had rendered to the crown and to the country. The name, according to GROSE, thus originated: "About the time of the CONQUEROR," says that indefatigable antiquary, "here was a town which, the tradition of the inhabitants states, was burned. It then belonged to the earls of Brittany and Richmond; the castle was built, as Mr. Horseley thinks, out of the ruins of the Roman fortress by Alan Niger, the first earl of that title,* who is said, in a manuscript belonging to the dissolved monastery of St. Mary's at York, placed therein, William, his relation, with five hundred archers, to defend it against some insurgents, in Cumberland and Westmoreland, confederated with the Scots, giving him for the device of his standard, the arms of Brittany,

* This is wrong, Alan Niger was *second* earl of Richmond, see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*.

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with three bows and a bundle of arrows, from whence both the castle and its commander derived their names, the former being called Bowe Castle, and the latter William de Arcubus." Of this person CAMDEN also makes mention, "Near this stands Stretlham, for a long time the seat of the famous and knightly family of the Bowes, or de Arcubus, who have often done great service to their king and country in times of extremity, their pedigree is from William de Arcubus, &c."

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, knt. captain of five hundred archers, and governor of Bowes Castle, was great-great-grandfather of

SIR ADAM BOWES, knt. justice in oyer of the liberties of Durham, and steward of Richmondshire, living in 1345, who *m.* Alice, sole heiress of Sir John Trayne, knt. lord of Streatlam, by his wife Agnes, heiress of Ralph de la Hay, Lord Percy, of Stainton le Strata, to whom Barnard Baliol gave with his niece Agnes the lordship of Streatlam, &c. By this great heiress Sir Adam had, with junior issue,

ROBERT, his successor.
Thomas, who *d. s. p.*
WILLIAM, of whom presently.

Sir Adam was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR ROBERT BOWES, knt. lord of Streatlam, who, in the 29th EDWARD III. entailed all his estates upon his issue male. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Lilburne, of Lilburne, in the county of Northumberland, but dying without issue, his possessions descended to his brother,

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, a gallant warrior, who received the honour of knight-banneret at the BATTLE OF POICTIERS. He espoused Maud, daughter and heiress of Jordan Dawden, and with her acquired *Dawden*, *Seaham*, *Ryhope*, *Seaton*, &c. with the advowson of Dawden church. Sir William was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR ROBERT BOWES, who was made a knight-banneret at the siege of Rouen, in Normandy, and was one of the victims to the indiscretion of Thomas, duke of Clarence, at the battle of Bangey Bridge, where he fell, with several other illustrious personages, in the year 1419. He *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Robert Conyers, of Sockburn, knt. and had, with other issue, a son and successor,

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, who was knighted at the battle of Vernoile in 1424. This eminent warrior was chamberlain to *John*, DUKE OF BEDFORD, whilst regent of France, and was constituted by that prince governor of the castle of Gallyard, in Normandy. He continued abroad twenty years, and sent home a model and plan for rebuilding his castle of Streatlam, to which he retired on his return, and resided there to a great age, being commonly known as "old Sir William Bowes." He *m.* Joan, daughter of Ralph, Lord Greystock, and acquired by the alliance the manor of Newton, in Durham.

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, his son and successor, was warden for many years of the Middle March against Scotland, and high sheriff of Northumberland. He wedded Maud, daughter of Henry, Lord Fitzhugh, baron of Ravensworth, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Robert, } both predeceased their father *s. p.*
Thomas, }
RALPH, who inherited the estates of the family upon the demise of his brother issueless.
Margery, *m.* to William Hilton, of Hilton.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir R. Bulmer, of Witton.
Catherine, *m.* to Sir Richard Conyers.
Margaret, *m.* to Sir Humphrey L'Isle.
Isabel, *m.* to Sir John Swinowes.
Anne, *m.* to Ralph Wycliffe.

Sir William was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, knt. who *m.* the niece of Lawrence Booth, bishop of Durham, but dying without issue, in 1474, the family estates devolved upon his brother,

SIR RALPH BOWES, knt. who *m.* Margery, daughter and co-heir of Richard Conyers, of South Cowton, and had issue,

RALPH, his successor.
ROBERT, successor to his nephew.
RICHARD.

Sir Ralph Bowes was *s.* by his eldest son, another

SIR RALPH BOWES, a military officer of distinction, who received the honour of knighthood on the field of Flodden. He *m.* Elizabeth, sister of Henry, first earl of Cumberland, and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor.
Margery.
Anne.
Agnes.

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Sir Ralph dying in 1516, was *s.* by his only son,

SIR GEORGE BOWES, of Dawden, who *m.* Muriel Eure, grandaughter of William, Lord Eure, of Witton, and had three daughters, viz.

1. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Blackiston, esq. of Blackiston.
2. Dorothy, *m.* to Sir Cuthbert Collingwood, of Eslinton, in the county of Northumberland.
3. Anne.

Sir George dying thus without male issue, was succeeded by his uncle,

SIR ROBERT BOWES, knt. who was master of the rolls, privy councillor to *King* HENRY VIII. and warden of the Middle Marches. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Sir James Metcalfe, knt. but dying without surviving issue, the family estates devolved upon his brother,

RICHARD BOWES, of Aske, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Sir Roger Aske, of Aske, knt. and had, with several daughters,

GEORGE (Sir).

Robert, ambassador to Scotland with his elder brother, Sir George. He *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Sir Richard Musgrave, of Hartley.

The elder son,

SIR GEORGE BOWES, knt. became heir-general of the family, and to him descended the Dawdon estates, with other possessions, in the eastern part of the county of Durham. He was made knight-marshall by special commission, for his signal services to *Queen* ELIZABETH. When the Earls of Westmoreland and Northumberland reared the Standard of revolt in the North, Sir George was the only person of great influence that opposed the insurgents, having, for that purpose, fortified himself in Barnard Castle. He was in many commissions for treaties with Scotland, and had other marks of confidence and trust. Sir George *m.* twice; first, Dorothy, daughter of Sir William Mallory, of Studley, near Ripon, in the county of York, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Robert, killed in the Keswick mines, in 1610.

George, of Biddick, who *m.* Magdalen, daughter of Sir Edward Bray, and had issue,

1. GEORGE, successor to his uncle.
2. Robert, of Beddick, who *m.* in 1620, Joan, daughter of Robert Hutton, D. D. prebendary of Durham, and had several children.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Charles Wandesford, of Kirtlington, in the county of York.

Anne, *m.* to Sir John Conyers.

The knight marshall espoused, secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir John Talbot, of Albrighton, in the county of Salop, knt. and had several children. It appears that, by a strange will or entail made by Sir George about the year 1590, the estate of Streatlam, with the great bulk of his property, passed to SIR TALBOT BOWES, his son by the second marriage; and thus his eldest son, by his former wife, was deprived of his birthright, and only inherited from his father the estate and lordship of BRADLEY HALL, which had been acquired by a grant from the crown 14th of Elizabeth. The younger branch, having in this manner become possessed of the immense estates of Sir George, continued for a long time to be one of the most considerable families of the county palatine, until the property finally came to (the descendant of the second marriage)

GEORGE BOWES, esq. of Streatlam, whose only daughter and heiress,

MARY-ELEANOR, espoused, first, John, ninth Earl of Strathmore, who thereupon assumed the surname of BOWES, and had, with other issue,

1. JOHN, who succeeded as tenth Earl of Strathmore, and was enrolled among the peers of the United Kingdom by the title of BARON BOWES, of *Streatlam Castle*, 18th July, 1815. His lordship *m.* in 1820, Miss Mary Milner, of Staindrop, in the county of Durham, but dying the day after his nuptials, the Scottish peerage devolved upon his brother, while the principal part of his fortune, including Streatlam, passed by will to his son,

   JOHN BOWES, esq. the present proprietor of Streatlam Castle, who unsuccessfully claimed the family honors.

2. THOMAS, present *Earl* of

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STRATHMORE (see *Burke's Peerage*).

Mary-Eleanor, Countess of Strathmore, *m.* secondly, Andrew Robinson Stoney, esq. of the King's county, who likewise assumed the name of BOWES.

Sir George Bowes' eldest son, by his first marriage,

SIR WILLIAM BOWES, knt. of Bradley Hall, was frequently employed in embassies to Scotland, and was treasurer of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the reign of JAMES I. He *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Henry, ninth LORD SCROPE, of *Bolton*, and upon the decease of her uncle, Emanuel, EARL OF SUNDERLAND, heir to that Barony. By this lady he had an only daughter, Mary, *m.* to Sir William Eure. He espoused, secondly, Isabel, daughter of judge Wray, and relict of Godfrey Foljambe, esq. but had no further issue. Dying thus, Sir William was *s.* by his nephew,

SIR GEORGE BOWES, knt. of Bradley Hall, heir-general to all the family. This gentleman *m.* Mary, eldest daughter of Sir Ralph Delaval, of Seaton Delaval, and was *s.* by his son,

RALPH BOWES, esq. of Bradley Hall, who *m.* 29th January, 1649, Margaret, second daughter of Sir Joseph Cradock, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE BOWES, esq. of Bradley Hall, who was himself *s.* by his son,

THOMAS BOWES, esq. of Bradley Hall, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Pickering, esq. of Hedley Hall, and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor, who *d.* without issue.

ROBERT, *m.* to Ann, only daughter and heiress of Ralph Clement, esq. and had issue,

1. THOMAS, present possessor of Bradley, and representative of the ancient family of BOWES.
2. Ann, *m.* to — Smithson, esq. and had a son, G. T. Smithson, esq.

Sarah, *m.* to Captain Nugent.

Jane, *m.* to Jacob Grieve, esq.

Arms—QUARTERS:

1st for BOWES.—Ermine, three bows strung in pale gu.

2nd for TRAYNE.—Arg. a cross flory, between four martlets az.

3rd for DE LA HAY.—Arg. a fess between six martlets gu.

4th for DAWDEN.—Arg. three fesses az. a border eng. gu.

5th for CONYERS of BOULBY.—Az. a maunch or, debruised by a bendlet checky ermine and or.

6th for FITZ HUGH.—Az. a chief and three chevronells conjoined in base or.

7th for GREY.—Gu. a lion rampant within a border eng. arg.

8th for CONYERS OF SOUTH COWTON.—Az. a maunch or.

9th for ASKE.—Az. four fesses or.

10th.—As first.

Crest—A sheaf of arrows or, bound in a girdle az. surmounted with the motto—*Sans variance et mon droit.*

Motto—In multis—in magnis—in bonis expertus.

Estate—Bradley Hall, in the parish of Wolsingham, in the county of Durham, acquired, by grant from the crown, as part of the forfeited possession of the Earl of Westmoreland, temp. ELIZABETH.

Seat—Bradley Hall, Durham.

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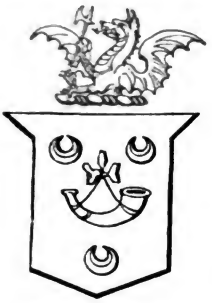
SPOONER-LILLINGSTON, OF ELMDON.

LILLINGSTON-SPOONER, ABRAHAM, esq. of Elmdon, in the county of Warwick, *b.* in 1770, *m.* in 1797, Elizabeth-Mary-Agnes, only daughter and heiress of Luke Lillingston, esq. of Ferryby Grange, in the county of York, by whom (who *d.* 6th January, 1830) he has issue,



ISAAC-WILLIAM, *m.* 9th January, 1832, Katherine Innes, only daughter of the late Hugh Lindsay, esq. and great niece and sole-heiress of the late Sir Hugh-Innes, of Balmacara House.

Charles, *m.* in 1827, Harriette, only daughter of the Rev. Charles William Fonnereau, of Christ Church, Suffolk, and has issue.

Alfred.

George, *m.* 26th June, 1832, Barbara Ann, only child of Henry Spooner, esq.

Edward.

This gentleman, whose patronymic is SPOONER, assumed by letters patent, upon marrying the heiress and representative of LILLINGSTON, the additional surname and arms of that family.

Lineage.

FAMILY OF SPOONER.

The SPOONERS were in possession of property in the vicinity of Birmingham temp. HENRY VIII., and at Henwood Hall, in the county of Warwick, towards the close of the fifteenth century.

JOHN SPOONER, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, *b.* in 1600, had two sons,

JOHN, *b.* in 1640, who *d.* unmarried.

and

ABRAHAM SPOONER, esq. who *m.* first, Ursula Hades, by whom he had an only son, Isaac, *b.* in 1665, who espoused Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Richard Brandwood, esq. of Little Bromwick, in the county of Warwick, but *d.* without issue. Mr. Spooner wedded, secondly, ——, and had a son,

ABRAHAM SPOONER, esq. *b.* in 1690, who *m.* first, Anne, daughter of George Birch, esq. of Harbourn, in the county of Warwick, and sister of Sir Thomas Birch, one of the judges in the reign of GEORGE II. by whom he had an only daughter,

ANN, *m.* to Capel Bond, esq. of Coventry, and *d. s. p.* about the year 1814.

He espoused, secondly, Anne, daughter of Richard Knight, esq. of Downton Castle, in the county of Hereford, and had further issue,

ISAAC, his heir.

Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried in 1815.

Mary, *d.* unmarried in 1823.

Christiana, *m.* to Richard Geast, esq. of Moseley, in the county of Worcester, and *d.* a widow, in 1825, issueless.

The eldest son,

ISAAC SPOONER, esq. *b.* in 1736; wedded Barbara, eldest daughter of Sir Henry Gough, bart. and sister of the first Lord Calthorpe, by whom he had six sons and three daughters, viz.

ABRAHAM, present proprietor.

Isaac, *b.* in 1774, who *m.* Lucy, daughter of John Tyler, esq. of Redlands, Gloucestershire.

Henry, *b.* in 1776, who *m.* Ann-Jane, daughter of Nathaniel Palmer-John-

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son, esq. of Burleigh-fields, Leicestershire.

William, *b.* in 1778, who *m.* Anna-Maria, fifth daughter of Sir Lucius O'Brien, bart. of Dromoland Castle, in the county of Clare.

Richard, *b.* in 1783, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of Dr. Wetherall, Dean of Hereford.

John, *b.* in 1785.

Barbara, *m.* in 1797, to William Wilberforce, esq. M.P. for the county of York.

Ann, *m.* to Rev. Edward Vansittart-Neale, esq. of Allesley Park, Warwickshire.

Eliza, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Spooner was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, ABRAHAM SPOONER, esq. who has assumed, as stated above, the additional surname of LILLINGSTON, and is the present representative of the family.

FAMILY OF LILLINGSTON.

Of this family, supposed to be of German extraction, was

COLONEL HENRY LILLINGSTON, *b.* in 1620, who served under General Monck, in the civil wars. He had two sons,

HENRY, who *d.* unmarried.

and

LUKE LILLINGSTON, a soldier of distinction, who attained the rank of general in the army, and was entrusted with the command of an expedition to the West Indies in 1695. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Robert Saunderson, esq. of Bonnel, in the province of Guelderland, by whom he had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Catherine, only daughter and heiress of Colonel Hassel, of Kirby Grindilith, in the county of York, and relict of Colonel Towey. Dying, however, issueless, General Lillingston was *s.* in the estates of Ferriby Grange and Kirby Grindilith, by his sister's son,

LILLINGSTON BOWDEN, esq. *b.* in 1672, who assumed the surname and arms of LILLINGSTON, and marrying the daughter of William Dawson, esq. of Farlington, in the county of York, had issue,

LUKE, his successor.

Agnes, *m.* to William Thompson, esq. of Humbleton, Yorkshire.

Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Arthur Robinson, vicar of Hull.

Mary, *m.* to John Pownal, esq. father of the present Sir George Pownal.

The only son and successor,

LUKE LILLINGSTON, esq. espoused Willielma-Joanna, second daughter of Abel Dottin, esq. of English, in Oxfordshire, grandfather of Abel R. Dottin, esq. late M.P. for Southampton, by whom he had an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH - MARY - AGNES, who espoused, as stated above, ABRAHAM SPOONER, esq.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, for LILLINGSTON, a bugle, stringed, between three crescents; second and third, for SPOONER, az. a boar's head in bend ar. armed or, couped, guttée de sang.

Estates—Manors of Ward End, purchased in 1730, and of Elmdon in 1760, and of Hampton-in-Arden, all in the county of Warwick; together with estates in Dorsetshire and Devonshire.

Seat—Elmdon, near Warwick.

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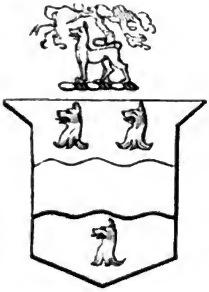
WOLFERSTAN, OF STATFOLD HALL.



WOLFERSTAN-PIPE, STANLEY, esq. of Statfold Hall, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 21st March, 1785, *m.* 21st July, 1817, Elizabeth-Jervis, eldest daughter of Swynfen-Jervis, esq. of Kensington, and grandaughter of Philip Jervis, esq. of Netherseale, in Leicestershire, by whom he has issue,

1. FRANCIS-STAFFORD, *b.* 14th October, 1826.
2. Grace.
3. Anna-Maria.
4. Margaret-Jane.
5. Frances-Elizabeth.
6. Another daughter.

Mr. Wolferstan succeeded to the estates upon the decease of his father in 1820.

Lineage.

ROBERT WOLFERSTON, esq. of Wolferston, in Suffolk, made his will in 1492, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WOLVERSTON, esq. of Culfye, in Suffolk, who *m.* Mawde (or Mary), daughter of Sir Humphry Stanley, of Pype, Knight of the body to *King* HENRY VII. and had issue,

PHILIP, of Wolverston Hall, in Suffolk, who left an only daughter,

MARY, *m.* to Sir John Kelligrew, knt. of Arwenack, in Cornwall.

HUMPHRY, of whom presently,

Sampson, *m.* in July, 1558, Jane Larance, and had several children.

Robert.

Thomas.

Simon.

John.

Margaret, *m.* to Robert, son and heir of Richard Everard, esq. of Hether, in the county of Leicester.

Anna, *m.* to Hugh Massye.

The second son,

HUMPHREY WOLFERSTON, esq. *m.* Katherine, daughter of John Stanley, esq. of Grove, in the county of Nottingham, by whom he acquired the Manor of Statfold, in Staffordshire, and had issue,

HERCY, his successor.

Stanley.

Thomas.

Hastings, *m.* to Alice Mowlde.

Humphry.

James.

Mawde, *m.* to Thomas Arblaster, esq. of Longdon, in the county of Stafford.

Dorothy.

Elizabeth.

Katherine, *m.* to Ralph Thicknesse, esq. of Balterley, in Staffordshire.

Brigitta.

Mr. Wolferston *d.* about the year 1592, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HERCY WOLFERSTON, esq. who *m.* 18th September, 1593, Mary, daughter of Ralph Egerton, esq. of Betley, and had issue,

Walter, *d.* in infancy.

FRANCISSE, his successor.

Richard, *d.* young.

Katherine, *m.* to John Bromefield, and had issue,

Mr. Wolferston, who was sometimes styled Captain Wolferston, and is supposed to have been at the taking of Cadiz in 1595, *d.* 28th July, 1636, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

FRANCISSE WOLFERSTON, esq. baptized 3rd May, 1612, who *m.* 29th Sept. 1631, Frances, eldest of twenty-two children of George Middlemore, esq. of Haslewell, and

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had a numerous issue, of which three sons and three daughters lived to maturity, viz.

FRANCIS, his successor.

Middlemore, *b.* 18th August, 1643, who *d.* unmarried.

Stanford, M. A. in holy orders, Vicar of Wotton-Wawen, and Fellow of King's College, Cambridge, who *m.* first, in 1679, Isabella, daughter of John Hinckley, D.D. Rector of Northfield, in the county of Worcester, by whom (who *d.* in 1680) he had an only child, Francis, who *d.* in infancy. He espoused secondly, Susanna, daughter of Mr. John Creed, of Cambridge, and left issue at his decease 29th September, 1698,

1. STANFORD, of whom hereafter, as heir to his uncle.
2. Edward, *b.* in 1691, who *d. s. p.* in 1761, and was buried at Tamworth.
3. Francis, in holy orders, Rector of Drayton Basset, in the county of Stafford, and of Grendon, in the county of Warwick, *d. s. p.* in 1758.
4. Nicholas, who resided at Bury, in the county of Devon. He *m.* twice, but left issue only by his first wife (Elizabeth, daughter of George Phillips, esq. of Cornwall), viz.

   Edward, who had two wives, but left issue by the second only, viz.

   Nicholas, *b.* in 1774, who *d.* unmarried in 1799.

   Mary, *m.* to Rev. William Chanter, curate of Hartland, and had issue.

   Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Thomas, master of a grammar school at Bristol, and had issue.

   Frances.

   Sarah, who *d.* unmarried in 1814.

   Hester.
5. Humphrey, Solicitor in Tamworth.

Grace, *d.* unm. in 1720.

Anne, *m.* in 1662, to Edward Arblaster, esq. of Lyswis, grandson of Sir Thomas Arblaster.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Bott, esq. of Dunstall, in the county of Stafford, and had, with three other daughters,

GRACE, who espoused the Rev. Humphrey Pipe, M.A. youngest of the branch springing from John de Pype, living temp. RICHARD II. and had issue, an only son,

SAMUEL PIPE, in holy orders, M.A. vicar of Croxall, in the county of Derby, and rector of Walton on Trent, in the same shire, *b.* in August, 1719, who *m.* 19th September, 1749, DOROTHY, eldest daughter of STANFORD WOLFERSTAN, esq. of Statfold Hall, by whom (who *d.* 26th October, 1754), he had several children, mentioned hereafter.

The eldest son,

FRANCIS WOLFERSTON, esq. purchased, in 1685, the manor and a considerable part of the lands of Harlaston, in the county of Stafford. This gentleman was the particular friend and fellow amateur of Dr. Plot, the historian of Staffordshire, who incribes his first plate to him, and frequently quotes him as an authority for his narrative. He was likewise a maker of indifferent verses; among others, a translation of *Ovid de arte amandi.* In 1667 he began to write his name *Wolferstan*, an orthography his brother and posterity continued.

Mr. Wolferstan was a barrister of good practice until the Revolution, but ever after one of the stiffest of non-jurors. He *m.* twice, but left issue only by his first wife, Hester,* daughter of John Bowyer, esq. of Biddulph (by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Bowyer), viz. an only daughter,

ANN, heiress to her father's purchased estates. She was second wife to Sir John Egerton, bart. of Wrinehill, but dying in 1726, without surviving issue, devised her possessions to Sir

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* The following lines to the memory of this lady, who *d.* in 1673, were inscribed by her husband, in the church of Statfold.

If sober sweetnes, chearfull modestie,
If prudence, patience, piety, a hie,
And fruitful faith, health, wealth or beuty could
Defend from death, she had not dy'd, but stood
A liveing monument of these, before
She's gon, she's dead to live, and die no more.

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John Egerton's third son, by a former marriage.

At Mr. Wolferstan's decease, thus without male issue, Statfold devolved upon his nephew and heir in tail,

STANFORD WOLFERSTAN, esq. an active magistrate for the counties of Stafford and Warwick, who *m.* Sarah, youngest daughter of Sir Edward Littleton, bart. and had issue,

Littleton, who *d. s. p.* before his father, in 1769.

DOROTHY, who *m.* in 1749, the Rev. SAMUEL PIPE, M. A. Rector of Walton-on-Trent, by whom (who *d.* 15th February, 1779) she had issue,

1. SAMUEL, inheritor of Statfold, of whom presently.
2. Humphrey, of Uttoxeter, who *m.* in 1776, Elizabeth, daughter of Charles Pestell, esq. and had one son, Samuel, who *d.* young.
3. Sarah-Grace, *m.* to James Bell, of Uttoxeter, and had issue, a son, Samuel, *b.* 17th January, 1789, who *m.* Katherine, daughter of Simon Mountfort, esq. of Beamhurst, and three daughters, Sarah-Grace, Ann-Mary, and Dorothy de Pipe.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* in 1775, to the Rev. George Greaves, Rector of Stanton, and of Swarkston, both in the county of Derby, and had issue, a son, George, who *d.* in 1801, with four daughters, Lydia-Elizabeth, the wife of the Rev. Paul Belcher, Dorothy-Catherine, Frances, and Georgiana, *m.* to W. D. Flamsteed, esq.

Sarah, *m.* in 1737, to Joseph Girdler, esq. barrister at law, son and heir of Serjeant Joseph Girdler, of Haselor, in the county of Stafford, and dying in 1781, left issue,

1. Joseph-Bayntum-Girdler, who *d.* in 1787.
2. John-Stanford-Girdler, *b.* in 1751, of Haselor, *m.* Mrs. Letitia Jones, and had issue.
3. Frances-Lucy Girdler, *d.* in 1801.

Joyce, *m.* first, to Edward Littleton, esq. of the Moat, by whom she had no issue. She espoused secondly, Edward Plaisted, esq. of Bolehall, near Tamworth, and left at her decease in 1775, an only surviving daughter, Mary-Elizabeth, second wife of the Rev. Martin Stafford Smith, of Bath, Rector of Fladbury, in the county of Worcester.

Hester, *d.* unmarried in 1746.

Frances, of Widcombe House, near Bath, *d.* in 1797, unmarried.

Elizabeth, *m.* in 1773, to Thomas Hedges, esq. of Week, in the county of Devon, major in the North Devon militia, and *d.* in 1811, *s. p.*

Mr. Stanford Wolferstan dying 2nd July, 1772, devised his estates,* after the decease of his wife, to his grandson,

SAMUEL PIPE, esq. who inheriting them upon the demise of that lady, assumed, in 1776, by sign manual, the surname and arms of WOLFERSTAN. He *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of Walter Biddulph, esq. of Barton-under-Needwood, uncle to Sir Theophilus Biddulph, bart. and had issue,

STANLEY, present proprietor.

Margaret, *m.* in 1817, to Charles Salt, esq.

He espoused secondly, 4th October, 1796, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Philip Jervis, esq. cousin of John, Earl St. Vincent, but had no further issue.

Mr. Pipe Wolferstan, a diligent and accomplished antiquary, *d.* in 1820, and was *s.* by his son, STANLEY PIPE-WOLFERSTAN, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Quarterly; for WOLFERSTAN. Sa. a fess wavy between three wolves' heads erased or. For PIPE. Az. two organ pipes in chev. between ten cross crosslets or.

Crests—For WOLFERSTAN. A wolf under a tree all ppr. For PIPE. A Leopard's head erased or.

Estates—Statfold, in the county of Stafford, first possessed in 1560, Hearthcote, in the county of Derby, and Pipe, near Lichfield, an ancient property of that family, repurchased in 1800 from the Welds, of Dorsetshire, by the late Mr. Pipe Wolferstan.

Seat—Statfold Hall, near Tamworth.

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* With remainder to his grandson Humphrey Pipe, and his other grandsons, the GIRDLERS, in strict settlement, and all taking the name and arms of WOLFERSTAN.

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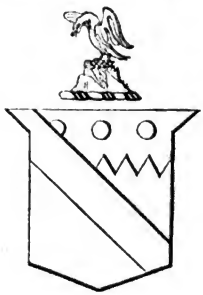
LATHAM, OF BRADWALL.

LATHAM, JOHN, esq. of Bradwall Hall, in the county of Chester, M.D. of Brasenose College, Oxford, late President of the Royal College of Physicians, London, F.R.S. L.S. &c. *b.* 29th December, 1761, *m.* 12th April, 1784, Mary, eldest daughter and co-heiress of the Reverend Peter Meyer, (see family of Meyer at foot) Vicar of Prestbury, and has issue,



JOHN, LL.D. sometime of All Soul's college, Oxford, *b.* 18th March, 1787; *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Dampier, knt. late one of the judges of the court of king's bench.

Peter-Mere, M.D. of Brasenose college, Oxford, fellow of the royal college of physicians, *b.* 1st July, 1789; *m.* Diana-Clarissa, daughter of Major-general the Hon. Granville-Anson Chetwynd-Stapylton.

Henry, M.A. of Brasenose College, Oxford, in holy orders, *b.* 4th November, 1794; *m.* Maria, daughter of James Halliwell, esq. of Broomfield, in Lancashire.

Sarah, *m.* to George Ormerod, esq. of Sedbury Park, in the county of Gloucester, and has issue.

Frances, *d.* unmarried in 1829.

Doctor Latham succeeded his father 21st June, 1783.

Lineage

This is a junior branch of the ancient Cheshire house of LATHOM, of Lathom and Knowsley, which terminated in an heiress, ISABELLA LATHAM, who *m.* Sir John Stanley, knt. ancestor of the earls of Derby, by which alliance the Stanleys acquired, with other lands, the estate of Knowsley, in Lancashire, which has since been their chief seat. This line divided itself into various branches, amongst which the estate was partitioned, and immediate traces of connexion lost, but in the reign of HENRY VIII. ALEXANDER DE LATHAM occurs in existing deeds, as seised of lands in Astbury, and using the same arms: and from him property descended lineally to the present proprietor of Bradwall.

ALEXANDER LATHAM, of Congleton, in Cheshire, living in the time of HENRY VIII. was father of

JOHN LATHAM, of Congleton, who *m.* 9th February, 1578, Margaret, daughter of — Wardle, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN LATHAM, of Congleton, *b.* 25th October, 1579; *m.* 2nd February, 1607, Priscilla, daughter of — Ley, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Edward, who left issue.

John, in holy orders, vicar of Bedingfield, in Suffolk, father of

JOHN, rector of Westleigh, in the same county.

Elizabeth.

Anne.

Margaret.

John Latham *d.* 31st December, 1631, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN LATHAM, of Congleton, *b.* in 1609, and dying in 1670, was *s.* by his son,

THE REV. JOHN LATHAM, rector of Lawton, in Cheshire, *b.* in 1636; *m.* 31st March, 1692, Maria, daughter of — Moreton, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Hester, *m.* to the Rev. William Hall, rector of Gawsworth, and *d. s. p.*

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Mr. Latham *d.* 5th June, 1705, and was *s.* by his son,

THE REV. JOHN LATHAM, minister of Bunney, in the county of Notts, and of Woolstrop, in Leicestershire, *b.* 11th November, 1694; *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Knott, esq. of Great Gonerby, in Lincolnshire, and had two sons,

JOHN, his successor.

Charles, of Waltham, in Leicestershire, *m.* and had issue.

Mr. Latham was *s.* by his elder son,

THE REV. JOHN LATHAM, B.A. of Oriel College, Oxford, minister of Siddington, in Cheshire, *b.* 28th November, 1725; *m.* 9th June, 1753, Sarah, daughter of Richard Podmore, esq. of Sandbach, in the same county, and had issue,

JOHN, M.D. present proprietor of Bradwell Hall, in the county of Chester.

Richard, of Sandbach, *m.* Sarah, daughter of Charles Latham, esq. of Waltham, in the county of Leicester, and has issue.

Mr. Latham *d.* 21st June, 1783, and was buried at Prestbury, in the county of Chester.

Arms—Erm. on a chief indented az. three besants, over all a bend gules.

Crest—On a rock ppr. an eagle with wings elevated erminois, preying on a child ppr. swaddled az. banded ar.

Estates—The manor of Bradwall, in Cheshire, purchased by the present proprietor, with various other minor estates, in the same county, inherited from the Meres and Ardernes.

Seat—Bradwall Hall, Cheshire.

FAMILY OF MERE.

PETER MERE, of Hough, son and heir of William Mere, of Mere, *m.* Frances, daughter of John Gerton, of Burton upon Trent, and had issue,

PETER, *d. s. p.* in 1737.

Henry, *d. s. p.* in 1746.

Nathaniel.

Peter Mere *d.* in 1720, and was *s.* by his eldest son, PETER, who dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his brother HENRY, but he dying likewise issueless, the estates and representation devolved upon the youngest son,

NATHANIEL MEYER, of Macclesfield, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of William Lingard, and had issue,

PETER, his successor.

Henry, in holy orders, M.A. fellow of Brasenose college, Oxford, and rector of Cottingham, in Northamptonshire, *m.* Eton, daughter of — Jefferies, of Northwich, but *d. s. p.* in 1780.

Mary, *d.* 4th January, 1733.

The eldest son,

THE REV. PETER MEYER, vicar of Prestbury, in the county of Chester, *b.* 30th March, 1728; *m.* 26th December, 1753, Martha, second daughter and co-heiress of John Arderne, esq. of the Oak, in Sutton, Cheshire, and of Romsey, in Hants, and left at his decease, in 1785, two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

MARY, *m.* to the present JOHN LATHAM, M.D. of Bradwall Hall.

FRANCES, *m.* to the Rev. David Davies, D.D. of Macclesfield, and died 15th October, 1797, leaving an only daughter,

FRANCES DAVIES.

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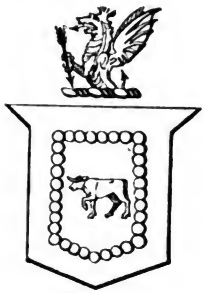
COLE, OF STOKE LYNE.

COLE, STEPHEN-THOMAS, esq. of Stoke Lyne, in the county of Oxford, and of Twickenham, Middlesex, *b.* 26th April, 1765; *m.* 19th January, 1795, Lady Elizabeth Stanley, second daughter of the Earl of Derby, and niece to the Dukes of Hamilton and Argyll, by whom he has issue,



EDWARD, captain in the Oxford Militia, *m.* to Mary-Letitia, daughter of Sir Henry Parnell, bart. and relict of Lord Henry Seymour Moore.
George.
Mowbray, an officer in the army.
Burton-Stanley.
Elizabeth.
Catherine.

Mr. Cole *s.* to the representation of the family upon the demise of his father.

Lineage.

The Cole family has been seated at Twickenham, in Middlesex, for several generations, and may be found in the church registers as early as 1584. Previous to the usurpation of Cromwell, the Coles possessed nearly the whole place; and there is a fine monument of them in Petersham church, erected in 1624.

One branch of the family was elevated to the rank of baronet in 1640.

The present possessor of Stoke Lyne, in Oxfordshire, is the eldest son of the late Major Cole, of the 98th regiment, by Isabella, eldest daughter of the late Sir Henry Ibbetson, bart. and inherited his estate in the county of Oxford from the Countess of Shipbrook, only daughter of Samuel Ibbotson, esq. elder brother of Sir Henry Ibbetson, bart. and widow of the Earl of Shipbrook. Francis Burton, esq. first cousin to the late Major Cole, represented the town of Woodstock, previously to the city of Oxford, for many sessions in parliament. He was also recorder of both places, joint justice of Chester, and one of his majesty's council.

Arms—Ar. a bull passant gu. armed or, within a bordure sa. bezantée.

Crest—A demi-griphon holding an arrow or, headed and feathered arg.

Motto—Deum Cole, regem serva.

Estates—Stoke Lyne, and Fencott, near Bicester, Oxfordshire, inherited, in 1719, from the Countess of Shipbrook.

Seats—Stoke Lyne, Oxfordshire; and Twickenham, Middlesex.

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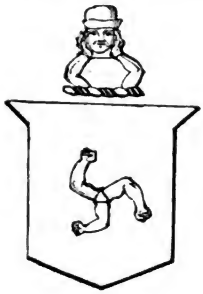
TREMAYNE, OF HELIGAN.

TREMAYNE, JOHN-HEARLE, esq. of Heligan, in Cornwall, and of Sydenham, in the county of Devon; *b.* 17th March, 1780, *m.* 11th January, 1813, Caroline-Matilda, youngest daughter of Sir William Lemon, Baronet, of Carclew, and has issue,



JOHN, *b.* 15th April, 1825.
Arthur, *b.* 15th May, 1827.
Henry-Hawkins, *b.* 24th March, 1830.
Harriet-Jane.
Mary.

Mr. Tremayne, who has represented Cornwall in Parliament, inherited the estates from his father, the Reverend Henry Hawkins Tremayne.

Lineage.

From the Manor of TREMAYNE, in the parish of St. Martin, on the banks of Helford-Haven, this family derived at a very remote period its designation, and in the reign of EDWARD III. we find residing there PERYS TREMAYNE, who, by his wife, Dame Opre Treskewys, was father of

JOHN TREMAYNE, to whom, having no issue himself, succeeded his brother,

PERYS TREMAYNE, who *m.* Onera Trevartea, and was grandfather of

THOMAS TREMAYNE. This was the last resident of the family at Tremayne. He espoused Isabella, daughter and sole heiress of Trenchard, of Collacombe, in the parish of Lamerton, and removed in consequence to that estate, where his descendants flourished for more than three centuries, enjoying the highest degree of reputation. By the heiress of the Trenchards he had issue,

NICHOLAS, his successor.
Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Auton Giffard, in Devonshire, and canon of St. Peter's, Exeter.

The lady (Isabella Trenchard) surviving her husband, remarried with Sir John Dammerel, and acquired so much influence over her second lord, that he settled upon her and her heirs by Tremayne (she had no children by Dammerel) NORTH HUISH, SYDENHAM-DAMEREL, with other lands, and appointed her executrix by his will, dated before the feast of Simon and Jude, 1392. Thomas Tremayne was *s.* by his elder son,

NICHOLAS TREMAYNE, who was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS TREMAYNE, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of —— Carew. In 1448, Edmund Lacy, Bishop of Exeter, granted license unto this Thomas Tremayne and his wife, "that they might have divine service celebrated in their presence within the Manor of Collacombe." They had issue a son and heir,

JOHN TREMAYNE, of Collacombe, who wedded —— daughter of —— Warr, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
Richard who was seated at Tregonnan, in the parish of St. Eue, in Cornwall, and was ancestor of

LEWIS TREMAYNE, of Heligan, who commanded a regiment of foot for *King* CHARLES I., and was lieutenant Governor of Pendinnis Castle. This gallant person had two sons,

1. John (Sir), serjeant at law, who *d.* issueless.
2. Charles, whose son,

LEWIS TREMAYNE, *m.* the co-heiress of Clotwor-

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thy, in Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN, who espoused Grace, daughter and heir of Henry Hawkins, esq. of St. Austell, and left a son,

The Rev. HENRY HAWKINS TREMAYNE, of whom hereafter, as representative of the family at the decease of Arthur Tremayne, esq. of Sydenham, in 1808.

Mr. Tremayne was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN TREMAYNE, of Collacombe, high sheriff of Cornwall, in the second of HENRY VII. (1485). This gentleman wedded Philippa, eldest daughter of Roger Grenville, of Stowe, in the same county, and had eight sons with as many daughters, the former were

1. ROGER, who *d. s.p.*
2. Edmond, of whom Prince, in his worthies of Devon, gives the following account. "Being a younger brother he became servant to Edward, Marquess of Exeter, and a great sufferer for his inviolable fidelity to his noble master:—for when the Marquess of Exeter, and the *Lady* ELIZABETH, (afterwards Queen of England, of Glorious Memory), were committed to the Tower in *Queen* MARY's days, upon an accusation of being privy to Wyat's conspiracy, Mr. Edmund Tremayne was set on the rack, thereby to extort from him a confession of their guilt (prisoners were oft examined about her, and some were put to the rack to try if they could be brought to accuse that lady); wherein approving their innocency and his own fidelity, with invincible resolution, he was upon the Lady Elizabeth's advancement to the throne made one of the clerks of her Majesty's most honorable privy council. He had also an honorary salary settled upon him by the city of Exeter, for the good offices it had received and expected from him. He *m.* Eulalia, daughter of Sir John Saint Leger, and had two sons, named Francis, who both died issueless."
3. DIGORY, eventual successor to the estates.
4. Richard, (twin with John) in holy orders, and an eminent divine. He was educated at Oxford, and became a fellow of Exeter College, in that University, which he retained until the accession of *Queen* MARY, when he was obliged from his zeal for the reformation to seek an asylum in Germany, having been deprived of his fellowship. Upon the elevation of ELIZABETH to the throne he returned from exile, and visiting his college had the honor of receiving both degrees of divinity at once on the 15th February, 1565. Doctor Tremayne subsequently removed to Gates Hall, and thence passed within a short period into his own county, being instituted Canon Residentiary of St. Peters, Exeter, and treasurer of that church. He was esteemed in his time a famous preacher, and he is styled by Carew—"Well born, learned, and well beloved." He *m.* Joan, eldest daughter of Sir Piers Courtenay, of Ugbrook, but *d. s. p.* in 1584.
5. John, twin with his brother Doctor Tremayne.
6. Nicholas } twins, between these bro-
7. Andrew } thers so great a resemblance in person and sympathy of affection subsisted, as scarcely to have been paralleled in any other instance. Risden, in his survey of Devon, relates the following singular facts regarding them. "Nicholas and Andrew Tremayne were twins and younger sons of Thomas Tremayne, esq. of Callacumbe, in this county; they were so like in all their lineaments, so equal in statures, so coloured in hair, and of such resemblance in face and gesture, that they could not be known the one from the other; no not by their parents, brethren, or sisters, but privately by some secret mark, or openly by wearing some several coloured ribond or the like: which in sport, they would sometimes change to make trial of their friends' judgments, which would often occasion many mirthful mistakes. Yet somewhat more strange it was, that they agreed in mind and affection as much as in body; for what one loved, the other desired; so on the contrary, the loathing of the one was the dislike of the other. Yea! such a consideration of inbred power and sympathy was in their natures, that if Nicholas was sick and grieved, Andrew felt the like pain, though they were far distant and remote from each other; this too without any intelligence given unto either party. And what is farther observable, if

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Andrew was merry, Nicholas was so affected although in different places; which they could not long endure to be, for they ever desired to eat, drink, sleep, and wake together. Yea! so they lived and so they died. In the year 1564 they both served in the wars at Newhaven, in France (now better known by the name of Havre de Grace), where in this they something differed (though it being in that which was without them, was not much in them) that the one was a captain of a troop of horse, and the other a private soldier; but still with the same sympathy of affection. Being both to the last degree brave, they put themselves into posts of greatest hazard. At length one of the brothers was slain, and the other instantly stepped into his place, and there in the midst of danger, no persuasion being able to remove him, he was also slain."*

8. Robert, who died an infant.

The two elder sons, ROGER and EDMUND, dying issueless, the estates eventually devolved upon the third son,

DIGORY TREMAYNE, esq. who thus became of Collacombe, and was *s.* by his son,

ARTHUR TREMAYNE, esq. of Collacombe. This gentleman *m.* in 1586, Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Greville knt., of Stowe, by whom he had a numerous family, and dying in 1634, was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDMUND TREMAYNE, esq. of Collacombe, who wedded Bridget, daughter of Sir John Cooper, of Dorsetshire, and had issue,

John, Thomas, } both died unmarried.

JOHN, one of the most gallant and devoted of the CAVALIERS in the unfortunate civil wars. He endured much personal suffering and great losses by his fidelity to his royal master, and died in the life time of his father, anno 1664.

Edmund, like his brother, a distinguished and faithful adherent of *King* CHARLES I. He *d.* unmarried in 1667.

ARTHUR.

The youngest son, eventually inheriting the estates, became

ARTHUR TREMAYNE, esq. of Collacombe. This gentleman was a colonel in the army. He *m.* Bridget, daughter of Nicholas Hatherliegh, esq. of Lamerton, and was father of

EDMUND TREMAYNE, esq. of Collacombe, who espoused Arabella, daughter and sole heiress of Sir Edward Wise, K.B. of Sydenham, in the county of Devon, (by Arabella, daughter and co-heir of Oliver, Lord St. John) by whom he had issue,

ARTHUR, his successor.
Edward-Wise, who appears to have died issueless.
Arabella.
Bridget.

Mr. Tremayne was *s.* by his eldest son,

ARTHUR TREMAYNE, esq. of Sydenham, who *m.* Grace, daughter of Sir Halsewell Tynte, bart. of Halswell, and was *s.* by his son,

ARTHUR TREMAYNE, esq. of Sydenham. This gentleman espoused Miss Hammond, of Wiltshire, and left an only child,

ARTHUR TREMAYNE, esq. of Sydenham, *b.* in 1775, who dying unmarried in December, 1808, devised the principal estates of the family to

The Rev. HENRY HAWKINS TREMAYNE, the lineal heir and, after the decease of the said Arthur, representative of the ancient house of TREMAYNE, (refer to issue of Richard, second son of John Tremayne, of Collacombe, by the daughter of —— Warr) Mr. Hawkins Tremayne espoused Harriet, daughter and co-heir of John Hearle, esq. of Penryn, sometime Vice Warden of Cornwall Stannaries, and left at his decease an only son, the present JOHN HEARLE TREMAYNE, esq. of Heligan and Sydenham.

Arms—Gules, three dexter arms, conjoined at the shoulders and flexed in triangle or, fists ppr.

Crest—Two arms, embowed, holding between their hands a man's head ppr. on the head a high crowned hat sa.

Estates—In the centre and west of Cornwall. In the north and west of Devon. Succeeded to the lands of the elder branch of the family by the will of the last possession in 1808. The rest, chiefly by inheritance, derived principally through marriages with Dart, Clotworthy, Hawkins, and Hearle.

Seats—Heligan, Cornwall, and Sydenham, Devonshire.

* Upon the monument of these extraordinary brothers the following lines are engraved.

These liken'd twins, in form and fancy one,
Were like affected, and like habit chose:
Their valour at Newhaven siege was known,
Where both encountered fiercely with their foes;
There one of both sore wounded lost his breath,
And t' other slain, revenging brother's death.

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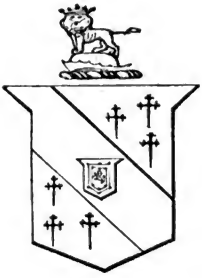
HOWARD, OF CORBY.



HOWARD, HENRY, esq. of Corby Castle, in the county of Cumberland, *b.* 2nd July, 1757, *m.* first in 1788, Maria, daughter and co-heir of Andrew, Lord Archer, by whom, who *d.* in 1789, he had no issue. He espoused, secondly, in March, 1793, Catherine-Mary, second daughter of Sir Richard Neave, of Dagnam Park, in the county of Essex, bart. and has issue,

- PHILIP-HENRY, M. P. *b.* 22nd April, 1801.
- Henry-Francis, *m.* in 1830, Hon. Sevilla Erskine, daughter of Lord Erskine, and has a daughter.
- Catherine, *m.* in 1829, to the Hon. Philip Stourton.
- Emma, *m.* to William-Henry, present Lord Petre.
- Adeliza-Maria, *m.* in 1830, to Henry-Petre, esq. and *d.* in 1833.

Mr. Howard is high sheriff for the county of Cumberland, in the present year (1832).

Lineage.

This is a branch of the ducal house of Norfolk, springing from the second son of Thomas, fourth duke,

LORD WILLIAM HOWARD, who was restored in blood by act of parliament in 1603. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, and sister and co-heir of George, Lord Dacre, of Gillesland, and in her right became possessed of NAWORTH CASTLE, in the county of Cumberland, and of HINDERSKELL (where now stands Castle Howard,) in Yorkshire. By this lady his lordship left at his decease, five sons and three daughters, viz.

- PHILIP (Sir), whose grandson,
  - CHARLES, was elevated to the peerage in the dignities of *Baron Dacre, of Gillesland, Viscount Howard, of Morpeth*, and EARL OF CARLISLE, by letters patent dated 20th April, 1661, and was ancestor of the present earl.
- FRANCIS (Sir), of whom presently.
- William (Sir), *d. s. p.*
- Charles (Sir), *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Witherington, knt and left a son, William.
- Thomas, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Eure, knt. and had issue (with a son, Thomas, who *d.* unmarried) two daughters, his co-heirs.
  - Frances, *m.* to — Fetherston, esq.
  - Mary.
- Mary, *m.* to Sir John Wintour.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Henry Bedingfeld, knt.
- Margaret, *m.* to Sir Thomas Cotton, bt.

The second son,

SIR FRANCIS HOWARD, knt. of Corby Castle, in the county of Northumberland, *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of John Preston, esq. of the Manner, in Lancashire, and had issue,

- Thomas, a colonel in the service of CHARLES I. who fell at Atherton Moor, in 1643.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Standish, esq. of Standish, in the county of Lancaster.

Sir Francis espoused, secondly, Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Witherington, knt. by whom he had issue,

- FRANCIS.
- Henry.
- Thomas.
- WILLIAM.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

FRANCIS HOWARD, esq. of Corby, who *m.* twice, but leaving no male issue at his decease, in 1702, devised his estate to his fourth brother,

WILLIAM HOWARD, esq. of Corby Castle, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Dalston, esq. of Acornbank, in the county of Westmorland, and dying in 1739, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS HOWARD, esq. of Corby Castle, who *m.* first, Barbara, daughter of John, Viscount Lonsdale, by whom he had (with three sons, who *d.* in infancy) three daughters,

- Mary, *d.* young.
- Elizabeth.
- Jane, *m.* to Francis Warwick, esq. of Warwick Hall.

He espoused, secondly, Barbara, sister of

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Sir Christopher Musgrave, and dying in 1740, was *s.* by his son,

PHILLIP HOWARD, esq. of Corby Castle, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Henry Witham, esq. of Cliffe, in the county of York. He *d.* in 1790, and was *s.* by his son, HENRY HOWARD, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—QUARTERLY OF SIX.

HOWARD, gu. on bend between six cross crosslets, fitché arg. an escutcheon or, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double tressure flory, counter flory of the first.

BROTHERTON, gu. three lions passant, guardant in pale, or, on a chief a label of three points arg.

WARREN—Chequy, or and az.

MOWBRAY—Gu. a lion rampant, arg. armed and langued az.

DACRE—Gu. three escallops ar.

GREYSTOCK—Barry of six arg. and az. over all three chaplets gu.

Crest—On a chapeau gu. turned up ermine, a lion statant guardant, the tail extended or, ducally crowned arg. gorged with a label of three points of the last.

Motto—Volo non valeo.

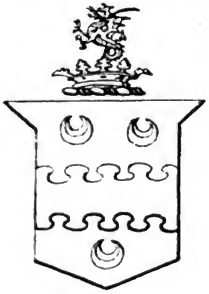
Estates—In CUMBERLAND, first possessed in 1626. In the county of DURHAM—ancient inheritance from the Barons of Greystock.

Town Residence—Lower Brook-street.

Seat—Corby Castle, Cumberland.

WELD, OF LULWORTH.

WELD, His Eminence Cardinal THOMAS, of Lulworth Castle, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 22nd January, 1773. This distinguished prelate, prior to taking orders in the church of Rome, espoused (in 1796) Lucy, daughter of the Honorable Thomas Clifford, by whom he had an only daughter,



MARY-LUCY, *m.* in 1818, to Hugh-Charles, present LORD CLIFFORD, of CHUDLEIGH, and died in May, 1831, leaving issue.

Upon the decease of his wife, Mr. Weld became a Roman Catholic clergyman, and was soon afterwards promoted to a bishopric. He obtained a cardinal's hat in 1829. His Eminence has for several years devoted his time, and large fortune entirely to the wants and services of the unfortunate, and has justly acquired the highest reputation for piety and benevolence. Mr. Weld is the first Englishman who has had a seat in the CONCLAVE since the pontificate of CLEMENT IX. He inherited his paternal estates at the decease of his father in 1810.

Lineage.

The family of WELD is presumed to derive from EDRICK, surnamed WILD, or SYLVATICUS, who was nephew to Edric, Duke of Mercia, husband of Edina, daughter of *King* ETHELRED. From him descended

WILLIAM WELD, who settled at Eaton, in the county of Chester, and marrying Anne, daughter of Nicholas de Whitnall, was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM WELD, who wedded Margaret, daughter of William Bostock, and was grandfather of

EDWARD WELD, who espoused Margaret, daughter of Thomas Cotgrave, of the county of Chester. The grandson of this marriage,

JOHN WELD, marrying Joanna, daughter of John Fitz Hugh, of Congleton, had three sons, viz.

1. ROBERT, of Eaton, who *m.* Elenora, daughter of Robert Oldton, of Wetten

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Hall, and from him sprung the WELDS of Eaton.

2. John, who settled at Willey, in the county of Salop, and was patriarch of the WELDS of that place.

3. HUMPHREY (Sir).

The third son,

SIR HUMPHREY WELD, knt. took up his abode at Holdwell, in the county of Herts. He was sheriff of London in 1599, and LORD MAYOR in ten years afterwards. Sir Humphrey espoused Ann, daughter of Nicholas Wheler, esq. and left, with two daughters, at his decease in 1610, a son and successor,

SIR JOHN WELD, knt. of Arnolds, in the county of Middlesex, who wedded Frances, daughter of William Whitmore, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1656) he had issue,

1. Thomas, who *d.* young.
2. HUMPHREY, his heir.
3. John (Sir), of Compton Bassett, in the county of Wilts, a knight banneret. This gallant person *m.* in 1648, Mary, daughter of William, Lord Stourton, and dying, 11th July, 1674, left an only son,
   WILLIAM, who succeeded his uncle HUMPHREY.
4. George, who *m.* Bridget, daughter of — Thimblethorp, esq. of the county of Lincoln, and died in 1696, leaving two daughters,
   Cicely, *m.* to James Mahony, Viscount of Oldcastle, in Spain.
   Elizabeth, *m.* first to — Dickenson, esq.; and secondly, to Philip Stafford, esq.
5. Anne, *m.* to Sir J. Cutts, of Childerley.
6. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Allen, esq. of Finchley.
7. Frances, *m.* to — Martin, esq. of the county of Buckingham.
8. Margaret, *m.* to William Bowyer, esq. of Denham Court, Bucks.

Sir John Weld *d.* in 1622, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HUMPHREY WELD, esq. of Holdwell. This gentleman was governor of Portland Castle. He purchased in 1641, from the Howard family, the MANOR OF LULWORTH,* and divers other extensive estates in the county of Dorset. He *m.* Clare, youngest daughter of Thomas, Lord Arundel, of Wardour, by whom he had an only daughter, MARY, *m.* to Nicholas Taaffe, Earl of Carlingford. Mr. Weld died about the year 1684, and was buried in *King* HENRY VII's chapel, Westminster. His nephew,

WILLIAM WELD, esq. succeeded to his estates, and thus became of "LULWORTH." This gentleman espoused in 1672, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Shireburn, esq. of Stonyhurst, in Lancashire, by whom he had issue,

John, who *d.* young.
HUMPHREY, his heir.
Mary, who *m.* Nicholas Fairfax, esq. nephew of Lord Fairfax, and after his decease, espoused Sir Francis Hungate, bart.; by the latter she had an only daughter,
   MARY HUNGATE, who wedded Sir Edward Gascoigne, of Partington.

Mr. Weld *d.* in 1698, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

HUMPHREY WELD, esq. of Lulworth Castle, who *m.* in 1701, Margaret, only daughter of Sir James Simeons, bart. of Chilworth, by whom he had issue,

Nicholas, } who both predeceased their
James, } father.
EDWARD, his heir.
Thomas, who assumed the surname of SIMEONS. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Fitzherbert, esq. of Swinnerton, by whom (who *d.* in 1767) he had an only daughter,
   MARY SIMEONS, who took the veil at Bruges, in Flanders.
Mary, *m.* in 1728, to Edmund Widdrington, esq. of Horsley, in Northumberland, by whom (who *d.* in 1749) she had an only daughter,
   ELIZABETH WIDDRINGTON, heiress of her father, who *m.* Thomas Riddel, esq. of Swinburn Castle, Northumberland.
Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried in 1791.

Humphrey Weld *d.* in 1722, and was *s.* by his elder surviving son,

EDWARD WELD, esq. of Lulworth Castle, *b.* in 1705. This gentleman espoused, first, in 1727, Catherine-Elizabeth, daughter of Walter, Lord Aston, of Forfar, but had no issue by that lady. He *m.* secondly, in 1740, Mary-Theresa, daughter of John Vaughan, esq. of Courtfield, by whom (who *d.* in 1754) he had

EDWARD, his heir.
John, } both *d.* young.
Joseph, }
THOMAS, successor to his brother.
Mary, who became "a Poor Clare," at Aire, in Artois.

* The first possessors of this manor are said to have been the DE LOLLEWORTHS; but the powerful family of the NEWBURGHS held it as early as the reign of JOHN. CHRISTIAN, the sole heiress of SIR ROGER NEWBURGH, carried the estate in 1514, to her husband, SIR JOHN MARNEY, Lord Marney, and her second daughter, and eventual heiress, ELIZABETH MARNEY, marrying Thomas, Lord Howard, of Bindon, conveyed it, with several other considerable estates in Dorsetshire, amongst which was the manor of Bindon, to the HOWARDS, from whom, as stated above, it was purchased in 1641, by Humphrey Weld.

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Mr. Weld "lived," says Hutchins, "in great credit and hospitality at Lulworth, maintaining a good correspondence and harmony with the neighbouring gentry and clergy, nor did difference of opinion create reserve or distance; although he ever behaved as a peaceful subject, he was ordered into custody in 1745, on account of his name being mentioned in a treasonable anonymous letter dropped near Poole; but his immediate and honourable discharge is the most convincing proof of his innocence." He *d.* 8th December, 1761, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWARD WELD, esq. of Lulworth, *b.* in 1741; *m.* first, in 1763, Juliana, daughter of Robert, Lord Petre; and espoused, secondly, in 1775, MARY-ANNE, youngest daughter of WALTER SMYTHE, esq. of Brambridge, in the county of Hants, but had no issue. He *d.* in 1775, and his widow married THOMAS FITZHERBERT, esq. of Swinnerton, whom she survived, and has since held a distinguished place in society as MRS. FITZHERBERT. Mr. Weld was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

THOMAS WELD, esq. of Lulworth Castle, who *m.* in 1772, Mary, eldest daughter of Sir John Stanley Massey-Stanley, bart. of Hooton, in Cheshire, by whom he had issue,

- THOMAS, his heir.
- Edward, *b.* in 1775, *d.* in 1796.
- Joseph, *b.* in 1777, *m.* in 1802, Charlotte, third daughter of Charles-Philip, late lord Stourton, and has issue.
- John, *b.* in 1780, a priest, deceased.
- William, *d.* young.
- Humphrey, *b.* in 1783; *m.* in 1811, to Christina-Maria, eldest dau. of Chas. late Lord Clifford, and has issue.
- James, *b.* in 1785; *m.* in 1812, Juliana-Anne, second daughter of Robert-Edward, 10th Ld. Petre, and has issue.
- George, *b.* in 1786, *m.* Maria, dau. of John Serle, esq. and has issue.
- Juliana, who took the veil at Bruges, and died at the convent in Winchester in 1800.
- Mary-Theresa, a nun.
- Catherine-Winifred, *m.* in 1800, to William, present Lord Stourton.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to C. Bodenham, esq.
- Theresa, *m.* in 1803, to William Vaughan, esq. of Courtfield.
- Clare, a nun.

Mr. Weld conferred upon the Jesuits, lands at Stonyhurst, in Lancashire, where they established the celebrated Roman catholic college, so well known under that name. He *d.* suddenly there in 1810, deeply and universally lamented, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CARDINAL WELD.

Arms—Az. a fesse nebule, between three crescents erm.

Crest—A wyvern sa. goutté of ermine issuing out of a ducal coronet ppr.

Motto—Nil sine numine.

Estates—In the counties of Dorset and Lancaster.

Residence—Rome.

Seat—Lulworth Castle,* Dorsetshire.

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* Within the ground of Lulworth Mr. Weld afforded an asylum to the MONKS OF LE TRAPP, when those austere brothers were driven from France by the revolution. The following account of this monastery is extracted from the "Monthly Magazine" of October, 1800, and from the "Gentleman's Magazine of 1813. "I paid a short visit in the course of last summer to Lulworth Castle, the seat of Mr. Weld. At eight o'clock, of a pleasant morning in the beginning of July, I left Dorchester, in company with two other gentlemen, one of whom had previously visited the monastery, and kindly undertook the office of guide. After a ride of about eleven miles over downs, covered with flocks of sheep, we declined on the right into a small valley, overhung with woods. The view at the extremity of this valley is beautifully terminated by the English Channel, and in its centre stands LULWORTH CASTLE, an antique Gothic edifice, consisting of four round towers, connected by as many curtains. As strangers are permitted to see the inside of this castle, we alighted at the principal entrance, on each side of which are two Latin inscriptions; the one commemorating the extended toleration granted to the Roman catholics in 1780, the other recording a visit from his majesty *King* GEORGE III. with which Mr. Weld was honoured. After gratifying ourselves by an inspection of the edifice, we proceeded through the fields for about a mile, before we reached the monastery. This building is constructed of very rude materials, and in a very rude manner. The grounds attached are about one hundred acres, which are cultivated by the monks, with the assistance of a carter and his boy. The community rise at one o'clock in the morning, winter and summer; the choir brothers then begin their devotions, and continue in the chapel until nine, when each goes to some manual labour, in the garden, on the roads, or the grounds, until eleven, when there is a short service, which lasts about half an hour. Then to labour again until half past one, when they return to prayers for half an hour, and are then summoned to their frugal meal. After this meal is over, the only one which they have during the four-and-twenty hours, they return thanks to God, and adjourn to the chapter room, where they continue to read or meditate until the day is nearly over, when they once more go to prayers, and retire to their dormitories about eight o'clock, having spent the whole day in abstinence, mortification, labour, silence, and prayer. Every succeeding day, like the former, continually hastening the grave that lies open. The severity of this rigid order requires no common devotee; perpetual silence restrains them in the greatest enjoyment of life, perpetual abstinence, mortification, and penance, poverty and prayer, seem more than human nature is capable of undergoing, and unless the minds of the religious were buoyed up by the for-

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DANBY, OF SWINTON.

DANBY, WILLIAM, esq. of Swinton Park, in the county of York; *b.* 9th July, 1752 *m.* first, in September, 1775, Caroline, daughter of Henry Seymour, esq. by whom (who *d.* 20th March, 1821,) he had an only son, who died in infancy. Mr. Danby espoused, secondly, 5th January, 1822, Anne-Holwell, second daughter of William Gater, esq.

He succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father in 1781, and served the office of sheriff of the county of York, in 1784.

Lineage.

JOHN DE DANBY, Lord of Great and Little Danby, and of lands in Thirsk, Hutton, and Scowston, left an only daughter and heiress,

ARMATRUDE DE DANBY, who wedded Edmund Stringert or Strugen, one of the soldiers of the Conquest, and left a son,

JOHN STRINGENT, *alias* DANBIE, (in right of his mother) who wedded Margaret, daughter of Thomas Catheral, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DANBIE, of *Danbie*, who *m.* a daughter of Thomas Ouldley, and from whom we pass to his descendant,

THOMAS DANBIE, of Danbie, who espoused Mary, daughter of Robert Tanfield, of Danby, and had with other issue,

WILLIAM, Lord of Danby, and Yafford, who *m.* the heiress of John Fretvile, and left a son,

ROBERT, of Danby and Yafford, who *m.* the heiress of John Ayslebie, and was father of

RALPH, of Danby and Yafford, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Sir Richard Conyers, of Cowton, and left three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

1. ALICE, *m.* to J. Acklam.
2. MARGERY, *m.* to Ralph Rokeby, of Mortham.
3. Agnes, *m.* to James Strangwayes, of Ormsby.

Robert (Sir).

The younger of these two sons (the fifth of his father),

SIR ROBERT DANBY, was constituted in the 1st of EDWARD IV., chief justice of the Common Pleas. This gentleman purchased Thorpe Perou. He *m.* first, Katherine, daughter of Ralph Fitz-Randal, and se-

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vour of their devotions, they could not keep themselves alive. They abstain wholly from meat, fish, and fowl, and, during Lent, from butter, milk, eggs, and cheese. They seem, nevertheless, perfectly content. The monks observe perpetual silence, scarcely even look at each other, and never speak but to the prior, and then only upon urgent occasions. They never wander from their convent without permission of their superior, but go each morning cheerfully to such work as they are directed to perform. As we passed these poor, humble, unoffending monks at their work, they received us with courtesy and humility, but never spoke. The most perfect silence and tranquillity reigned throughout this little vale, with nothing to interrupt it but the convent bell, and the dashing of the waves upon the shore: even the winds of heaven are restrained from visiting this place too roughly, for the down protects it from their fury."

In 1142, DE CLARE, Earl of Gloucester, took the CASTLE OF LULLWARD for the EMPRESS MAUD.

In 1615, when *King* JAMES I. came to hunt in the park and Isle of Purbeck, he was hospitably entertained at the castle of Lulworth, as were also, in 1665, *King* CHARLES II., and the Dukes of York and Monmouth, whose names the apartments they occupied still record. During the civil wars, it was frequently used as a check upon Corfe Castle. In 1789, GEORGE III. with his queen, and the three eldest princesses, visited Lulworth Castle by sea from Weymouth. In 1791, the same royal party repeated their visit by land. In the next year, their majesties, with the Prince of Wales, and five of the princesses, sailed from Weymouth in the Juno frigate, in order to visit again the Castle; the sea, however, running high, none of the nautical party attempted to land, except the PRINCE OF WALES, who effected it at the expense of a severe drenching. In 1830, Lulworth Castle opened its gates to the exiled royal family of France, where they sojourned until their departure for Holyrood House.

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condly, Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Aslaby. His son and heir at his decease in 1472,

SIR JAMES DANBY, was made a knight banneret by RICHARD, Duke of Gloucester (afterwards RICHARD, III.), in Halton Field, in Scotland. He *m.* Agnes, daughter and sole heiress of John Langton, esq. of Farnley, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CHRISTOPHER DANBY, knt. of Farnley, and Thorpirrow, who *m.* Margaret (or Mary), second daughter of Thomas le Scrope, fifth LORD SCROPE, of *Masham and Upsal*, and one of the co-heirs to that barony at the decease of her brother, GEFFERY, ninth lord. *(See Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.)* He died in 1518, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CHRISTOPHER DANBY, knt. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, third daughter of RICHARD NEVILLE, second *Lord Latimer*, and had (with other sons),

THOMAS, (Sir) his successor.
Dorothy, *m.* to Sir John Neville.
Margaret, *m.* to Christopher Hopton, esq. of Armley.
Margery, *m.* to Christopher Mallory, esq.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Wentworth, esq.
Mary, *m.* to Sir Edward Mauliverer.
Anne, *m.* to William Calverley, esq.
Magdalen, *m.* to M. Wyvill, esq.
Jane, *m.* to Roger Meynell, esq. of Hawnby and Hilton. The great grandaughter and heiress of this marriage.
MARY, espoused her kinsman, J. Meynell, esq. of Thornaby.

Sir Christopher was sheriff of Yorkshire in the 37th of HENRY VIII. He *d.* in 1571, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS DANBY, knt. who espoused the lady Mary Nevill, second daughter of Ralph, fourth Earl of Westmorland. Sir Thomas was sheriff of Yorkshire, in the 18th of ELIZABETH, and dying in 1590, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DANBY, esq. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Wentworth, esq.* (and his wife Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir William Gascoigne, knt. of Gawthorpe) and dying in 1581, was *s.* by his son,

CHRISTOPHER DANBY, esq. who espoused Frances, youngest daughter of Edward Parker, Lord Morley,† (by his wife Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of William Stanley, Lord Monteagle), by whom (who *m.* secondly, William Richards, esq.) he had,

THOMAS, (Sir) his successor.
Katharine, *m.* to Sir Francis Armytage, bt.

Mr. Danby *d.* in 1624, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS DANBY, knt. high sheriff for the county of York, in the first year of *King* CHARLES I: to which unhappy monarch he adhered with the most devoted fidelity, and for his loyalty was fined in the sum of £4780. He espoused Katharine Wandesford, and had issue,

THOMAS, a captain in the royal army, and Mayor of Leeds, slain before that town in 1667. He *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Colonel William Eure, sixth LORD EURE, who fell at Marston Moor, in 1645, and had issue,
THOMAS, who *d.* young.
Charlotte, killed by a fall from her horse, in 1688.
Mary.
CHRISTOPHER, of whom presently.
Katherine, *m.* to Henry Best, esq.

The second son,

CHRISTOPHER DANBY, esq. *m.* Anne Colepepper, niece of the Lord Colepepper, and dying in 1695, was *s.* by his son,

SIR ANSTRUPUS DANBY, knt. justice of the peace and deputy lieutenant of the county of York. This gentleman *m.* Judith, daughter of Abraham Moon, esq. a merchant of London, and dying in 1727, was *s.* by his son,

ANSTRUPUS DANBY, esq. of Swinton, *b.* in 1680; *m.* in 1709, Eliza, daughter of Arthur Ingram, esq. brother of Henry, Lord Irwin, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Arthur, *d.* unmarried.
Anstrupus, who *m.* Miss Hannah Woolfe, and left a daughter,
Elizabeth, who *d.* unm. in 1768.
Jane, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Danby espoused secondly, in 1720, Battina, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Eusten, and had two daughters, Judith and Anne, who both died issueless. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WILLIAM DANBY, esq. of Swinton, *b.* in 1712, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Gilbert Affleck, esq. of Delham, in Suffolk, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Mary, *m.* first to Thomas Lockhart, esq. and secondly to William Earl Harcourt.
Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Danby died in 1784, and was succeeded by his only son, WILLIAM DANBY, esq. of *Swinton*.

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* This Thomas Wentworth *d.* in February, 1536-7, possessed of lands in the county of York, worth £6000 a year. He was *s.* by his son, SIR WILLIAM WENTWORTH, who was father of the celebrated and unfortunate SIR THOMAS WENTWORTH, EARL OF STRAFFORD.

† This nobleman's son and successor WILLIAM, Lord Monteagle and Morley, was the person to whom the remarkable letter was addressed, by which the gunpowder plot in the reign of James I. was discovered.

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Arms—Arg. three chevronels, brased in the base point of the escutcheon, sa. on a chief of the second three mullets of the first.

Estates—District called Mashamshire, in the north riding of Yorkshire, the chief part acquired by the marriage of Sir Christopher Danby, with Margaret, youngest daughter of the fifth, and sister and co-heir of the last Lord Scrope, of Masham and Upsal.

Seat—Swinton Park, Masham, in the county of York.

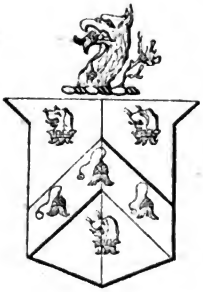
HALL, OF ABERCARNE.

HALL, BENJAMIN, esq. of Llanover-Court, and of Abercarne, both in the county of Monmouth, *b.* 8th November, 1802; *m.* 4th December, 1823, Augusta, daughter and co-heiress of the late Benjamin Waddington, esq. of Llanover and has issue,

Benjamin-Hanbury-Stuart, *b.* 9th January, 1826.
Benjamin-Cradoc-Trevor-Francis-Zacchia, *b.* at Rome, 19th May, 1830.
Augusta-Charlotte-Elizabeth.

Mr. Hall, who *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father in 1817, was elected M.P. for Monmouth, in 1831.

Lineage.



The family of Hall is supposed to have come over with Henry VII. It settled in Pembrokeshire, and remained there until

Benjamin Hall, chancellor of the diocese of Llandaff, removed to that town. He espoused Elizabeth, sister of Henry Grant, esq. of Gnoll-Court, in Glamorganshire, and had two sons, viz.

Benjamin, his heir.
Henry, who *d.* in India, in 1800, unmarried.

The elder son,

Benjamin Hall, esq. M.P. for the county of Glamorgan, *m.* 16th December, 1801, Charlotte, second daughter of Richard Crawshay, esq. of Cyfarthfa, in Glamorganshire, by whom (who *m.* secondly, Samuel Hawkins, esq.) he had issue,

Benjamin, his heir.
Richard-Crawshay, *b.* 28th March, 1804.
Henry, who *d.* in 1809.
Henry-Grant, who *d.* in 1822.
Charles-Ranken, *b.* 29th May, 1812.
William-Thomas, *b.* 23rd March, 1818.
Charlotte, *m.* to J. D. Berrington, esq. of Swansea.

Mr. Hall *d.* 31st July, 1817, when a monument was erected to commemorate his services and talents by the gentlemen of the county he represented, bearing the following inscription, indicative of the high sense they bore of his merits;

In a vault near this place,
Are deposited the remains of B. Hall, esq.
of Hensol Castle,
formerly member of parliament for this county,
who died 31st July, 1817, aged 39 years.

To record the high sense they entertained of his industry, talents, and integrity, and as a tribute due to the man, whose life was sacrificed to the zealous discharge of his public duties,

This monument was erected by a considerable body of the nobility, clergy, gentry, and freeholders, of the county of Glamorgan.

Mr. Hall was *s.* by his eldest son, Benjamin Hall, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Party per pale arg. and or: on a chevron, between three talbots' heads erased, their necks encircled with mural crowns, three hawks' lures ppr.

Crest—A griffin's head or, with a hawk's lure ppr. in its mouth, and a palm branch vert behind.

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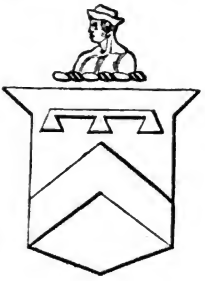
Motto—Turpiter desperatur.

Estates—The Abercarne estate in Monmouth, which formerly formed part of the immense estates of the Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, purchased by the father of the present possessor in 1807. The other family estates lie partly in Monmouthshire, and partly in Glamorganshire.

Seats—Llanover-Court, near Abergavenny. Abercarne, near Newport.

PRIDEAUX-BRUNE, OF PLACE.

BRUNE-PRIDEAUX, *The Rev.* CHARLES, of Prideaux Place, in the county of Cornwall, and of Plumber, in Dorsetshire; *b.* in 1760, *m.* in 1794, Frances, daughter of Thomas Patten, esq. of Bank Hall, in Lancashire, and has issue,



CHARLES, *m.* to Frances, second daughter of Edmund John Glynn, esq. of Glynn, in Cornwall.
Dorothea, *m.* to Joseph Graves-Sawle, esq. of Penrice, in the same county.
Mary.
Caroline.

This gentleman, in conformity with the testamentary injunction of a maternal uncle, from whom he inherited extensive estates in Cornwall, assumed the surname of BRUNE, in addition to his patronimic PRIDEAUX.

Lineage.

FAMILY OF PRIDEAUX.

The name of PRIDEAUX was adopted by this ancient family from the lordship of PRIDEAUX, in the parish of Luxilian, in the county of Cornwall.

PAGANUS DE PRIDEAUX, Lord of Prideaux, before the CONQUEST, was father of

SIR RICHARD DE PRIDEAUX, knt. who died in 1122, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR BALDWIN DE PRIDEAUX, knt. who *d.* in 1165, leaving a son and successor,

NICHOLAS DE PRIDEAUX, the father of

RICHARD, who inherited Prideaux,* and other lands in Cornwall.

HERDON.

Nicholas de Prideaux *d.* in 1169, and was *s.* by his elder son. The second son,

HERDON PRIDEAUX, inherited from his father considerable estates in Devonshire, and augmented them by marrying the heiress of Sir Ralph Orcharton, of Orcharton, in that county. He left a son,

SIR RICHARD PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Mortimer, Earl of March, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JEFFERY PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton, who *d.* in 1243, leaving by his wife Isabella, daughter of William Montacute, Earl of Salisbury, a son and successor,

SIR PIERS PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton. This gentleman wedded Joan, daughter of Sir William Bigbury, and was father of

SIR RALPH PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Walter Treverbin, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROGER PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton, one of the knights in parliament for Devonshire, in the 5th of *King* EDWARD III. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Clifford, and had two sons, viz.

ROGER, who inherited ORCHARTON, and was father of

JOHN PRIDEAUX, of Orcharton, M.P. for Devonshire, in the 7th and 11th of RICHARD II. This gentleman having had the misfortune, while hunting, to kill his kinsman, Sir William Bigbury, was obliged to alienate the greater portion of his estate for the purpose of raising funds to procure his pardon. Orcharton was then sold to the family of HELE.

* PRIDEAUX CASTLE continued in the name of Prideaux until the 11th of RICHARD II., when it passed through an heiress to the family of ARVAS; with the ARVAS's it remained for two generations, when it was conveyed by their heiress, in marriage, to one of the family of HERLE, of West Herle, in Northumberland.

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JOHN (Sir).

The younger son,

SIR JOHN PRIDEAUX, espoused Joan, dau. and co-heir of Gilbert Adeston, of Adeston, in the county of Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

GILES PRIDEAUX, of Adeston, M.P. for Totness, in the 42nd EDWARD III. This gentleman wedded the daughter and heiress of Gunston, and had a son and successor,

SIR JOHN PRIDEAUX, of Adeston, who married thrice, and was *s.* by the son of his third marriage, (with Anne, daughter of John Shapton, of Shapton, in Devonshire),

WILLIAM PRIDEAUX, of Adeston. This gentleman espoused Alice, daughter and heiress of Stephen Gifford, of Thuborough, in the county of Devon, to which place he subsequently removed his residence. He was *s.* by his son,

FOULKE PRIDEAUX, of Adeston and Thuborough, who *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir Humphry Poyntz, of Langley, in Devonshire, and was father of

HUMPHREY PRIDEAUX, of Adeston and Thuborough. This gentleman espoused Joan, daughter of Richard Fowel, of Fowelscombe, and widow of Sir Philip Courtenay, of Lough Torr, in the county of Devon, and left (besides daughters) four sons, viz.

RICHARD, his heir. Adeston was sold to the Heles, but Thuborough continued in the descendants of this Richard Prideaux, until 1710, when by the death of JONATHAN PRIDEAUX, without male issue, it passed to his daughter, the wife of Charles Davie, esq. of Biddeford.

William, of Gurland, in Cornwall.

ROGER, of Soldon.

Thomas, who died a monk, in Flanders.

The third son,

ROGER PRIDEAUX, of Soldon, in the county of Devon, was sheriff of that shire in 1578. He *m.* Philippa, daughter of Sir Richard Yorke, serjeant-at-law, and left two sons, viz.

NICHOLAS, his successor.

Edmund, created a BARONET in 1622, a dignity enjoyed by his descendant, the present SIR JOHN WILMOT-PRIDEAUX, of Netherton, in Devonshire.

The elder son,

SIR NICHOLAS PRIDEAUX, knt. inherited Soldon, and erected PLACE, near Padstow, the present residence of the family, in 1592. He was one of the representatives of the borough of Camelford, in the 13th of ELIZABETH, and died in 1627, leaving issue, by his first wife, Thomasine, daughter and heir of John Hengscott, esq. of Hengscott, in Devon, a son, HUMPHRY, his successor at Soldon; and by his second wife, Cheston, dau. and co-heir of William Viall, esq. of St. Breock, in Cornwall, another son, JOHN, who inherited PLACE. The elder son,

HUMPHRY PRIDEAUX, esq., of Soldon, wedded Honor, daughter of Edmund Fortescue, esq. of Fallapitt, in Devonshire, and had issue,

NICHOLAS, who was his father's heir, and became "of SOLDON." His grandaughter, the eventual heiress of SOLDON, wedded her cousin, JOHN, third son of Sir Peter Prideaux, bart. of Netherton, and conveyed to her husband the estate, which was afterwards sold to the PITT family, and is now the property of EARL STANHOPE.

John, who *d. s. p.*

EDMUND, of whom presently, as heir to his uncle, JOHN PRIDEAUX, of *Place*.

Humphry.

Thomasine, *m.* to John Fortescue, esq. of Buckland Filleigh.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir William Morice, secretary-of-state to *King* CHARLES II.

The third son,

EDMUND PRIDEAUX, esq. inherited, at the decease of his uncle JOHN PLACE, and the other Cornish estates. He *m.* Bridget, dau. of John Moyle, esq. of Bake, and had three sons, viz.

JOHN, his successor.

Edmund, *d. s. p.*

HUMPHRY, (*b.* in 1648,) in holy orders. This gentleman was Dean of Norfolk, and the author of numerous works, distinguished alike for piety and learning. He wedded Bridget, dau. of Anthony Bokenham, esq. of Helmingham, in Suffolk. Doctor Prideaux *d.* in 1724, leaving an only son,

EDMUND PRIDEAUX, of whom presently, as representative of the family, upon the decease of his cousin.

Mr. Prideaux was sheriff of Cornwall in 1664. He *d.* 15th October, 1683, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN PRIDEAUX, esq. of Place, at whose decease without issue, in 1728, the estates devolved upon (the only son of The Very Rev. Dean Prideaux) his cousin,

EDMUND PRIDEAUX, who thus became "of Place." He wedded Hannah, daughter of Benjamin Wrench, esq. of the city of Norwich, and had issue,

HUMPHRY, his heir.

Charles, *d. s. p.* in 1783.

Rebecca, *m.* to Sir Horatio Pettus, bart.

The elder son,

HUMPHRY PRIDEAUX, esq. of Place, served the office of sheriff for Cornwall in 1750. He *m.* first, Mary, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Sir George Chudleigh, bart. of Haldon House, in the county of Devon, by whom he had an only son, GEORGE, who *d.* unmarried. He wedded, secondly, Jenny, second daughter of Neville Morton-Pleydell.

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esq. of Beer, in the county of Dorset, and left at his decease,

CHARLES, in holy orders, present proprietor, and representative of the family.

Humphry, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of the late Sir John St. Aubyn, bart. and *d. s. p.*

Edmund, who *m.* Hebe, daughter of the present Sir J. St. Aubyn, bart. and died, leaving two daughters.

Neville, *d.* unmarried.

William-Brune, *m.* the widow of Capt. Courtenay, R.N. but *d. s. p.*

Thomas.

Mary, *m.* to Thomas Ball, esq. of Seaford, in the county of Waterford, and left two daughters.

FAMILY OF BRUNE.

SIR WILLIAM LE BRUNE, knt. chamberlain to *King* EDWARD I., died in the 29th of that monarch's reign, leaving by his wife, Isolda, daughter and heiress of Philip Rockley, of Okenden, in Essex, and maid of honor to *Queen* ELEANOR, a son,

SIR MAURICE LE BRUNE, knt. who *m.* Matilda, daughter and heiress of Sir Philip Rokelle, and dying in 1354, was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM LE BRUNE, knt. who wedded Alice, daughter of Richard Layer, alderman of London, by whom (who *m.* after his decease Sir Robert Marney) he had a son and successor, at his decease in 1364,

SIR INGELRAM LE BRUN, knt. who died in 1400, leaving by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir — DE LA POLE, a son,

SIR MAURICE BRUNE, knt. whose name appears in the list of the gentry of the county of Essex made in the 12th of HENRY VI., and he served the office of sheriff for that shire in the 12th, 14th, and 31st of the same prince. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Radford, knt. of Irby, and had two sons, viz.

HENRY (Sir), who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Sir Robert Darcy, and dying in the lifetime of his father, left two daughters, viz.

ALICE, *m.* first, to Robert Harleston, and secondly, to Sir John Heveningham.

ELIZABETH, *m.* first, to Thomas Tyrrell, of Herons, and Okenden, in Essex; and secondly, to SIR WILLIAM BRANDON, knight, standard bearer of the Earl of Richmond, at Bosworth, and slain by the hand of RICHARD. By Sir William she was mother of the celebrated CHARLES BRANDON, Duke of Suffolk, brother-in-law to *King* HENRY VIII. Her ladyship espoused, thirdly, William Mallory.

THOMAS.

Sir Maurice *d.* in the 8th of EDWARD IV. His younger son,

THOMAS BRUNE, espoused Elizabeth, cousin and co-heir of William Sturmy, of Wolf Hall, and had two sons,

JOHN, his heir.

William, living in the time of HENRY VII., *m.* Catherine, daughter of William Ringborn, and had a son,

Thomas, who *d. s. p.* in the ensuing reign.

The elder son,

JOHN BRUNE, esq. living in 1554, wedded Anne, daughter of Michael Tichburne, esq. of Tichburne, in Hampshire, and had, with a daughter, Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry Bickley, a son and successor,

SIR JOHN BRUNE, knt. who *m.* Jane Bampfield, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY BRUNE, esq. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Nicholas Martin, of Athelhampton, (by Margaret, daughter and co-heir of John Wadham, esq. of Merrifield, in Somersetshire,) and had issue,

JOHN, who *m.* Bridget, daughter of Sir Edward Seymour, bart., of Berry Pomeroy, and died without issue, in 1639.

CHARLES, whose descendants continued the line of the family.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Scrope, esq. of Castlecomb, in the county of Wilts.

Mary, *m.* to John Hall, esq. of Bradford.

Grace, *m.* to Sir Edward Lawrence, knt. of Creech Grange.

Anne, *m.* to G. Daccombe, esq. of Corfe Castle.

Mr. Brune held at his decease, 36th ELIZABETH, the manor of Charlton, a moiety of the manor of Athelhampton, the manor of Bardolperton, the manors and advowsons of West Tincleton and West Woodsford, with divers other lands and manors. His elder son, as stated above, died without issue, the younger,

CHARLES BRUNE, esq. *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Coker, esq. of Mapowder, and had two sons, viz.

JOHN, who died in 1645, leaving by Mary, daughter of Edward Hooper, esq. of Boveridge, an only daughter,

MARY, *m.* to Sir Ralph Bankes, knt. of Corfe Castle.

CHARLES.

The younger son,

CHARLES BRUNE, esq. wedded, first, Margaret, daughter of John Dennis, esq. of Pucklechurch, in Gloucestershire, and had issue,

JOHN, who *d. s. p.*

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Mary, *m.* to William Lewys, esq.

He *m.* secondly, Jane, daughter of Henry Collier, esq. of Hermitage, and had one son and two daughters, namely,

CHARLES, his successor.
Jenny.
Betty, *m.* to William Weston, esq. of Callow Weston.

Mr. Brune purchased Plumber, and was *s.* at his decease by his only surviving son,

CHARLES BRUNE, esq. of Plumber. This gentleman wedded Betty, daughter and sole heiress of — Jeffery, of Bagborough, and had issue,

CHARLES, who *d. s. p.* in 1770.
John, } all *d. s. p.*
Henry, }
James, }
BETTY, *m.* to Neville Morton-Pleydell, esq. of Shitterton, and had with other issue,

JENNY PLEYDELL, who *m.* HUMPHRY PRIDEAUX, esq. of Place, and was mother of the present *Rev.* CHARLES PRIDEAUX-BRUNE.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. a chevron sa. in chief a label of three points gules; adopted by the Prideauxs after the marriage with the heiress of ORCHARTON. Second and third, party per pale arg. and gules, three castles counterchanged, being the ancient arms of Prideaux, of Prideaux.

Crest—A man's head in profile, couped at the shoulders, on the head a chapeau az. turned up arg.

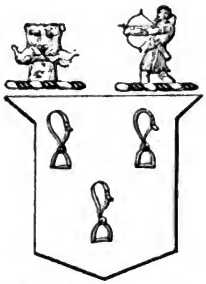
Estates—In the counties of Cornwall, Dorset, Hants, &c. &c.

Seat—PRIDEAUX PLACE, in Cornwall, and PLUMBER, in Dorsetshire.

GIFFARD, OF CHILLINGTON.

GIFFARD, THOMAS WILLIAM, esq. of Chillington, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 25th March, 1789; inherited the estates at the decease of his father, 1st August, 1823. Mr. Giffard is major of the Staffordshire militia.

Lineage.



OSBORNE DE BOLEBEC, a noble Norman, in the time of ROBERT, father of WILLIAM *the bastard*, had two distinguished sons,

1. WALTER (Gualtier of the Norman Chronicles) Compte de Longueville, who assumed, for what reason has not been ascertained, the surname of Gyffarde. This gallant person acquired great renown in the armies of WILLIAM, achieving several signal victories for Normandy, in the war between that country and France. When the duke, upon the accession of Harold to the English throne, desired to invade this island, many, indeed most of the Norman nobles held cautiously back from proffering aid; being wearied and impoverished by the continued struggles in which WILLIAM had been engaged since his father's death. But a few staunch friends, amongst the foremost of whom was this Walter and his brother, coming nobly forward with offers of men, ships, &c. the laggards were thereby warmed to the undertaking, and the expedition was accordingly set on foot. In the subsequent success of his chief, the Compte de Longueville largely participated; he obtained no less than ONE HUNDRED AND SEVEN LORDSHIPS in the conquered country, and was constituted EARL OF THE COUNTY OF BUCKINGHAM (for the line of this nobleman, see *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

2. Osborne.

The second son,

OSBORNE GYFFARDE, having likewise aided in placing England under the yoke of the

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Norman, had of course his portion of the spoil, and the fertile county of Gloucester was allotted as the locality of his reward. Here he held the extensive manors of Brimesfield, Rochemtune, Alderberie, and Stoche; upon the first named of which he settled, and there subsequently a great castle was built, (*temp.* STEPHEN) which continued to be the residence of the family until it was destroyed by the army of Edward II in the Baronial war, anno 1322. This Osborne died about the year 1086, and was *s.* by his son,

HELIAS GIFFARDE, who was *s.* by his son, another

HELIAS GIFFARDE, who had two sons,

1. HELIAS, who carried on the line, and whose descendant, John Giffard, had summons to parliament from the 24th June, 1295, to 10th April, 1299, as BARON GIFFARD, of Brimsfield.
2. Gilbert.

The younger son,

GILBERT GIFFARDE, was father of

PETER GIFFARDE, who *m.* in the reign of HENRY II., Alice, sister of Peter Corbuchin, and thus acquired the manors of Chillington and Walton, in the county of Stafford. This Peter was highly distinguished for his military exploits in Ireland, under his kinsman RICHARD DE CLARE, commonly called *Strongbow*, EARL OF PEMBROKE,* and was rewarded by a grant of land in that kingdom. He was *s.* by his son,

PETER GIFFARDE, of Chillington, who *m.* Margaret de Chuddeley, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN GIFFARD, who espoused Ada, daughter of Hugh Courtenay, Baron of Okehampton (the name of this Sir John occurs as Dominus de Chillington, in 1295). He died in 1329, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN GIFFARD, of Chillington. This gentleman *m.* about the beginning of the fourteenth century, Catherine, daughter and heiress of —— Stafford de Marston; and in her right became possessed of the manors of Marston and Euson (near to the town of Stafford), which are still held by the family. He *d.* in 1371, and was *s.* by his only son,

EDMUND GIFFARD, of Chillington, who wedded a daughter of Venables, Lord of Kinderton. This Edmund was living in 1378, but the time of his death is unascertained. He was father of

JOHN GIFFARD, who was Lord of Chillington in 1394, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GIFFARD, of Chillington, who *m.* Joyce, daughter of Sir Robert Fraunceys, of Whiston, and had as her dowry the estate of Whiston, which is still in possession of the family. This Thomas was sheriff of Staffordshire, in 1411. At his decease he left an only child,

ROBERT GIFFARD, of Chillington, who espoused, first, Isabella Blount, but by that lady had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Cassandra, daughter of Thomas Humphreston, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN GIFFARD, of Chillington. This gentleman *m.* first, Joanna Hoorde, and had (with a daughter),

THOMAS, (Sir) his successor.

William, archbishop of Rheins.

He wedded, secondly, Elizabeth Greyseley, and had a daughter, Frances, who *m.* Sir John Talbot, of Grafton. This Sir John Giffard was five times sheriff of his native county; and to him HENRY VIII. granted the dissolved monastery of the Black Ladies at Brewood in 1539. He *d.* in 1556, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS GIFFARD. who wedded, first, Dorothy, daughter and heiress of Sir John Montgomery, and had a daughter, Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Port, of Etwall. Sir Thomas *m.* secondly, Ursula, daughter of Sir Robert Throgmorton, of Caughton, by whom he had four sons and five daughters. He was sheriff of the county of Stafford in the lifetime of his father, in 1530 and 1553. He *d.* in 1560, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington. This gentleman espoused Joyce, daughter of James Leveson, of Lilleshall, by whom he had a large family. He was sheriff of Staffordshire in 1573,* and dying in 1612, was *s.* by his eldest son,

WALTER GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, who *m.* in 1579, Philippa, daughter of Henry White, esq. of Southwarnborough, in the county of Southampton, and was *s.* at his decease, 29th April, 1632, by his eldest son,

PETER GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington. This gentleman wedded Frances, second daughter of Walter Fowler, esq. of St. Thomas, in the county of Stafford, and had, with five younger sons and seven daughters,

WALTER, his heir.

John, of Black Ladies, who *m.* Miss Catherine Hawkins, of the county of Kent, and the grandson of this marriage, Peter Giffard, esq. of Black Ladies, eventually succeeded to the estates and representation of the family.

Mr. Giffard adhered with desperate fidelity to the falling fortunes of the CHARLESES, and several of his family took an active part in the escape of the younger after the

* STROSCBOW was great grandson, in the female line, of Walter Gyffarde, first Earl of Buckingham.

* From this period until 1829 the family was rendered incapable of holding office, by constantly adhering to the Catholic religion.

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fight of Worcester. Boscobel was a lodge of the Giffards, the Pendrels being merely housekeepers, &c. and the tried loyalty of that celebrated family ought rather to be attributed to their attachment to their landlords and feudal superiors, than to any abstract sense of duty to the king. For this zealous devotion to his unhappy sovereign, the whole of Mr. Giffard's property was sequestered by the Drury House Commissioners, and at the advanced age of seventy he was himself obliged to seek a place of concealment. He lived, however, to witness happier days, and received (tardily though) from the restored monarch a royal grant, reinstating him in the whole of his noble possessions. A few months after this act of justice he executed a deed, by which he surrendered every thing to his son WALTER, reserving only for himself a small farm, and such maintenance (with two servants) as, saith the deed, "was becoming to a gentleman of his quality." He did not long, however, enjoy the calm this arrangement seemed to promise. He lived but to see his family replaced in the wealth, influence, and honour, which were their heritage, and died, "full of days," the 25th June, 1663. His successor,

WALTER GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, *b.* in 1611; *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Holt, bart. of Aston, by whom he had JOHN, his successor, with two other sons and three daughters. He wedded, secondly, Anne, daughter of Thomas Huggeford, esq. of Solihull, but had no other issue. He *d.* in 1688, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, *b.* in 1637; *m.* Francis, daughter of William Fitzherbert, esq. of Swinnerton, and dying in 1694, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

THOMAS GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, who wedded, in 1688, Mary, daughter of John Thimelby, esq. of Fornham, in the county of Lincoln, but dying without issue, in 1718, was succeeded by his kinsman,

PETER GIFFARD, esq. of Black Ladies, (refer to John, second son of Peter, who suffered during the civil wars, and died in 1663), who thus became of CHILLINGTON, and representative of the family. He wedded, first, Winifred, daughter of Robert Howard, esq. of Horecross, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Barbara, daughter of Sir Robert Throgmorton, bart. of Caughton, and had,

PETER, his successor.
Maria, *m.* to Sir Edward Smythe, bart. of Acton Burnell.
Anna, *m.* to —— Weld, esq.

Mr. Giffard *m.* thirdly, Helen, daughter of Robert Roberts, esq. of Plâs-Ucha, in the county of Flint, by whom he had two sons and a daughter, viz.

THOMAS, successor to his brother Peter.
John, who inherited his mother's estate of Plâs-Ucha.
Catherine, *m.* to Francis Canning, esq. of Foxcote.

He *d.* in 1746, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, who died in 1749, before he had attained his majority, when the estates devolved upon his half-brother,

THOMAS GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington. This gentleman *m.* first, Barbara, daughter of Robert Lord Petre, by whom he had one daughter,

Maria, *m.* to Sir John Throgmorton, bart.

Mr. Giffard espoused, secondly, Barbara, daughter of Sir Robert Throgmorton, bart and had a son,

THOMAS, his successor.

He wedded, thirdly, Frances, daughter of T. Stonor, esq. of Stonor, in the county of Oxford, by whom he left,

John.
Frances, *m.* to William Throgmorton, esq.

He *d.* in 1775, and was *s.* by his elder son,

THOMAS GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, who *m.* 23rd June, 1788, the Right Hon. Lady Charlotte Courtenay, sister of the late Earl of Devon, and had issue

THOMAS-WILLIAM, his heir.
Francis-John.
Walter-Peter.
Charles-Robert.
Robert-Edward, captain 10th Hussars.
Charlotte, *m.* to Samuel - Campbell Simpson, esq.
Lucy-Harriet.
Sophia-Elizabeth, *m.* to John Wrottesley, esq. son and heir of Sir John Wrottesley, bart.
Anne-Barbara, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Whitmore.
Barbara-Denise.
Caroline-Mallett, *m.* to John Mytton, esq. of Halston.
Louisa-Paulina-Charlotte.

Mr. Giffard *d.* 1st August, 1823, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present THOMAS-WILLIAM GIFFARD, esq. of Chillington, who is twenty-first in the direct male line from WALTER GYFFARDE, first Earl of Buckingham.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, az. three stirrups with leathers, or, two and one (for CHILLINGTON); second and third, gules, three lions' passant, arg. (for BUCKINGHAM).

Crests—A tiger's head couped, full faced, spotted various, flames issuing from his mouth, ppr. granted in 1513. A demi-archer bearded and couped at the knees, in armour, ppr. from his middle a short coat paly, arg. and gules. At his middle a quiver

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of arrows, or, in his hands a bow and arrow drawn to the head, or, granted in 1523.

Motto—Prenez haleine, tirez fort. (Take breath and pull strong).

Estates—Chillington, &c. in the counties of Stafford and Salop; Walton, Marston, Whiston, by marriage, about the year 1380; Black Ladies, by grant from the crown, temp. HENRY VIII.; Stow-Heath, (coal and iron mines between Wolverhampton and Bilston), by marriage, about 1590, all these likewise in the county of Stafford. There are also valuable manorial rights.

Seat—Chillington, in the county of Stafford.

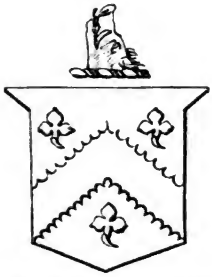
LOFTUS, OF KILBRIDE.

LOFTUS, WILLIAM-FRANCIS-BENTICK, esq. of Kilbride, in the county of Wicklow, a colonel in the army, *b.* 17th August, 1784, *m.* 9th October, 1819, Margaret-Harriet, daughter of Archdeacon Langrishe, and niece of Sir Robert Langrishe, bart. and has issue,

WILLIAM-JAMES, *b.* 7th January, 1822.
Henry, *b.* 9th March, 1823.
Mary-Harriet-Ann.
Elizabeth.

Colonel Loftus was one of the esquires to the Marquess of Ely, at the installation of the Knights of St. Patrick, in 1819. He *s.* his father 15th July, 1831.

Lineage.



The family of Loftus, or as it was anciently spelt, Lofthouse, appears from the archives of York Minster, to have flourished in Yorkshire as early as the reign of ALFRED, and the same records shew that Christopher Lofthouse was prior of Helagh, in the same county, anno 1460.

EDWARD LOFTUS, of Swineshead, in the county of York, left two sons,

1. ROBERT, whose second son,

ADAM LOFTUS, an eminent and distinguished lawyer, was appointed LORD CHANCELLOR OF IRELAND, in 1619, and created in 1622 VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY, a dignity which expired with his Lordship's grandson, ARTHUR, third viscount, who *d.* in 1725, without male issue, when his Monasterevan estate passed to his only daughter Jane's son, (by Charles Lord Moore) Henry, fourth Earl of Drogheda.

2. ADAM.

The second son,

ADAM LOFTUS, D.D. of Trinity College, Cambridge, was consecrated in 1561, Archbishop of Armagh, and translated in six years afterwards to the see of Dublin. This eminent prelate was twice Keeper of the great Seal of Ireland, and died in the high office of Lord Chancellor of that Kingdom. He was four times, (viz. in 1582, 1585, 1597, and 1599) one of the Lords Justices, and was Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, which University he had a principal part in founding, and in which his descendants enjoy certain privileges during the period they are students. His grace built the Castle at Rathfarnham, and died 5th April, 1605, at the age of seventy-two, having had by his wife, Jane, daughter of Adam Purdon, esq. of Lurgan Race, in the county of Louth, five sons and seven daughters, viz.

1. DUDLEY, (Sir) the eldest son, of Rathfarnham Castle, *m.* Anne, daugh-

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ter of Sir Henry Bagenal, of Newry, and from this alliance lineally sprung

NICHOLAS LOFTUS, esq. M.P. for the county of Wexford, who was elevated to the peerage of Ireland, as BARON LOFTUS, of LOFTUS HALL, 5th October, 1751. His lordship was sworn of his Majesty's Privy Council, in 1753, nominated governor of the county of Wexford, and advanced to a Viscounty, as VISCOUNT LOFTUS *of Ely*, 19th July, 1756. He was *s.* by his elder son,

NICHOLAS, second viscount, who was raised to an Earldom, as EARL OF ELY, 23rd October, 1766, and was *s.* by his only son,

NICHOLAS, second earl, who *d.* unm. in 1769, when the earldom expired, but the viscounty and barony reverted to his uncle,

THE HON. HENRY LOFTUS, as fourth viscount. His lordship was created EARL OF ELY, but dying *s. p.* in 1783, the honors and male line of this branch of the family expired, while his lordship's estates devolved upon (the son of his sister, the Hon. Elizabeth Tottenham) his nephew,

RIGHT HON. CHARLES TOTTENHAM, who thereupon assumed the surname and arms of LOFTUS, and was created in 1800, MARQUESS OF ELY. His lordship *d.* in 1806, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN, present and second marquess. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

2. Edward (Sir), serjeant at law, *d. s. p.* in 1602.
3. Adam, a captain in the army, killed in action with the O'Byrnes of the county of Wicklow, 29th May, 1599, *s.p.*
4. THOMAS, (Sir) knt. of whom presently.
5. Henry, *d.* young.
6. Margaret, *m.* to Sir George Colley, knt. of Edenderry.
7. Isabella, *m.* to Sir William Usher, knt. and *d.* in 1612.
8. Alicia, *m.* to Sir Henry Warren, of Warrenstown.
9. Martha, *m.* to Sir Thomas Colclough, knt. of Tintern Abbey, in the county Wexford.
10. Anne, *m.* first to Sir Henry Colley, knt. of Castle Carberry, and her great-great-great-great grandsons are the present Marquess of Wellesley, the Duke of Wellington, Lord Maryborough, Lord Cowley, and the Rev. Doctor Wellesley. She espoused secondly George Blount, esq. of Kidderminster, and thirdly Edward, first Lord Blayney.
11. Jane, *m.* first to Sir Francis Berkeley, of Askeaton, and secondly to Henry Berkeley, esq.
12. Dorothy, *m.* to Sir John Moore, knt. of Croghen, and from this alliance lineally derives Charles, present Earl of CHARLEVILLE.

The fourth son of the archbishop,

SIR THOMAS LOFTUS, knt. of Killyan, in the county of Meath, was appointed 19th May, 1596, constable of the castle of Wicklow; knighted 24th September, 1599; and in December, 1610, he received a grant of the monastery of Clonard, with other lands in the county of Meath. He *m.* Ellen, daughter of Robert Hartpole, esq. of Shrule, in the Queen's county (widow of Francis Cosby, esq. of Stradbally) and had issue,

Edward (Sir), *d. s. p.* in 1601.

DUDLEY, successor to his father.

Adam, who *m.* Dorcas, daughter of Richard Cosby, esq. of Stradbally, in the Queen's county, and had (with three sons who *d.* in infancy) three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

Ellen, *m.* to Vincent Kidder, esq. of Aghabointte, Queen's county.

Ann, *m.* to Thomas Beardmore, esq.

Martha, *m.* to Walter Taylor, esq.

Edward of Ballynurgyn in the King's county, who *m.* Mary, daughter of James Bryan, esq. of Whiteswall, in the county Kilkenny, and had one son,

THOMAS, of Whiteswall and Ballynurgyn, who *m.* Thomasin, daughter of Haywood Oxburgh, esq. of Bovyn, in the Queen's county, and had two sons, Thomas and Edward, the descendants of whom settled on the borders of the King's county and the county Galway.

Francis, *d.* unmarried.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Jeremy Jones, esq. of Balaghy, in the county Sligo.

Sir Thomas Loftus dying at Tymohogie 1st December, 1635, was interred in St. Patrick's church Dublin, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

SIR DUDLEY LOFTUS, knt. of Killyan, who

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had livery of his estate, 13th March, 1637. He was lord of the manors of Killyan and Clonard, and had the advowson of Clonard. Sir Dudley *m.* Cecilia, daughter of Sir James Ware, knt. auditor General of Ireland, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Jeremy Jones, esq.
Elenor, *m.* to — Duckenfield, esq.

He *d.* in 1648, and was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS LOFTUS, esq. of Killyan and Clonard, who *m.* first Susanna, daughter of Henry Elkenhead, esq. by whom he had issue,

1. DUDLEY, of Killyan, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Smyth, esq. of Dromcree, and dying in 1714, left issue,
   1. THOMAS, of Killyan, who espoused first Alice, sister of Robert Rochford, first Earl of Belvedere, which lady dying *s. p.* 13th July, 1748, he *m.* secondly in 1759, Jane, daughter of Robert Perceval, esq. of Knight'sbrook, and had (with three daughters, Jane, Anne, and Martha,) a son and successor,
      DUDLEY, of Killyan, who *m.* in 1795, Lady Jane Gore, daughter of the Earl of Arran, and had (with a son Dudley, who *d.* young) two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.
         CATHERINE, *m.* to Sir George Rich, knt. chamberlain to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, and has issue.
         ELIZABETH - GEORGIANA, *m.* first to Thomas Allen, esq. who *d. s. p.* and secondly to William Magan, esq. and has issue.

      Dudley Loftus *d.* in 1807, when the male line of Thomas Loftus, of Killyan, by his first wife Susanna Elkenhead, became extinct, and the representation of the Loftus family devolved upon Edward Loftus, esq. of Anneville, and at his death upon General Loftus.
2. Arthur, major in Wolf's regiment of foot, *d.* unmarried.
3. Edward, of the Grange, in the county of Kildare, who purchased the Clara estate, and marrying Letitia, daughter of Robert Loftus, esq. of the King's County, left at his decease, 2nd March, 1785, a son and heir,
   DUDLEY, of Anneville, in the county of Meath, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Joseph Ash, esq. of Ashfield, and had issue at his demise, 7th August, 1805,
      1. EDWARD, of Anneville, a military officer, HEAD of the LOFTUS FAMILY, upon the demise of Dudley Loftus, esq. in 1807, who espoused Miss Ruth Faulkner, of Ballyrickard, in the county of Tipperary, but dying *s. p.* in 1824, the Clara estate devolved upon his sisters as co-heirs.
      2. Susanna.
      3. Anne.
4. Smyth, in holy orders, vicar of Coolock, in the county of Dublin, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of Brent Smith, esq. of Dublin, and had issue,
   Dudley, Thomas, Alice, } who all *d.* issueless.
5. Susanna, *m.* to Joseph Ashe, esq. of Ashfield, in the county of Meath.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Laurence Steel, esq. of Rathbridge, in the county Kildare.

II. Edward, of Grange, in the county of Kildare, who *m.* Miss Susanna Cory, and dying *s. p.* in 1737, bequeathed his estate to his nephew, Edward Loftus.

III. Anne, IV. Susanna, } both *d. s. p.*

V. Cecilia, *m.* first, to Walter Weldon, esq. of Rahenderry, in the Queen's County, secondly, to Jones Eustace, esq. and thirdly, to Adam Kidder, esq.

Thomas Loftus, esq. of Killyan, espoused secondly, Letitia,* daughter of Simon Digby, D.D. Bishop of Elphin, by Elizabeth, daughter of Warner Westenra, esq. ancestor of Lord Rossmore, and had further issue,

I. Adam, who *d.* in youth.
II. SIMON, of whom presently.
III. Susanna, *m.* first, to Francis Obre, esq. of Cloncolin, in the county of

* This lady was great niece of the first Lord Digby, and descended through Letitia Fitz Gerald, Countess of Offaley, the wife of Sir Robert Digby, from Johan, daughter of John Duke of Lancaster, son of EDWARD III.

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Armagh, and secondly, to Thomas Richard Barlow, esq. of Lancashire.

SIMON LOFTUS, esq. eldest surviving son of Thomas Loftus, of Killyan, by his second wife, was lieutenant-colonel of the 15th foot, and *d.* (about 1741) at Jamaica, of the wounds he had received at the siege of Carthagenia. He *m.* Hannah, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Johnson,* esq. of Clara, in the county of Kilkenny, by whom he had issue,

ARTHUR, major in the 22nd foot, and for many years a member of the Irish parliament, who *s.* his mother, at Clara, which estate he sold to his cousin, Edward Loftus, esq. of Grange, He *m.* Miss Dorothy Weatherhead, of Boston, New England, but *d. s. p.* in 1781.

HENRY, of whom presently.

Dudley, lieutenant in the army, killed at Carthagenia the same year as his father.

Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Elrington, and had issue two sons and one daughter, viz.

1. JAMES-DUDLEY ELRINGTON, in holy orders, *d.* unmarried.
2. John-Henry Elrington, major of the Tower of London, who *m.* Susanna, daughter of James Read, esq. and has issue.
3. Mary Elrington, *m.* to Matthew Villiers-Sankey, esq. of Coolmore, in the county of Tipperary.

The second son,

HENRY LOFTUS, esq. was member in the Irish parliament for the boroughs of Fetherd Bannow, and Clonmines. He espoused Diana, daughter of William Bullock, esq. of Sturston Hall, in the county of Norfolk, and dying in December, 1792, aged sixty-seven, left issue,

THOMAS, member in the Irish parliament, and a captain in the 1st horse guards, who *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Palliser, of Rathfarnham, but *d. s. p.* in 1791.

WILLIAM, of whom presently.

Arthur, in holy orders, who *m.* Ellen, daughter of Duke Gifford, esq.† of Castle Jordan, (commonly called Sir Duke Gifford, bart.) by Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Alexander Eustace, esq. and left at his decease three sons, viz.

1. HENRY-DUKE, a major in the army, and captain in the 9th foot, who espoused Mary-Ann, eldest daughter of General Loftus, but *d. s. p.* in 1822.
2. Arthur, of Rathangan, a lieutenant in the navy, who *m.* Anne-Abigail, only child and heiress of John Grey, esq. and has issue.
   Arthur-John, *b.* 1st May, 1817.
   Jane.
3. William, a captain in the army, who *m.* Ellen, daughter of Capt. Felix Brady, of the 10th foot, by whom he left issue at his decease, in 1825, one son and a daughter, viz.
   William-Henry.
   Ellen, who *d.* 26th May, 1831.

The second son of Henry Loftus, esq.

WILLIAM LOFTUS, esq. of Wimpole Street, London, and of Kilbride, in the county of Wicklow, a general officer in the army, colonel of the 2nd dragoon guards, and lieutenant of the Tower of London, became, upon the decease of Edward Loftus, esq. of Anneville, in 1824, the head of the Loftus family. This gallant soldier, at the time of his death, was one of the oldest officers in the service, having entered the army as cornet, in the 9th dragoon guards, as early as 1770. He eminently distinguished himself in the American War, taking an active part in the memorable conflict of Bunker's Hill, at the landing of New York, the attack on Fort Washington, &c. In 1794, Captain Loftus raised, and was appointed colonel of, the 24th light dragoons, and in 1796 was made a major-general, and appointed to the English Staff. In 1797, he was nominated to the Irish Staff and to the command at Cork, and in the following year we find him commanding, with distinction, a brigade against the rebels, at Vinegar Hill. He was subsequently and successively appointed lieutenant-general in the army, governor of Dumbarton Castle, and lieutenant of the Tower of London. In 1813, he obtained the rank of full general, and in 1821 the colonelcy of the 2nd dragoon guards.

Previous to the Union, General Loftus sat in the Irish parliament for Bannow, and in the English from 1796 to 1818 successively, for the boroughs of Great Yarmouth and Tamworth. He *m.* first, 18th February, 1778, Margaret, daughter and co-heiress of M. King, esq. of Lesson Hall, in the county of Dublin, and had issue,

HENRY, colonel in the army, and cap-

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* This gentleman bore the arms of the Duke of Bourbon, taken prisoner by his ancestor at the battle of Agincourt.

† The family of Gifford derived from

WALTER GIFFORD, Earl of Longueville, in Normandy, who had two sons, viz.

1. WALTER, who, for his eminent services in England, was dignified by the CONQUERER with the earldom of Buckingham and Pembroke, and from him derives through an heiress, the present Duke of Buckingham, see *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*
2. Hugh, ancestor of the Giffords, of Castle Jordan, in the county of Meath.

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tain in the Coldstream Guards, who *d. s. p.* in 1823.

William-Francis-Bentick, present representative of the family.

Mary-Anne, *m.* to Major Henry Duke Loftus, and *d.* in 1811.

Harriet, *m.* to Thomas-Bourke Ricketts, esq. of Combe House, Herefordshire, and has issue.

General Loftus *m.* secondly, 7th May, 1790, Lady Elizabeth Townshend, daughter of George, first Marquess Townshend, by his first wife, Lady Charlotte Compton, Baroness Ferrers, of Chartley, and had further issue,

George-Colby, of Woolland, (see that family).

Arthur, in holy orders, M.A. of Clare Hall, Cambridge, rector of Fincham, Norfolk, *b.* 7th July, 1795.

Charles, a lieutenant in the army, and late of the Coldstream Guards, *b.* 21st September, 1796: *m.* in February, 1825, Jane, daughter of Colonel John Dixon, of Gledhow, in Yorkshire, and has issue a daughter,

Charlotte-Lydia.

Ferrers, captain in the Grenadier Guards, *b.* 24th June, 1798; *m.* 11th October, 1832, Louisa, only child of the Rev. John Bastard, of West Lodge, in Dorsetshire.

Frederick, a captain in the army, *b.* 17th November, 1799, married.

Charlotte, *m.* in 1812, to Lord Charles Vere Compton-Townshend, M. P. brother of the Marquess Townshend.

Elizabeth-Georgiana-Ann.

Ann-Harriet-Margaret, *d.* in 1825.

Jane-Perceval-Compton, *m.* to H. C. Singleton, esq.

General Loftus *d.* 15th July, 1831, when the representation of the Loftus family devolved upon his eldest son, Col. William Francis Loftus, of Kilbride.

Arms—Sa. a chev. engr. erm. between three trefoils, slipped arg.

Crest—A boar's head, couped and erect, arg. langued gu.

Mottoes—Prend moi tel que je suis. *Around the crest:* Loyal à mort.

Estates—Kilbride, in the county of Wicklow, and elsewhere.

Seat—The Mount, near Oswestry, in the county of Salop.

LOFTUS, OF WOOLLAND.

LOFTUS, GEORGE-COLBY, esq. of Woolland House, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 15th February, 1791, *m.* in 1821, Catherine, daughter and sole heiress of John Feaver, esq. of Woolland House. This gentleman, late a captain in the 3rd guards, served under the Duke of Wellington in Spain and Portugal.

Lineage.

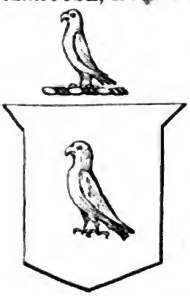
For an account of this gentleman's family and armorial ensigns, refer to lineage of his eldest brother, Col. Loftus, of Kilbride.

Estates—in Dorsetshire.

Seat—Woolland House, near Blandford.

SENHOUSE, OF NETHER HALL.

SENHOUSE, HUMPHREY, esq. of Alneburgh or Ellenborough, otherwise Nether Hall, in the county of Cumberland, *b.* 27th November, 1773, *m.* 29th September, 1803, Elizabeth-Frances, daughter and co-heiress of Robert Charles Greaves, esq. (who has since assumed the surname of Ley), of Ingleby-Hill, in Derbyshire, and has issue,



Humphrey, *b.* 16th April, 1809.
Elizabeth.
Catharine.
Ellen.

Mr. Senhouse succeeded his father in 1814, and served the office of sheriff for the county of Cumberland, in 1826.

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Lineage.

The family DE SEWYNHOUSE, DE SEVENHOUSE, or DE SENHOUSE, derives its surname from Hall Sevenhouse, or Senhouse, a district of Cumberland. The first of its members upon record,

WALTER DE SEWYNHOUSE, had a grant of the fifth part of the township of Bolton, in the parish of Gosforth, from Alan de Coupland, and likewise a grant of other lands in the same parish from William de Wayberthwaite. These grants are both without date, but both are witnessed by Sir Adam de Lamplugh, knt. who lived in the times of *Kings* RICHARD I. and JOHN. Walter was *s.* by his son,

WALTER DE SEVENHOUSE, who was witness to a deed, also without date, with Sir Richard le Fleming, knt. who died about the close of HENRY III.'s reign. This Walter was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS DE SEVENHOUSE, who was *s.* by his son and heir, another

NICHOLAS DE SEVENHOUSE, who held the hamlet of Newton, or Seascale, in the parish of Gosforth, of Thomas de Multon, of Egremont, as appears by the office of escheat after the death of the said Thomas, bearing date 15th EDWARD II. Nicholas de Sevenhouse became possessed of the hamlet of Newton in right of his wife, a daughter and heiress of De Ponsonby, whose arms quartered with those of De Sevenhouse, engraven on stone, are at present to be seen on the manor hall of Seascale. He was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS DE SEWYNHOUSE OR DE SENHOUSE, who had a grant of certain lands in Bolton from James de Wayberthwaite, bearing date 6th RICHARD II. and grants of certain other lands within the lordship of Bolton Fell from William de Wayberthwaite, formerly rector of Wayberthwaite, all dated in the 14th of the same reign. He married, as it would seem, a daughter and co-heiress of Alan de Coupland, of Coupland and Seaton, in the county of Cumberland, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DE SEVENHOUSE, who *m.* a daughter and co-heir of Lucy. Amongst the archives of the family of Senhouse is still preserved a deed of conveyance from Alice de Lucy, daughter and co-heir of Richard de Lucy, of Egremont, by Ada de Morville, his wife, to her second son, Sir John de Lucy, high sheriff of the county of Cumberland for two years, 31st EDWARD I. and knight of the shire for the same county 34th of the same reign, from whom, by his wife Christian, descended the wife of this William Sevenhouse, which William was *s.* at his decease by his son,

THOMAS DE SENHOUSE, whose name appears in the return of gentlemen of the county of Cumberland, made in the 12th HENRY VI. It is related that in a warm altercation with a monk of Calder Abbey, relative to his claim of a right to fish in the river Calder, this Thomas de Sevenhouse was so highly exasperated that he hurled the monk over the battlements of the bridge. For this summary act of extra-judicial process he was obliged to compound by a heavy fine imposed upon his estates. He *m.* a daughter of Sir Richard Hudleston, of Millum Castle, in Cumberland, knight banneret, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS SENHOUSE, who was a party with Richard Hudleston, esq. of Millum Castle, in an award made by his brother, Sir Simon Senhouse,* prior of Carlisle, 16th HENRY VII. He was also, in the next year, a party with William Stanley, esq. of Dalegarth, in Cumberland, in another award made by William Siveger, Lord Bishop of Carlisle, 17th HENRY VII. He *m.* Eleanor, daughter of John Lamplugh, esq. of Lamplugh, and had JOHN, his successor, ANTHONY, and Margaret, wife of John Stanley, esq. of Dalegarth. This Thomas, as did his father, enjoyed the family estates for half a century. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, who *m.* in 1528, Elizabeth, elder sister and co-heir of Richard Eglesfield,† son of Gawen Eglesfield, of Alneburgh Hall, high sheriff of the county of Cumberland in the 9th HENRY VIII. (which Gawen was the descendant in a right line from John de Eglesfield, the elder brother of Robert de Eglesfield, the FOUNDER of QUEEN'S COLLEGE, OXFORD.) This John Senhouse received an ample pardon, by

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* SIR SIMON SENHOUSE, prior of Carlisle, second son of Thomas de Sevenhouse, by the daughter of Hudleston. This reverend and learned person caused the principal apartment in the tower of the priory to be curiously painted with the paternal crest, motto, and badge, as well as the motto of his mother's (the Hudleston) family, together with numerous emblematic devices, and pious ejaculations in prose and verse. He had likewise the legends of Saint Anthony, Saint Augustine, and Saint Cuthbert, painted in the aisles of the cathedral at Carlisle. He lies buried under a marble tomb in the north side of the cathedral church.

† With her sister Anne, who *m.* John Bardsey, of Bardsey, in Lancashire, and *d. s. p.*

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letters patent, for all such crimes of a treasonable nature as he had previously committed, and he was appointed, also by letters patent, dated 7th ELIZABETH, escheator of the counties of Cumberland and Westmoreland. He *d.* in 1568, leaving four sons, viz.

1. THOMAS, who inherited all the patrimonial estates of the family, and acquired himself, in the 6th of ELIZABETH, the advowson and right of patronage of the rectory and parish church of Gosforth. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of John Vaux, esq. of Catterlen, in Cumberland, and was *s.* by his son,

   JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. of Seascale Hall, who *m.* Mary, daughter of William Fleming, esq. of Rydal, in Westmoreland, and *d.* in 1636, leaving issue,

   1. JOHN, of Seascale, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heir of John Bimpson, esq. of Shevington, in Lancashire, by his wife, the sister and co-heir of Sir Edward Wrightington, knight, of Wrightington, in the same county. This John's name, under the denomination of "John Senhouse, esq. of Eccleston," was inserted, 28th October, 1652, in the additional bill for the sale of lands and estates forfeited to the commonwealth. His eldest son, John, *d.* in the lifetime of his father without issue. His second son,

      WRIGHTINGTON SENHOUSE of Seascale Hall, who was to have been one of the Knights of the Royal Oak, in 1660, was father of

      JOHN SENHOUSE, of Seascale Hall, high sheriff of Cumberland, 3rd of ANNE, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of John Bellingham, esq. of Levens, in Westmorland. This John sold all the patrimonial estates, and his descendants became EXTINCT in the male line about the middle of the last century.

   2. Joseph, founder of the Hall Bolton family, which became EXTINCT in the male line about a hundred years ago.

   II. Peter, of Ellenborough Hall, who was admitted to the freedom of the city of London in 1562. To this Peter, his aunt, Anne Bardsey, granted one half of her moiety of the manor of Alneburgh, otherwise Nether Hall. He *d.* unmarried, and bequeathed his estates to his brother John.

   III. JOHN, of whom presently.

   IV. Richard, incumbent of Claughton, in Lancashire.

The third son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, succeeded his elder brother Peter, in his half moiety of the manor of Ellenborough, and inherited from his mother her moiety of the same. He had saved that lady's life, at the imminent risk of his own, from the certainty of being drowned in the river Derwent. He inherited, likewise, his aunt Bardsey's half moiety, and thus became eventually sole proprietor of Alneburgh, or Ellenborough, otherwise Netherhall. This John is the person whom Camden mentions in his Britannia, as having collected with great industry, numerous Roman stones, altars, lavers, statues, with inscriptions, which he had placed with much taste in his houses and buildings; and as having entertained, in 1599, the celebrated antiquary himself, and Sir Robert Cotton, of Conington, with great civility. He was steward of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. which formerly belonged to the monastery of Holme-Cuttram, in the county of Cumberland. He *m.* Anne, daughter of John Ponsonby, esq. of Hail Hall, and had, with other issue,

1. PETER, his successor.
2. Simon, who was murdered near Dovenby, by Skelton, of Armathwaithe. Skelton and himself are said to have paid their addresses to the same lady, who gave the preference to Simon, and thereby so enraged Skelton, as to excite him to so base an act of unmerited vengeance.
3. Richard, in holy orders, D.D. fellow of St. John's, Cambridge, afterwards dean of Gloucester, and consecrated in 1624, bishop of Carlisle. Of this prelate it is related, that "When he was a scholar at Cambridge, coming into the country to see his friends, his horse happened to cast a shoe, and having no money to to pay the smith withal,—'*Well, well,*' says the smith, '*go your ways, and when you come to be bishop of Carlisle, you'll pay me;*' which he did in abundance of gratuity; and was a religious and honest pastor." Dr. Senhouse preached the coronation sermon before *King* CHARLES I.

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and took for his text, "I will give thee a crown of life," which was afterwards esteemed as a prophecy. He was an excellent preacher, eloquent and graceful in delivery; and four much admired sermons were published after his decease.

Eleanor, *m.* to Henry Fletcher, esq. of Moresby Hall.

Jane, *m.* — Blennerhassett, esq. of Flimby.

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Briscoe, esq. of Crofton.

Mr. Senhouse* *d.* in 1604, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER SENHOUSE, esq. of Alneburgh, or Ellenborough Hall, otherwise Netherhall, who was appointed by letters patent, in the second of JAMES I. to succeed his father as steward of the lordships, &c. formerly belonging to the monastery of Cuttram. He was constituted likewise by letters patent (20 JAMES I.) escheator of the counties of Cumberland and Westmoreland, and he served the office of sheriff for the former shire in the 3rd of CHARLES I. He espoused Frances, daughter of Lancelot Skelton, esq. of Armathwaite Castle, in Cumberland, and had, with other children,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, of Long Newton, in Cumberland, who *m.* — daughter of Whelpdale, and was grandfather of

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. a lieutenant in Tangier, who built Tangier House, and Tangier and Senhouse-street, and was possessed of large property at Whitehaven. He *d.* unmarried.

He* *d.* in 1654, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. of Alneburgh Hall, who *m.* Elizabeth, third daughter of Humphrey Wharton, esq. of Gillingwood, in the county of York, and had, with other issue,

1. Humphrey, who *d.* before his father *s. p.*
2. JOHN, successor to his father.
3. Richard.
4. Patricius, who *m.* in 1655, Elizabeth,* daughter and heiress of Thomas Bromfield, esq. of Hames Hall, Cumberland, and relict of Henry Dalton, esq. of Bregham. This gentleman's great grandson,

HUMPHREY SENHOUSE, esq. of Bridgfoot, in the county of Cumberland, major of the Cumberland militia, and a magistrate of the county, *m.* Isabella, daughter of William Ponsonby, esq. of Whitehaven, (by Catherine, daughter and co-heir of John Senhouse, esq. of the same place), and left issue at his decease, in 1829,

Humphrey, a captain in the Cumberland militia, *m.* and has issue.

William, of Lincoln's Inn,

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* Mr. Senhouse had also another son, LEONARD, who resided at Isel in 1591, but subsequently removed to Wigton. He *d.* in 1638, leaving, with a daughter, Janet, a son and heir.

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. grandfather of

JOSEPH SENHOUSE, esq. who wedded the daughter and heiress of John Tiffin, esq. of Calder Abbey, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. of Calder Abbey, high sheriff of Cumberland, 31st GEORGE II. who was *s.* by his son,

JOSEPH-TIFFIN SENHOUSE, esq. of Calder Abbey, an officer in the guards, who wedded first, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Robert Waters, esq. of Linethwaite, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Sarah, daughter of John Sunderland, esq. of Cartmel, in Lancashire, and died in 1805, leaving four daughters, viz.

1. MARY, present possessor of Calder Abbey, who *m.* in 1823, Thomas Irwin, esq. a captain of dragoons.
2. Eleanor, *m.* in 1824, to Samuel Irton, esq. of Irton (see vol. iii. p. 675).
3. Sarah. 4. Elizabeth.

* This Peter Senhouse seems to have married a second wife, a Mrs. Eglesfield, and had another son,

ANTHONY SENHOUSE, esq. of Thornhaugh, in the county of Northampton, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Banks, esq. and was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

The Reverend

PETER SENHOUSE, vicar of Kempley, in Gloucestershire, and of Linton-cum-Lea, in the county of Hereford, a prebendary of Brecon. This learned prelate published in 1727, a sermon on "the right use and improvement of sensitive pleasures, and more particularly of music," preached in the cathedral of Gloucester, at the anniversary meeting of the choirs. He was *s.* by his son,

PETER SENHOUSE, esq. of Barnesley, in Gloucestershire, living in 1738, who *d.* unmarried, and was *s.* by his sister,

ELIZABETH SENHOUSE, who wedded — Caldecott, esq. and their descendant, THOMAS CALDECOTT, esq. of Dartford, in Kent, bencher of the Middle-temple, is the present representative of this branch of the Senhouses.

† This lady was one of ten sisters, nine of whom died of the plague, caught from a man who merely called in at the house to light his pipe. She herself, being in London, escaped; but coming down, on hearing of their misfortune, was allowed by the magistrates to converse with her mother across the river Derwent only.

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barrister-at-law, who *d.* in 1829.
Catherine, *m.* to Ralph Cook, esq. of Camerton Hall.
Mary.

5. Margaret, *m.* to Henry Eglesfield, esq. of Cross Canonby, and *d.* in 1691.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Nicholson, esq.

Mr. Senhouse *d.* in 1667, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. of Netherhall, a captain in *King* CHARLES the First's army. This gentleman espoused first, Elizabeth, daughter of Jerom Tolhurst, esq. lieutenant governor and M.P. of Carlisle, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of Andrew Huddleston, esq. of Hutton-John, in Cumberland, and niece of Father Huddleston, chaplain and confessor to Charles II., and had

1. JOHN, his heir.
2. Andrew, killed at sea, fighting against the French.
3. Dudley, drowned in the river Lune.
4. Peter, *m.* Catherine, daughter of Skelton, of Branthwaite, and had issue,
   John, who had a son Peter, who *d.* unmarried, and a daughter Catherine, *m.* to William Ponsonby, esq. of Whitehaven, and had an only surviving daughter and heiress ISABELLA, who *m.* Major Senhouse, as stated above.
   Richard, M.D. left a son, Peter, who *d.* unmarried, in 1750.
5. HUMPHREY, of whom presently as purchaser of the manor and estate of Nether, and CONTINUATOR OF THE LINE OF THE FAMILY.
6. Dorothy, *m.* to her cousin Petricius Senhouse, esq. of Hames Hill.
7. Mary, *m.* to Richard Richmond, esq. of Crosby.

Captain Senhouse adopted a military life when young against the wishes of his parents, and had a narrow escape of his life, having been saved by the timely interposition of the son of a tenant who had followed him to the wars, and who afterwards held a tenement at Ellenborough rent free for life. Captain Senhouse *d.* in 1667, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SENHOUSE, esq. of Netherhall, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Richard Lamplugh, esq. of Dovenby Hall, in Cumberland, by whom (who married secondly, Charles Orfeur, esq. of Plumbland,) he had surviving issue at his decease in 1694,

1. Mary, *m.* first, to Francis Skelton, of Branthwaite, and secondly to Richard Butler, esq. of Rocliffe, in Lanchashire.
2. Jane, *m.* to John Stephenson, esq. of Baladool, in the Isle of Man.
3. Francis, *d.* unmarried.
4. Grace, *m.* to Richard, Viscount Shannon, and had an only daughter and heiress,
   GRACE, who *m.* Charles, Earl of Middlesex, eldest son of Lionel, first Duke of Dorset, but *d. s. p.*
5. Isabel, *m.* to John Fletcher, esq. of Clea Hall, in Cumberland, now represented by his great grandson,
   SIR HENRY FLETCHER, baronet.
6. Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

These ladies, who inherited as co-heirs to their father, disposed of the demesne of Netherhall and manor of Alneburgh, or Ellenborough, to their uncle,

HUMPHREY SENHOUSE, who thus became of Netherhall, or Ellenborough. He was enabled to effect this purchase by the grateful munificence of his mother's sister Bridget, daughter of Andrew Huddleston, esq. of Hutton-John, and of her husband, Joseph Huddleston, esq. of Millum Castle, both of whom adopted him, being themselves without issue, in consequence of some needful kindnesses received from Senhouse's father and mother, during the first years of their marriage; an alliance which had taken place contrary to the wishes of their immediate families, while Joseph Huddleston was a younger brother and before he inherited the patrimonial estate of Millum Castle. He espoused Eleanor, daughter of William Kirby, esq. of Aslack, in the county of Lancaster, and had issue,

Joseph-Richard, who *d.* unmarried, in 1718.
HUMPHREY his successor.
William-John, who *d.* unm. in 1727.
Bridget, *m.* to John Christian, esq. of Unerigg Hall, and had with other issue, a daughter,
   MARY who wedded Edmund Law, Bishop of Carlisle, and had, inter alios, a son,
      EDWARD (Sir), who upon being elevated to the peerage in 1802, assumed, by permission of the late Humphrey Senhouse, esq. M.P., the title of ELLENBOROUGH, from the ancient patrimony of his grandmother's family.
Johanna, *m.* to Gustavus Thomson, esq. of Arcleby.

Mr. Senhouse, who served the office of sheriff of the county of Cumberland, in the 1st of George I., died in 1738, and was *s.* by his son,

HUMPHEY SENHOUSE, of Netherhall, who *m.* Mary, daughter and ultimately co-heiress of the Right Rev. Sir George Fleming, bart. of Rydal, Lord Bishop of Carlisle, and had issue,

I. HUMPHREY, his successor.
II. William, *b.* in 1741, a lieut. R. N.,

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and subsequently Surveyor General of Barbadoes, and the Leeward Islands. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Samson Wood, esq. of Barbadoes, speaker of the house of assembly, and dying in 1800, left amongst other issue,

1. William-Wood, a commander in the R. N., to whom the inhabitants of Bridgetown, Barbadoes, and the Islands of St. Kitts, each presented a sword of one hundred guineas value, in testimony of the estimation in which they held his gallant professional achievements. He *d. v. p.* in 1800.
2. Samson, who purchased the manor of Newton and Seascale, with the advowson and rectory of Gosforth, which he afterwards sold to his mother, the present possessor of those estates. He *m.* in 1801, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Nicholas Le Mesurier, esq. of the Island of Gurnsey, but has no issue.
3. Humphrey - Fleming, a post-captain in the Royal Navy, at present flag-captain of his Majesty's Fleet, in the Mediterranean; a knight commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order. He espoused in 1810, Elizabeth, daughter and eventually co-heiress of Vice-admiral John Manley, of Plymouth, and has two daughters, Elizabeth Manley, and Mary Le Fleming.
4. George-Septimus, lieut. R. N. This gentleman was presented with a subscription sword, by the crew of the Unite Man-of-War, upon being paid off. In this vessel he was then serving as a very young midshipman, and the crew, prior to presenting the sword, carried him three times round the deck in their arms, giving him three cheers. The sword was inscribed with the words, "The good will of the Unite Crew." Mr. Senhouse had overheard some mutinous expressions on their part, and had so remonstrated with them as to pacify their turbulent feelings, and to produce an ebullition alike honorable to themselves and him. He *d.* unmarried in 1808.
5. Edward - Hooper, lieut. R. N., *m.* in 1815, Elizabeth-Bishop, daughter of John Spooner, esq. of Barbadoes, and has a son, William. *b.* in 1816.
6. James-Lowther, in holy orders, perpetual curate of Sawley, &c. in Derbyshire, and rector of Gosforth, who *m.* in 1824 Miss Elizabeth Brooks.
7. Mary-Ward, *m.* to John Barrow, esq. of Barbadoes.
8. Elizabeth, *m.* to Francis-Ford Pinder, esq. of Barbadoes.
9. Johanna. 10. Sarah.

III. Joseph (Sir), *b.* in 1743, in the E.I. Company naval service, knighted in 1783, *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heiress of John Ashley, esq. of Ashley Saint Legers, in the county of Northampton, and dying in 1829, left surviving issue,

1. JOSEPH-ASHLEY, an officer in the East India Company service.
2. Michael le-Fleming, in the half pay office, Westminster.
3. Humphrey-Dykes-Ballantyne.
4. William, an officer in the army.
5. Maria, *m.* to Joseph Gaitskell, M. D. of Bath.
6. Catherine. 7. Sarah.

IV. Mary, *m.* to Robert Gale, esq. of London.

Mr. Senhouse was high sheriff of the county of Cumberland, in the 16th GEORGE II. He founded the present flourishing town of Maryport, situated at the foot of the river Eden, which he so denominated after his lady. He *d.* in 1770, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HUMPHREY SENHOUSE, esq. of Netherhall. This gentleman, who was lieutenant-colonel of the Cumberland Militia, represented Cockermouth in parliament in 1786, and the county of Cumberland in 1790. He *m.* in 1768, Catherine, daughter of Thomas Wood, esq. of Beadnell, in Northumberland, and died in 1814, leaving an only surviving child,

HUMPHREY SENHOUSE, esq. the present proprietor.

Mr. Senhouse inherited the antiquarian skill and hospitality of his ancestor, John Senhouse, the friend of Camden.

Arms—Or, a popinjay ppr. (otherwise, per pale, arg. and gu. on the first a parrot vert.)

Crest—A popinjay, as in the arms, with a label in its beak, inscribed, "Deo Gratias."

Motto—Væ Victis.

Badge of the family—A crimson rose.

QUARTERINGS:

PONSONBY—Gu. a chevron between three combs, arg.

LUCY—Gu. three luces hauriant, ar.

COPELAND—Or, two bars, and a canton gules, over all a bend sa.

EGLESFIELD—Ar. three eagles displayed.

FLEMING—Gules, a fret ar.

Seat—Netherhall, near Maryport, Cumberland.

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LISTER, OF ARMITAGE PARK.

LISTER, THOMAS-HENRY, esq. of Armitage Park, in the county of Stafford, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 24th February, 1828, *m.* 6th Nov. 1830, Maria Theresa, daughter of the late Hon. George Villiers, brother to the Earl of Clarendon, and has a son and heir,

THOMAS VILLIERS, *b.* 7th May, 1832.

Lineage.

This family is of great antiquity in the north of England, and the senior branch, now represented by Lord Ribblesdale, has been seated at Gisburne for more than five centuries.

JOHN LISTER, son of Thomas Lister, espoused, in 1312, Isabel, daughter and heiress of John de Bolton, bowbearer of Bolland, the lineal representative, according to Dugdale, of the Saxon Earls of Mercia. The great-grandson of this marriage,

CHRISTOPHER LISTER, of Middop, *m.* in the reign of Edward IV. Joan, daughter of Sir William Calverley, of Calverley, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, of Middop, whose lineal descendant,

Sir William Lister, knt. of Thornton, marrying Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Bellasys, bart. of Newborough, left at his decease, in 1650, with other issue,

SIR MARTIN LISTER, knt. the well-known physician. This eminent person was born at Thornton, in Craven, and educated at Oxford, where he became fellow of Oriel College; but, travelling abroad, he took the degree of M.D. at Basil, and, in 1605, was incorporated at Oxford, as the English universities allowed a more universal communication of honors with those on the continent than is usual at present. His family and country recommended him to Anne, Countess of Pembroke, whom he appears to have served in the double capacity of agent and physician. By her recommendation he became physician in ordinary to *Queen* ANNE *of Denmark*, and afterwards to *King* CHARLES I. from whom he received the honor of knighthood in 1636. Having eventually attained the highest professional eminence, he was appointed president of the college of physicians. He *d.* about 1657, at Burwell, in Lincolnshire, aged ninety-two; an instance of a constitution, which either needed not the aids of his own faculty, or proved their efficacy.

2. THOMAS, of whom presently.
3. Nicholas, *d. s. p.*

The second son,

THOMAS LISTER, married the daughter and heiress of Roger de Cliderow, of Cliderow, and had issue,

THOMAS LISTER, who espoused Effamia, daughter and co-heir of — Westby, of Westby, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1540, by his son,

THOMAS LISTER, of Westby, who *m.* Anne, daughter and heiress of Richard King, esq. of Kingscrosse, near Halifax, and had, with other issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

John, who enjoyed his mother's estate, and was ancestor of the Listers of Manningham.

The eldest son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Westby, wedded Alice, daughter of Sir Richard Houghton, of Houghton Tower, in the county of Lancaster, by whom he had (with several other children) a son and successor,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Westby, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Greenacres, esq. of

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Worston, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1607, by his eldest son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Westby, a justice of the peace for Yorkshire, 15 JAMES I. He espoused Jane,* daughter of Thomas Heber, esq. of Marton, and dying in 1619, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Westby, baptized at Gisburn in 1604. This gentleman, during the civil wars, espoused the cause of the parliament, and was one of the commissioners for the trial of *King* CHARLES. He attended, however, only four of their meetings, and never signed the warrant; from which, it appears evident, that he did not cordially approve of the course the proceedings were taking; and it was probably in consideration of this circumstance, that the family estates were exempted from forfeiture at the restoration. He *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Richard Fletcher, knt. of Hutton, in the county of Cumberland, by whom (who espoused, after Mr. Lister's decease, Sir John Assheton,† bart. of Whalley Abbey, in Lancashire) he had issue,

1. THOMAS, of Arnoldsbiggin and Westby, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Deane, esq. of Ovendenword, in the county of York, and left at his decease, in 1660, an only daughter and heiress,
   - CATHERINE, who espoused Thomas Yorke, esq. of Richmond, Yorkshire, and their descendant now resides in that county.
2. JOHN, of whom presently.
3. Jane, *d.* unmarried.
4. Barbara, *m.* first, to William Norvel, esq. of Merelay, in Lancashire, and secondly, to John Lambert, esq. of Calton, son of Major-general Lambert, by whom she had an only dau. and heiress,
   - FRANCES, *m.* to Sir John Middleton, bart. of Belsay Castle, and her great-grandson is the present
     - SIR CHARLES-MILES-LAMBERT MONCK, bart. of Belsay Castle, (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).
5. Mary.

The second son,

JOHN LISTER, esq. of Arnoldsbiggin, was baptized at Gisburn, 2nd February, 1641. He *m.* Mary, daughter of William Lodge, of Leeds, merchant, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Arnoldsbiggin, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Parker, esq. of Extwisle, in the county of Lancaster, and dying in 1706, the estates devolved upon his eldest son,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. M.P. of Arnoldsbiggin, and of Lower Hall, to which he gave the name of Gisburne Park, (having removed thither upon the demise of Sir John Assheton). He *m.* Catherine, daughter and co-heir of Sir Ralph Assheton, bart. of Whalley Abbey, by whom (who *d.* 30th August, 1728) he had issue,

1. THOMAS, whose son,
   - THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Gisburne Park, was elevated to the peerage 26th October, 1797, by the title of BARON RIBBLESDALE, of *Gisburne Park*, in the county of York. His lordship *m.* in 1789, Rebecca, dau. of Joseph Fielding, esq. and had issue,
     - THOMAS, second Lord Ribblesdale, who *d.* in December, 1832, leaving an infant son, the present Lord.
     - Catherine, *m.* first, in 1810, to James Skurray-Day, esq. and secondly, in 1817, to the Rev. John Fleming-Parker.
     - Rebecca-Adelaide.
2. NATHANIEL, of whom presently.
3. Catherine,
4. Mary,
5. Anne,

all *d.* unmarried.

The second son,

NATHANIEL LISTER, esq. of Armitage Park,* which property he purchased, represented Clitheroe in parliament, from 1761 to 1763 inclusive, and was well-known in the literary world. Miss Seward addressed to him a beautiful poem on having read his verses in MS. He *m.* Martha, daughter and heiress of John Fletcher, esq. of Lichfield, by whom he had issue,

- JOHN, his successor.
- THOMAS, eventual inheritor.
- Mary, *m.* to Rev. John Oldershaw, late rector of Tarvin, in the county of Chester, and *d.* in 1814, leaving issue.
- Catherine, *m.* to Robert Nugent Dunbar, esq. of Machrimore, in the county of Kirkudbright, Scotland.
- Martha, *d.* unm. 16th February, 1828.
- Charlotte, *m.* in January, 1808, to Augustus Bulstrode, esq. and *d.* in 1810. Mr. Bulstrode, the last male representative of the ancient house of that name, *d.* himself in September, 1823.

Mr. Lister was *s.* at his decease, 28th December, 1793, by his eldest son,

JOHN LISTER, esq. of Armitage Park, an

* This lady married, after the decease of Mr. Lister, Richard Ashe, esq. of Aughton, who was a member of the Temple, master of the crown office, during the usurpation, and counsel for the regicides at the trial of the king.

† This gentleman left considerable estates to his wife's grandson, Lister.

* This estate previously to the Restoration was called Hawksyard Park.

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officer of dragoons, at whose demise, unmarried, in June, 1802, the estates devolved upon his only brother,

THOMAS LISTER, esq. of Armitage Park, *b.* 20th November, 1772, who likewise inherited the property of his maternal grandfather. Miss Seward mentions this gentleman as "having given to the public prints repeated proofs of his fine poetic talents." He *m.* first, in 1800, Harriett-Ann, daughter of the late John Seale, esq. of Mountboone, in the county of Devon, by whom (who *d.* 4th December, 1802) he had an only son,

THOMAS-HENRY, present proprietor.

He espoused, secondly, in 1805, Mary, dau. of the late William Grove, esq. of Honileigh, in the county of Warwick, and had further issue,

Charles.
Adelaide, *m.* first in 1826, to her cousin, the Hon. Tho. Lister, late Ld. Ribblesdale, and 2ndly to Ld. John Russell.
Charlotte, *d.* in 1827.
Harriett.

Mr. Lister *d.* 24th February, 1828, and was *s.* by his son, THOMAS-HENRY LISTER, esq. now representative of this branch of the family.

Arms—Ermine, on a fess sa, three mullets or.

Crest—A buck's head, party per fesse, ppr. and or, with a crescent on it.

Motto—Retinens vestigia famæ.

Town Residence—Kent House, Knightsbridge.

Seat—Armitage Park, Staffordshire.

LEWIS, OF ST. PIERRE.

LEWIS, CHARLES, esq. of St. Pierre, in the county of Monmouth, *m.* in 1777, Ann-Susanna, daughter of Francis Davis, esq. of Chepstow, by Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John Higford, esq. of Dixton, in the county of Gloucester, and has issue,

THOMAS, Lieutenant Colonel of the Monmouth and Brecon Militia, who *m.* first Maria-Anne, daughter of Thomas Daniel, esq. of Henbury, in the county of Gloster, and secondly, Caroline-Jane, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Dyot Skep-Bucknall, esq. of Hampton Court, in the county of Middlesex.
Charles-James.
Francis, who *m.* Mary, eldest daughter of the Reverend Edward Lewis of Portskenet, by Mary, daughter and co-heir of John Freke, esq. of the county of Wilts.
Frances-Susanna, *m.* to John Baldwyn, esq. of the Mount, Chepstow.

Mr. Lewis *s.* to the estates upon the demise issueless of his brother in 1790.

Lineage.

The descent of this family is derived in a direct male line from CEDIVOR, or CADIVOR, prince or chieftain of Divet (Dunetia), a portion of country which comprised Pembrokeshire and part of Carmarthenshire, CADIVOR* flourished about the period of the Norman Conquest, and was buried in the priory of Carmarthen. He espoused Ellen, daughter and heiress of Lwchlawen, the great Lord of Kilsant, and had a son BLEDRI, Lord of Blaencuch, who *m.* Clydwen, daughter and

* Welch genealogists ascribe to this CHIEF a most illustrious descent, but whatever doubts may arise, as to the authenticity of his pedigree from the obscurity of ancient manuscripts, and traditional accounts, it may be conceded, that his possessions and connexions amongst a people so tenacious of the antiquity of their families, afford reasonable proof of the nobility of his birth and station.

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co-heiress of Kidrig ap Gwaithvoed, Lord of Gwynvaye, and their great grandson,

IVOR, *m.* Nest, daughter of Cradoc ap Madoc ap Iderneth ap Cadogan ap Athelstan Glodryth, and had a son and successor,

LEWELLEN, Lord of St. Clare and Gwynvaye, in the county of Carmarthen, who *m.* Angharad, daughter and co-heir of Sir Morgan Meredith, Lord of Tredegar, descended from RHYS, King of South Wales, and had two sons, viz.

MORGAN, Lord of St. Clare and Tredegar, from whom derived the MORGANS of Tredegar.

And

PHILIP LLEWELIN AP IVOR, who bore for his armorial ensigns, arg. a lion rampant gardant crowned ppr.† He *m.* Neste, daughter and heiress of Gwilim Sayes ap Madog ap Howell Velyn, and his great-great-great-great grandson,

HENRY LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, living in 1547, espoused Bridget, daughter and heiress of Thomas‡ Kemeys, and was father of

WILLIAM LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, living in 1583, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Robert Gamage, esq. of Coitie, in Glamorganshire, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, who was in possession from 1600 until 1630. His son and heir (by Joan, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Herbert, of Winston, and his wife, Lucy, daughter of Edward, third Earl of Worcester,)

GEORGE LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir William Morgan, of Tredegar, knt. and was father of

THOMAS LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, a staunch and devoted royalist, who lived towards the close of the seventeenth century (1666). He espoused Joanna, daughter of Joseph Langton, esq. of Newton Park, in the county of Somerset, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, who *m.* Dela Rivers, daughter of Sir Thomas Morgan, of Cheriston, and was father of

THOMAS LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, who *d.* in 1734, and was *s.* by his son,

MORGAN LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre. This gentleman *m.* Rachel, daughter of Charles Van, esq. of Lanwern, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
CHARLES, present proprietor.
John-Craven, rector of St. Pierre.
Edward.
Jane.
Ellen.

Morgan Lewis *d.* in 1779, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS LEWIS, esq. of St. Pierre, at whose decease issueless in 1790, the family estates and representation devolved upon his next brother,

CHARLES LEWIS, esq. present possessor.

Arms—Or, a lion rampant gardant sa.

Crest—A griffin segreant sa.

Motto—Ha persa la fide, ha perso l'honore.

Estates—In the county of Monmouth.

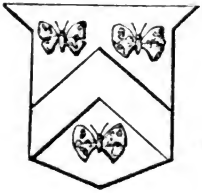
Seat—St. Pierre, near Chepstow. This mansion stands at a small distance from the Severn, nearly half a mile from the high road leading to Chepstow. It is an ancient structure, much altered and modernized, with sash windows; one however still remains which proves it to have been constructed as early as the fourteenth century. The gateway is still more ancient, and in feudal times was part of the old castellated mansion; it is a gothic portal flanked by two pentagon embattled turrets, and has a very picturesque appearance.

† Harleian MSS.

‡ The Harleian MSS. style this person GEORGE Kemeys.

PAPILLON, OF ACRISE.

PAPILLON, THOMAS, esq. of Acrise Place, in the county of Kent, *b.* 12th January, 1757, *m.* 2nd January, 1791, Anne, daughter of Henry Cressett Pelham, esq. of Crowhurst Park, Sussex, and Cound Hall, Shropshire, by whom he has issue,



THOMAS, who *m.* 8th September, 1825, Frances Margaret, daughter of Sir Henry Oxenden, bart.
John, in holy orders.
Frederick-William, lieut. R.N.

Mr. Papillon inherited at the decease of his father in 1809.

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Lineage.

In *Dugdale's Monas:* we find TORALDUS DE PAPILLON one of the witnesses to a deed of confirmation, granted by WILLIAM *the Conqueror* to the church of Durham.

In the reign of *King* JOHN

RALPH PAPILLON was elected Abbot of Westminster. This eminent divine, one of the most eloquent preachers of his time, rose to distinction under the protection of the Abbot Lawrence, by whom, according to Leland, he was appointed Prior of Hurley, a cell of Westminster. He is said to have written a volume of sermons, and another of homilies, on the epistles and gospels, of which Leland speaks in high terms of encomium. He *d.* in 1225.

WILLIAM PAPILLON, one of *King* EDWARD the First's most devoted servants, was recommended by his royal master, in the 31st year of his reign, to the abbot and convent of Leicester, for a corrody from that house. This William Papillon is supposed to have founded the family of Papillon, of Lubbenham, in Leicestershire, being lineal ancestor of

THOMAS PAPILLON, who espoused Jane Viene de la Pierre, and who was succeeded at his decease, 20th November, 1608, by his eldest son,

DAVID PAPILLON, of Lubenham. This gentleman obtained a license, dated 23rd May, 1623, from Archbishop Abbot permitting himself and his family to frequent the church at Merston, in the county of Northampton, as being nearer than their own parish church of Lubenham, with a proviso, however, that they should once at least in the year (at Easter) attend the latter, to hear prayers and preaching there, and to receive the sacrament.

Mr. Papillon published, in 1645, "A Practical Abstract of the Arts of Fortification and Assailing, containing four different methods of fortification, with approved rules to set out in the field all manner of superfices, intrenchments, and approaches by the demicircle, or with lines and stakes, written for the benefit of such as delight in the practice of these noble arts." He was likewise the author of another work, entitled "The Vanity of the Lifes and Passions of Men." He died in 1659, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS PAPILLON, esq. of Lubenham, *b.* 6th September, 1623. This gentleman was an eminent merchant, of London, and represented that city in parliament in the 10th of WILLIAM III. He had previously sate for some years, (temp. CHARLES II.) for Dover. He was a strenuous supporter of the patriotic party, by whom *King* JAMES the Second was compelled to abdicate the throne. He *m.* Jane, daughter of Thomas Broadnax, esq. of Godmersham, and had issue,

- PHILIP, his successor.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to the Lord Chief Baron Sir Edward Warde, and *d.* in 1723.
- Sarah, *m.* in 1683, to Samuel Rawstorne, esq.
- Anna-Maria, *m.* to William Turner, esq. barrister-at-law, and had several children.

Mr. Papillon died in 1702, having previously given (in 1701) £50. to the poor of the parish of St. Katherine Coleman, and bequeathing £1000. to the Mercers' Company, of which he was master, "to relieve any of his family that might at any future time come to want. He had purchased, in 1666, the manor of Acrise, in Kent, in which and his other possessions he was succeeded by his only son,

PHILIP PAPILLON, of Acrise, *b.* in 1660, M.P. for Dover, in the reigns of *King* WILLIAM, *Queen* ANNE, and in the beginning of that of GEORGE I. He sate afterwards for New Romney. He *m.* first, in 1689, Anne, daughter of William Jolliffe, esq. by whom he had an only surviving son, DAVID, his heir. He wedded, secondly, in 1695, Susannah, daughter of — Henshaw, esq. by whom, who *d.* in 1707, he had issue,

- Thomas, who *d.* unmarried in 1714.
- Philip, of West Malling, who *m.* twice, but died issueless.
- Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried, in 1729.
- Susannah, *m.* to John Gregory, esq.
- Sarah, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Papillon died in 1736, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

DAVID PAPILLON, esq. of Acrise, *b.* in 1691; *m.* Mary, daughter of Timothy Keyser, esq. of London, merchant, and had surviving issue,

- DAVID, his successor.
- Anne, *m.* to the Rev. John Henry Franklyn.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Curteis, D.D. of Sevenoaks, Kent.
- Susannah, *m.* first, in 1754, to Arthur Keaver, esq., and, secondly, to — Ogilvy, esq.

Mr. Papillon was a member of parliament for several years, and he was appointed in 1742, a commissioner of excise, which office he resigned in 1754, in favour of his son. He died in 1762, and was succeeded by that gentleman,

DAVID PAPILLON, esq. of Acrise and Lee, both in the county of Kent, one of the commissioners of the excise, which office he resigned in 1794, after having presided as

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chairman of the board for several years. He *m.* first, in 1753, Bridget, daughter of William Turner, esq., by which lady (who *d.* in 1770) he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
David, who *d.* in 1772.
William, who *m.* in 1798, Sarah-Maria, only child of the Rev. Richard Drake, of Wymondham, in Norfolk.
Philip, *d.* unmarried in 1809.
John-Rawstorne.
George.
Anna-Maria, *d.* unmarried.
Sarah, *m.* to H. Jackson, esq.
Jane, *d.* in infancy.

Mr. Papillon espoused, secondly, Esther, daughter of the Rev. Doctor Curteis, of Sevenoaks, but had no other children. He *d.* in 1809, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present THOMAS PAPILLON, esq. of *Acrise.*

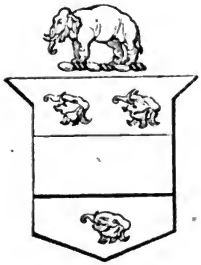
Arms—Az. a chevron, between three butterflies.

Estates—Acrise and its vicinity, in Kent.

Seat—Acrise Place.

FOUNTAINE, OF NARFORD.

FOUNTAINE, ANDREW, esq. of Narford Hall, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* 13th July, 1770, *m.* 7th November, 1805, Hannah, eldest daughter of Thomas Penrice, esq. of Great Yarmouth, by whom, who *d.* in January, 1830, he has issue,



ANDREW.
Thomas.
John.
Charles.
Edward.
Mary.
Elizabeth.
Caroline.

Mr. Fountaine was sheriff of Norfolk in 1828. He succeeded his father in 1825.

Lineage.

The family of FOUNTAINE was originally of Salle, in Norfolk, and assumed the surname of De Fonte, or Fontibus, from the springs or fountains near which they resided.

The first upon record who assumed the designation,

JOHN DE FONTE, called also *De Fontibus de Salle*, who flourished in the latter end of the reign of HENRY III. was much in favor with Roger Bigod, Earl of Norfolk. He died in the beginning of EDWARD the First's time, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT DE FONTIBUS, of Salle, whose great grandson,

JOHN FFUNTEYN, of Salle, was returned in 1430, as one of the chief gentlemen of the county. He was a principal benefactor, if not sole founder of the north aisle and north transept of the present church of Salle, wherein he lies buried with his three wives. He *d.* in 1453, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

MATTHEW FFUNTEYN, of Salle, who considerably increased his patrimony, by marrying Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of William Walshe, of Colby, by Margaret, daughter and heiress of Simon Damme. His eldest son and successor,

ARTHUR FOUNTAINE, esq. of Salle, espoused Francis, daughter of Clement Palgrave, esq. by whom he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
Thomas.
Arthur, who *m.* Anne Stanhowe, and had issue.
Martin.
Palgrave.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Parkington.
Dorothy, *m.* to John Hobard.
Beatrice, *m.* to Robert Cubitt.

The eldest son,

JOHN FOUNTAINE, esq. of Salle, wedded Mary, daughter and heiress of James Brigge, of Salle, in whose right, the family has ever since quartered the arms of Brigge, Beaupre, and St. Omer. Mr. Fountaine was *s.* by his eldest son,

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BRIGGE FOUNTAINE, esq. of Salle, who *m.* Joanna, eldest sister of Robert Henley, esq. Master of the King's Bench Office, and had a son and successor,

ANDREW FOUNTAINE, esq. of Salle, who sat in parliament in the reign of CHARLES II. He espoused Sarah, daughter of Sir Thomas Chicheley, Master of the Ordnance, and Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, by whom he had several children, of which three survived him, viz.

ANDREW, his heir.
Brigg.
ELIZABETH.

The eldest son,

SIR ANDREW FOUNTAINE, evinced an early taste for the antiquarian pursuits, in which he was afterwards so eminently distinguished. While at Christ's Church, Oxford, he drew up a list of Anglo-Saxon and Anglo-Danish coins, published in 1705, in Hicke's Thesaurus Septentrionalis. He subsequently formed, upon his travels, a fine collection of pictures, medals, and antiquities. From *King* WILLIAM III. he received the honor of knighthood, and in 1727, upon the lamented death of Sir Isaac Newton, succeeded that eminently learned person in the office of warden of the Mint. He was likewise vice-chamberlain to *Queen* CAROLINE, and tutor to *Prince* WILLIAM. Sir Andrew Fountaine was practically acquainted with the fine arts, and made some designs for Swift's "Tale of a Tub." He *d.* in 1753, leaving no issue. His sister,

ELIZABETH FOUNTAINE, espoused Colonel Edward Clent, of the county of Worcester, by whom she had an only daughter,

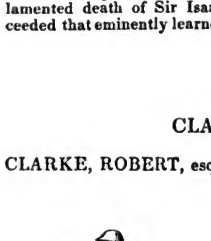
ELIZABETH CLENT, who *m.* Captain William Price, and left one son,

BRIGG PRICE, esq. of Narford, who assumed, by act of parliament, the surname and arms of FOUNTAINE. He espoused, in July 1769, Mary, sole daughter of George Hogge, esq. of Lynn Regis, by whom he left at his decease, 20th April, 1825, an only surviving child, ANDREW FOUNTAINE, esq. of Narford Hall, now representative of the family.

Arms—Or, a fesse gu. between three elephants' heads, erased sa.
Crest—An elephant ppr.
Motto—Vix ea nostra voco.
Estates—In the county of Norfolk.
Seat—Narford Hall, Norfolk.

CLARKE, OF COMRIE CASTLE.

CLARKE, ROBERT, esq. of Comrie Castle, in the county of Perth, a deputy lieutenant for that shire, *m.* Isabella,* eldest daughter of Robert Wellwood, esq. of Garvock, by Lilias, second daughter of James Robertson-Barclay, esq. of Keaville, and has had issue,



ANDREW, who espoused Jane, only child and heiress of Colonel Sir John Wardlaw, bart. of Pitreavie, Fifeshire, and assuming, in consequence, the additional surname and arms of WARDLAW, is the present Andrew Clarke-Wardlaw, esq.
Robert-Wellwood, who *d.* in 1824.
William-Colin.
Allan.
James.
Lilias, who *d.* in 1803.
Anne, who *d.* in 1806.
Isabella.
Mary-Anne.
Eliza.
Catherine.
Susan.
Preston.
Henrietta.

Mr. Clarke succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father.

* Miss Wellwood was niece to the Rev. Sir Henry Wellwood-Moncrieff, baronet, of Tullybole, and grandniece to Sir Robert Preston, baronet, of Valleyfield.

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Lineage.

The surname of CLERK or CLARK, a common one throughout Europe, is in Scotland one of great antiquity; and was probably assumed from some office bearing the designation. It is a matter of notoriety, that there were many free barons and men of great possessions and power of the name of Clark, in very early times. Sir James Dalrymple cites a charter (prior to the year 1180) of *King* WILLIAM of a donation to the abbacy of Holyrood House, and among the witnesses (who are all men of rank) are *Hugo Clericus regis; Hugo Clericus cancellarii; Johannes Clericus*, &c. &c. In 1296, Richardus Clerk submitted to EDWARD I. and in the same year Benedict Clerk, a man of rank and figure, was carried prisoner to London for refusing to swear allegiance to the English monarch; and Mariota, his lady, obtained a safe conduct to visit him in England. At the battle of Durham, William Clerk was taken prisoner, and remained in captivity until released in 1357, with his sovereign DAVID II. The clan of Chattan, and some of the best Highland families, claim to be descended from the CLERKS; and from charters under the great seal, it appears that various families of this surname have held extensive possessions from a very remote era. The house we are about to treat of, is supposed to be descended from ALANUS CLERK, a free baron of Perthshire, one of the inquest on the service of Sir Alexander Moray, of Abercairny, anno 1349.

ANDREW CLARK, esq. of Comries and Bonnyside, *m.* Anne, eldest daughter of Robert Campbell, esq. of Ard Chattan, in Argyleshire, by Margaret Macfarlane, of Macfarlane, and had issue,

ROBERT, present proprietor.

William Colin, a captain 6th foot, aide-de-camp for many years to his cousin Lieutenant-general Sir Robert Macfarlane, K.C.B. and G.C.H., when commanding in chief in Sicily. Captain Clark *m.* Mary Maclean, a celebrated beauty, second daughter of Colonel Maclean, deputy governor of the Tower of London, and dying in 1828, left an only daughter, HANNAH.

Lilias.

Catherine.

Mr. Clark was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, the present ROBERT CLARKE, esq. of Comrie Castle.

Arms—Or, a fesse chequz arg. and az. between two crescents, in chief, with a boar's head couped in base sa.

Crest—A demi-huntsman issuing out of a wreath and winding a horn, ppr.

Motto—Free for a blast.

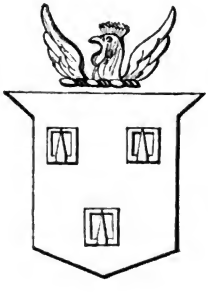
Estates—In the county Perth.

Seat—Comrie Castle, Perthshire.

JODRELL, OF YEARDSLEY.

JODRELL, JOHN WILLIAM, esq. of Henbury, Yeardsley and Taxal, all in the county of Chester, *b.* in 1808, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 5th March, 1828.

Lineage.



The JODRELLS of Yeardsley, extinct in the elder male line since 1750, but represented through females by the present Mr. Jodrell, of Henbury, were settled at Yeardsley, in the county of Chester, as early as the times of EDWARD III. or RICHARD II.

The first of the name on record was possessed of lands in Derbyshire, within the manor of High Peak, 14th EDWARD I. His great grandson,

WILLIAM JAUDERELL, the immediate ancestor of the family, served as an archer under EDWARD *the* Black Prince, in the French Wars. He had his pass for England, 29th EDWARD III. and is supposed to have subsequently become possessed of lands in the

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ownship of Yeardsley-cum-Whaley, in Cheshire. He *m.* in 1355, Agnes, daughter of Robert de Bradshawe, and was father of

ROGER JAUDRELL, of Yeardsley, who was for many years esquire of the body to *King* RICHARD II. and for his good services in that reign, had granted to him for life (17th RICHARD II.) the town of Wheston, in Leicestershire. The fifth in lineal descent from this Roger, was another

ROGER JOUDRELL, esq. of Yeardsley, who *m.* first, 16th HENRY VII. Isabel, daughter of John Sutton, esq. of Sutton, and secondly, Ellen,* daughter and co-heiress of Roger Knutsford, of Twemlow, by whom he had a son and heir,

EDMUND JODRELL, esq. of Yeardsley and Twemlow, who espoused Katharine, daughter of James Kelsal, of Bradshawe, and was *s.* by his son,

EDMUND JODRELL, esq. of Yeardsley and Twemlow, who served the office of sheriff for Cheshire, in 1650. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Holt, esq. of Stubley and Castleton, in Lancashire, and was *s.* by his son,

EDMUND JODRELL, esq. of Yeardsley and Twemlow, high sheriff of Cheshire, in 1670, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Frauncys Burdett, bart. of Foremark, in the county of Derby. His son and heir,

EDMUND JODRELL, esq. of Yeardsley and Twemlow, wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Molyneux, bart. of Teversbal, in the county of Nottingham, and was *s.* by his son,

FRANCIS JODRELL, esq. of Yeardsley and Twemlow, *b.* in 1689, who served the office of sheriff of Cheshire, in 1716, and marrying Hannah, only daughter and heiress of John Ashton, esq. had a son,

FRANCIS, *b.* in 1723, who *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Butterworth, esq. and predeceasing his father about 1750, left issue,

FRANCES, of whom presently.

Elizabeth, who inherited the Twemlow estate, and *m.* Egerton Leigh, esq. of High Leigh, in the county of Chester

* This lady brought Twemlow to her husband.

FRANCES JODRELL, elder grandaughter and heiress of the YEARDSLEY property, espoused in 1775, JOHN BOWER, esq. of Manchester, who upon his marriage, assumed, by sign manual, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his wife's grandfather, the surname and arms of JODRELL. He afterwards bought Henbury, where he settled in 1779, and became possessed of the Taxal estate, upon the demise of his brother, Foster Bower, esq. barrister-at-law, and recorder of Chester, by whom that property had been purchased towards the close of the last century. Mr. Bower-Jodrell had issue by his wife Frances, three sons and two daughters, viz.

FRANCIS, his successor.

Thomas-Marsden, captain in the 35th regiment of foot, who fell at Rosetta, while acting as aide-de-camp to General Oswald.

Edmund-Henry, lieutenant-colonel in the Grenadier guards.

Harriet, *m.* to Shakespear Phillips, esq.

Maria, *m.* to John Stratton, esq.

Mr. Bower-Jodrell *d.* in 1796, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

FRANCIS JODRELL, esq. of Henbury, Yeardsley and Taxal, who was sheriff of Cheshire in 1813. He *m.* in 1807, Maria, daughter of Sir William Lemon, bart. of Carclew, in the county of Cornwall, (by Jane, daughter of James Buller, esq. of Morval) and had issue,

JOHN-WILLIAM, present proprietor.

FOSTER-BOWER, *b.* in 1810, and *d.* at Oxford, in November, 1830.

Francis-Charles, *b.* in 1812, an officer in the Grenadier guards.

Mr. Jodrell *d.* 5th March, 1828, and was *s.* by his eldest son, JOHN-WILLIAM JODRELL, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Sa. three buckles arg.

Crest—A cock's head and neck, couped, or, wings elevated arg. combed and wattled gu.

Estates—In the county of Cheshire.

Seats—Henbury Hall, and Taxal Lodge, both in the county of Chester.

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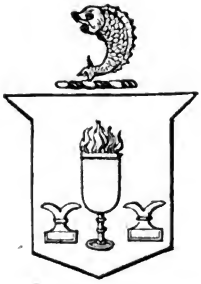
SMYTHE, OF METHVEN CASTLE.

SMYTHE, ROBERT, esq. of Methven Castle, in the county of Perth, *b.* 10th February, 1773, *m.* first, 5th April, 1810, Mary, daughter of James Townsend Oswald, esq. of Dunnekier, in Fifeshire, and espoused, secondly, 6th February, 1817, Susan-Renton, eldest daughter of Sir Alexander Muir Mackenzie, bart. of Delvine, but has no issue. Mr. Smythe inherited the estates at the decease of his father, David Smythe, titulary Lord Methven.

Lineage.



The surname of SMITH is of great antiquity in Scotland, and has at different times been written SMYT, SMYTHE, and SMITH. The house of Smith, traditionally, owes its origin to the *Clan* CHATAN, being descended, it is asserted, from NEIL CROMB, third son of Murdoch, of that clan, who flourished in the time of WILLIAM *the Lion*. The family, of which we are about to treat, derives from

THOMAS SMITH, who, having applied his talents to the study of physic, attained high eminence in the medical profession, and was appointed apothecary to *King* JAMES III. as appears by a charter bearing date 29th January, 1477. He was father of

PATRICK SMITH, of Braco, in the county of Perth, who lived temp. JAMES IV. and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM SMITH, of Braco, who, with the special consent of *King* JAMES V. had a charter, dated in 1541, of his lands of Braco, Warkland, &c. from Patrick, Bishop of Murray, perpetual commendator of Scoon. He *m.* Agnes Scott, of the family of Balwearie, in Fife, and relict of Christopher Snel, of Balgarvie, by whom he had a son,

PATRICK SMITH, of Braco, who was served heir to his father in 1561. He *m.* Christian, daughter of Haldane, of Killour, and had issue,

I. ALEXANDER, who wedded Margaret, daughter of William Oliver, brother of the Laird of Pitfogo, by whom he left at his demise, in 1603 (his father then living), two sons, viz.
   1. PATRICK, successor to his grandfather.
   2. Andrew, who had acquired the estate of Rapness, in Orkney, where he married, and had issue,
      GEORGE, of Rapness, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Patrick Graham, of Inch Braco, and had two daughters; one *m.* to Sir William Keith, of Ludquhairn, and the other to Mr. Leith, of Aberdeen.
      Patrick, an advocate, who espoused the daughter and co-heir of Arthur, bishop of Galloway, and had issue.

II. Eupham.

The Laird of Braco *d.* in 1604, and was *s.* by his grandson,

PATRICK SMITH, of Braco. This gentleman and his brother Andrew, being young at their grandfather's decease, were placed under the guardianship of George Graham, then minister of Scoon, who, being subsequently consecrated bishop of Orkney, took his pupils thither, where they both settled. The Laird of Braco espoused first, in 1618, Catherine Graham, daughter of his excellent guardian, by whom he had, with other issue,

1. Henry, a youth of great promise, who, joining the royal banner, fell at Marston Moor, in 1644, universally regretted.
2. George, *d. s. p.* in the lifetime of his father.
3. PATRICK, successor to the estates.
4. Andrew, who *m.* Miss Stewart, of Burgh, and had issue.
5. Catharine, *m.* first, to John Cowan,

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of Tailor Town, and had a daughter, Katharine Cowan, wife of Sir William Graham, of Braco. Mrs. Cowan espoused, secondly, the Rev. John Drummond, minister of Monedy, and had two sons,

David Drummond, advocate, treasurer to the bank of Scotland.

John Drummond, an eminent physician at Edinburgh.

6. Marian, *m.* to Patrick Monteith, of Egilshaw, by whom she had an only daughter, —, heiress of Egilshaw.
7. Barbara, *m.* to the Rev. John Gibson, minister of Haline.
8. Jean, *m.* to Richard Murray, brother of the Laird of Pennyland, and had issue.
9. Margaret, *m.* to James Drummond, of Drummonderinoch.

Patrick Smith *m.* secondly, in 1639, Margaret, daughter of Henry Stewart, of Killinan, and had,

10. John, of Huips.
11. David of Barnhill, who *m.* twice, and had four daughters, two of whom died unmarried, the others were,

Katharine, who *m.* first,—Williamson, a Merchant of Perth, and secondly, Sir David Threipland, bt. of Fingask, by whom she had several children.

——, *m.* to Patrick Davidson, of Woodmell, provost, and had issue.

12. Alexander, *m.* and had issue.
13. William, Parson of Moneydie, who *m.* one of the daughters and co-heirs of Arthur, Bishop of Galloway, by whom he had a son, the celebrated

James Smith, of Eitherney, one of the most eminent surgeons of his time.

14. Agnes, *m.* to Colonel Patrick Graham, and had issue.

The Laird of Braco wedded thirdly, Margaret Anderson, and had three daughters, who all died issueless. This Patrick Smith made great accession to his paternal estate in Perthshire, and acquired likewise, the lands of Maill, in Orkney. He was at last cast away in crossing the Pentland Firth, where himself and the whole boat's crew perished, about the year 1651. He was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

Patrick Smith, of Braco, who wedded first, in 1652, Anne, dau. of James Keith, of Benholm, brother of William, sixth Earl Marischal, by whom he had one son,

Patrick, who was accidentally slain by his tutor, upon a shooting party, on the lock of Methven.

He espoused secondly, in 1682, Janet, dau. of Haldane, of Gleneagles, by whom he had issue,

David, his heir.

Mungo, a military officer, who *d. s. p.*

Patrick. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Strasburg, of the Russian army, whose mother was married to the celebrated General Gordon, the great favourite of the Czar.

John, *d.* unmarried.

Margaret, *m.* to Sir Thomas Moncrieff, of Moncrieff, and had issue.

Katherine, *m.* to John Cambell, of Glenlyon, and had issue.

This Laird of Braco, who sold his estates in the Orkneys, and purchased the lands of Methven, in Perthshire, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

Patrick Smith, esq. of Methven, who espoused Katherine, daughter of William Cochrane,* of Kilmaranock, by his wife, the Lady Grizel Graham, daughter of James, Marquess of Montrose, and had issue,

David, his heir.

Graham, a capt. in the army, *d.* young.

George, *d.* unmarried.

Christian, *m.* to John Craigie, esq. of Dumbarnie.

Mr. Smith, who was esteemed a person of more than ordinary abilities, and great sagacity, *d.* in 1735, and was *s.* by his son,

David Smythe, esq. of Methven. This gentleman *m.* first, Mary, eldest daughter of James Graham, of Braco, and sister of General David Graham, of Gorthie, by whom he had, with other issue that left no posterity,

David, his successor.

Margaret, *m.* to George Oswald, esq. a merchant in Glasgow, and had issue.

He espoused secondly, Katherine Campbell, daughter of the titulary Lord Monzie, but had no issue by that lady. Mr. Smythe *d.* in 1764, and was *s.* by his son,

David Smythe, one of the senators of the College of Justice, under the title of Lord Methven. This eminent person espoused twice, and had by his first wife Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Murray, bart. of Clermont, receiver general for Scotland, a son, Robert, his heir, the present proprietor.

Arms—Az. a burning cup, between two chess rooks, or.

Crest—A dolphin haurient.

Motto—Mediis tranquillus in undis.

Estate—Methven, acquired in 1672.

Seat—Methven Castle, Perthshire.

* Father of Thomas, sixth Earl of Dundonald.

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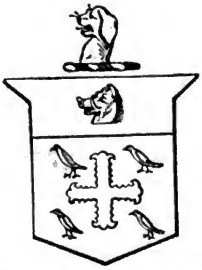
POWELL, OF NANTEOS.

POWELL, WILLIAM-EDWARD, esq. of Nanteos, in the county of Cardigan, Lord Lieutenant, M.P. and Commandant of the militia of that shire, *b.* 16th February, 1788, *m.* in 1810, Laura-Edwyna, eldest daughter of James Sackville Tufton Phelp, esq. of Coston House, in Leicestershire, by whom (who *d.* in 1822), he has two sons,

WILLIAM. Cornelius.

Mr. Powell *s.* his father in 1797.

Lineage.



SIR THOMAS POWELL, living in 1688, successively one of the judges of the Courts of Kings Bench and Common Pleas, was father of

WILLIAM POWELL, esq. who wedded Avarina, daughter and co-heir of Cornelius le Brun, a native of Cologne, by Ann, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Colonel John Jones, of Nanteos, and had issue,

THOMAS, living in 1737, who represented the county of Cardigan in parliament. He *m.* Mary,* grandaughter of Sir John Frederick,† lord mayor of London in 1662, and M.P. for that city the following year. Mr. Powell *d. s. p.* in 1752.

John, *d.* unmarried in Africa.

WILLIAM, of whom presently.

Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Richard Portrey, esq. of Ynys Kedwin, in the county of Brecknock, and secondly, to James or Samuel Phillips, D.D.

Anne, *m.* first, to Richard Stedman, esq. of Strata Florida, and secondly, to Herbert Lloyd, esq. of Peterwell.

The third son,

The Rev. WILLIAM POWELL, LL.D. espoused Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir of Athelstan Owen, esq. of Rhiwsaeson, in the county of Montgomery, by Ann, his wife, heiress of the ancient family of Corbet, of Ynys-y-maengwyn, in the county of Merioneth, and left at his decease, in 1780, a daughter, Williama, *m.* to Colonel William Lewis, of Llanayron, in Cardiganshire, and a son and successor,

THOMAS POWELL, esq. of Nanteos, who *m.* Elinor, eldest daughter of Edward Corbet, esq. of Ynyns-y-maengwyn, (by Hannah his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir with her sister Mary, wife of Sir John Hill, of Hawkestone, bart. of John Chambre, esq. of Petton, in Shropshire,) and had issue,

WILLIAM-EDWARD, his heir.

Thomas-John, *d.* in infancy.

Richard-Owen, who *m.* in March, 1828, Harriet-Anne, third surviving daughter of William Wynne, esq. of Peniarth, in Merionethshire, and has issue,

ATHELSTAN-OWEN, *b.* in 1832.

Elinor-Laura.

Elinor-Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward T. Phelp, esq. of Coston House, in the county of Leicester.

Anne-Corbetta, *m.* to Roderick Rickardes, esq. of Penglais, in the county of Cardigan.

Mr. Powell *d.* in 1797, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present WILLIAM-EDWARD POWELL, esq. of *Nanteos.*

Arms—Arg. a cross flory, engrailed sa. between four Cornish choughs ppr. On a chief azure a boar's head, couped arg. tusked or, langued gu.

Crest—A talbot's head, ppr.

Estates—In the counties of Cardigan, Brecknock, &c.

Seat—Nanteos.

* Jane, a younger sister of this Mary, was Duchess of Athol.

† Sir John Frederick, the lord mayor, was one of the most considerable traders of the city of London, and a benefactor to Christ's Hospital. The present Sir Richard Frederick is his lineal descendant.

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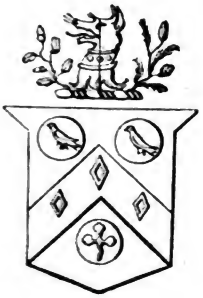
PRATT, OF RYSTON.

PRATT, EDWARD-ROGER, esq. of Ryston Hall, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* in 1756, *m.* 3rd December, 1788, Pleasance, daughter of Samuel Browne, esq. of King's Lynn, in the same shire, and has had issue,



EDWARD ROGER.
Philip-Browne, *b.* 19th October, 1791, *d.* 17th October, 1794.
Jermyn, *b.* 25th October, 1794, and *d.* 10th December, in the same year.
Henry, a major in the army.
Jermyn, in holy orders.
Robert, *b.* 2nd February, 1799, killed 27th August, 1816, on board H. M. S. the Granicus, at the battle of Algiers.
Charles Browne, *b.* 31st May, 1802, *d.* at Ryston, 12th October, 1822.
William.
Henrietta-Blanch, *d.* in 1790.
Blanch.
Maria.
Lucy, *m.* 10th January, 1826, to the present Lord Rendlesham.
Harriet.

Mr. Pratt *s.* his father in 1784.

Lineage.

This family has been for a considerable time established in the west of Norfolk, and in the reign of HENRY VIII. possessed with other property the estate and manor of Carles, in Hockwold in that county, where the Pratts formerly resided.

The Ryston branch derives from

ROBERT PRATT, whose son,

EDMUND PRATT, esq. of Hockwold, living temp. HENRY VIII. *m.* Anne, only daughter and heiress of Walter Gylour, esq. of Ryston, and thus obtained the estate. He had issue a son and successor,

JOHN PRATT, esq. of Hockwold, who left two sons, William, who *d. s. p.* and

EDMUND PRATT, esq. who *m.* Catherine, daughter of William Jassell, esq. and had issue,

I. EDWARD, his successor.

II. Gregory, to whom William Pratt, his uncle, left his estates at Ryston. He *m.* Ann, daughter of William Cocket, esq. of Beesthorpe, Norfolk, and had issue,

1. Francis, who *m.* first, Temperance, daughter of — Mundeford, esq. of Feltwell; and, secondly, Ursula, daughter of Robert Gosnold, esq. of Ottley, in the county of Suffolk, by whom he had two sons,

Edward, of Ryston, *d. s. p.*
Henry, of London.

2. Gregory, who *m.* Theodosia, daughter of — Tyrrell, esq. and widow of Edward West, esq. of Masworth, in the county of Bucks, and had an only son,

SIR ROGER PRATT, who was knighted by *King* CHARLES II. for his exertions in rebuilding the city of London after the great fire in 1666, in concert with Sir Christopher Wren.* He espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Edward Monyns, knt. and baronet of Waldershire, in the county of Kent, but *d. s. p.* in 1684.

III. Roger, *m.* Ann, daughter of Baldwin Dereham, esq. of Dereham Abbey, in the county of Norfolk.

* Evelyn's Memoirs.

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iv. Ann.
v. Ursula, *m.* to Henry Bexwell, esq. of Bexwell, also in Norfolk.
vi. Susan, *m.* to Thomas Gausill, esq. of Watlington.
vii. Bridget.
viii. Jane.

Mr. Pratt was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWARD PRATT, esq. of Hockwold, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of William Cobb, esq. of Sandringham, in Norfolk, and had issue,

OSBERT, who *d. s. p.* in 1650, having married the eldest daughter and heiress of Thomas Scarlett, esq.

And,

EDWARD PRATT, esq. who *m.* Ursula, daughter of Henry Rossington, esq. of Framlingham, in the county of Suffolk, and his son, another

EDWARD PRATT, esq. espoused Emma, daughter of William Tiffin, esq. and widow of George Bexwell, esq. He had an only son and successor,

EDWARD PRATT, esq. of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, and of Ryston, in the county of Norfolk, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Anthony Applewaite, esq. of Ipswich, and had issue,

ROGER, his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Thurlow Stafford, esq. of Derwer, and had issue, a daughter, who *m.* John Dering, esq. of Wickens, in the county of Kent.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Browne, of Elsing, Norfolk.

Mr. Pratt *d.* in 1708, and was *s.* by his only son,

ROGER PRATT, esq. of Ryston, who *m.* Henrietta, daughter of Sir Robert Davers, bart. by Mary, his wife, one of the co-heirs of Thomas, last Lord Jermyn (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage*), and had issue,

EDWARD, his successor.
Jermyn, *m.* Ann, daughter of — Stanforth, esq.
Mary, *m.* to Edward Stafford, esq.
Harriet, *m.* to Thurlow Stafford, esq.

Mr. Pratt was *s.* at his decease, in 1771, by his elder son,

EDWARD PRATT, esq. of Ryston, who *m.* Blanch, daughter of Sir Jacob Astley, bart. of Melton Constable, and had issue,

EDWARD ROGER, present proprietor.
Sarah-Maria, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Collyer.
Lucy, *m.* to Hammond Alpe, esq. of Hardingham.

Mr. Pratt, dying in 1784, the family estates devolved upon his only son, EDWARD ROGER PRATT, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—PRATT. Ar. on a chevron, sa. between two ogresses, each charged with a martlet of the first in chief, and an ogress in base, charged with a trefoil slipped ar. three mascles or — borne quarterly with,

GYLOUR. Sa. on a chevron arg. between three pewits' heads erased, ermine, beaked gu. as many annulets of the first.

Crest—Between a branch of oak, and another of pine, each fructed, or, a wolf's head per pale, arg. and sa. gorged with a collar charged with three roundles, all counter-charged, langued and erased, gu.

Motto—Rident florentia prata.

Estates—In Norfolk, Suffolk, and Cambridgeshire.

Seat—Ryston Hall, Norfolk.

CORYTON, OF PENTILLIE.

CORYTON, JOHN-TILLIE, of Pentillie Castle, Cornwall, *b.* 4th April, 1773, *m.* 15th August, 1803, Elizabeth, second daughter of Admiral, *The Hon.* Leveson Gower, by whom he has surviving issue,

WILLIAM, *b.* 17th Feb. 1807, *m.* Harriet-Sophia, dau. of M. E. Parker, esq.
Augustus, *b.* 30th January, 1809.
Henry, *b.* 28th March, 1810.
Granville, *b.* 30th May, 1816.
George Edward, *b.* 1st February, 1819.
Frederick, *b.* 4th March, 1824.
Jemima.
Mary-Anne.
Charlotte.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Coryton *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father.

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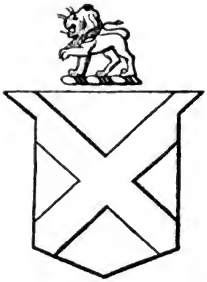
Lineage.



This family derives its surname from the manor and township of CORYTON, in Devonshire, where it is supposed to have been seated before the CONQUEST. That it was flourishing there in the reigns of *King* JOHN and HENRY III. is, however, ascertained from various and authentic records.

GALFRED or GEOFFREY DE CORYTON, *d.* 27th HENRY III. seised of Coryton and other lands in the hundred of Lifton. He left a son,

WILLIAM DE CORYTON, who was father of

WILLIAM DE CORYTON, who was *s.* at his demise, 29 Edward I., by his son,

WILLIAM DE CORYTON, whose grandson,

JOHN DE CORYTON, espoused Isolda, only daughter and heiress of Sir John Ferrars, of Newton Ferrars, Cornwall, and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM CORYTON, of Coryton and Newton Ferrars, who *m.* Agnes, daughter of Thomas Tremayne, esq. of Collacombe, Devon. The great great great grandson of this gentleman,

PETER CORYTON, esq. of Coryton, *m.* Joan, daughter and co-heiress of John Tregassan, of Tregassan, in the county of Cornwall, and had no less than twenty-four children, of whom,

RICHARD, (the eldest) succeeded his father.

Editha, *m.* Walter Code, esq. of Morval.

Elizabeth, *m.* John Trevelyan, esq.

Mary, *m.* Oliver Carminow, esq.

Mr. Coryton was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD CORYTON, esq. of Coryton and Newton-Ferrars, who espoused Anne, daughter of Richard Code, esq. of Morval, and had issue,

PETER, his successor.

Richard.

John.

The eldest son,

PETER CORYTON, esq. of Coryton and Newton-Ferrars, *m.* Joan, daughter of John Wreye, esq. of Militon, in Cornwall, by Blanche, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Killegrewe, esq. and had issue,

William, his successor.

John.

Mary, *m.* to Thomas Trefusis, esq. of Trefusis.

The elder son,

WILLIAM CORYTON, esq. of Coryton and Newton-Ferrars, was vice-warden of the stannaries of Cornwall from 1603 to 1630, one of the representatives for the county of Cornwall, 21st JAMES I. and member for several other places at subsequent periods. This gentleman, the friend and partisan of HAMPDEN, PYM, and ELIOT, zealously co-operated with these eminent persons in resisting forced loans and arbitrary power. He likewise distinguished himself as a strenuous advocate for the petition of RIGHT, and was one of those who were imprisoned for having forcibly detained the speaker (Finch) in the chair. This staunch patriot espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Chichester, of Raleigh, in the county of Devon, and had a son and successor,

JOHN CORYTON, esq. of Coryton and Newton-Ferrars, who having represented for several years the county of Cornwall in parliament, was created a BARONET 27th February, 1661. He *m.* Ann, only daughter and heiress of John Mills, esq. of Colebrooke, Devon, and had issue,

1. JOHN (Sir), who *s.* his father as second baronet, but dying without issue, the title devolved upon his brother.
2. WILLIAM (Sir), who became third baronet. This gentleman was M.P. for Callington in the reigns of CHARLES II. JAMES II. WILLIAM III. and *Queen* ANNE. He *m.* Susanna, daughter of Edward Littleton, esq. of Pillaton Hall, Staffordshire, and had issue,
   JOHN (Sir), who inherited as third baronet, but *d. s. p.*
   Susanna, *d.* unmarried.
3. ELIZABETH, of whom hereafter.
4. Anne, *m.* in 1685, to John Peter, esq. of Harlyn, in the county of Cornwall, and the great great grandson of this marriage is the present
   WILLIAM PETER, esq. of Harlyn and Chiverton.

Sir John Coryton's elder daughter,

ELIZABETH CORYTON, upon the demise, issueless, of her nephew, the last baronet, inherited, as co-heir with her sister Anne, wife of John Peter, esq. the representation

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of the ancient family of Coryton. She espoused William Goodall, esq. of Fowey, and had a son and successor,

JOHN GOODALL, esq. whose son and heir,

PETER GOODALL, esq. assumed the surname and arms of CORYTON. He was succeeded at his decease, in 1756, by his son,

JOHN CORYTON, esq. who wedded Mary-Jemima, only daughter and heiress of James Tillie, esq. of Pentillie Castle, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN TILLIE CORYTON, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Arg. a saltire sa.

Crest—A lion passant gu.

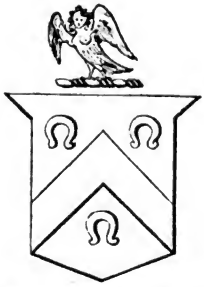
Estates—Chiefly in Cornwall and Devon, possessed since the reign of HENRY II.

Seat—Pentillie Castle, Cornwall.

POCHIN, OF BARKBY.

POCHIN, WILLIAM, esq. of Barkby Hall, in the county of Leicester, *b.* 10th January, 1820, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 29th December, 1831.

Lineage.



This ancient and influential family is of long standing in the county of Leicester.

WALTER POWER, of Barkby, left a daughter and heiress ANNE POWER, who *m.* Peter Lincoln, and had a daughter and heiress,

ANNE LINCOLN, who *m.* William Willoughby, and was *s.* by her only daughter and heiress,

ALICE WILLOUGHBY, who *m.* Richard Pochin, and their grandson,

THOMAS POCHIN of Barkby, espoused Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Ralph Shirley, esq. and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, who *m.* Katherine, daughter of — Skeffington, esq. of Skeffington, in the county of Leicester, and dying in 1597, was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

MATTHEW POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, who *m.* Katherine, daughter of — Blewitt, esq. and left at his decease in 1639, with several other children, a son and successor,

GEORGE POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, *b.* in 1592, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of the Right Rev. Thomas Dove, D.D. Lord Bishop of Peterborough, and secondly, Hester, daughter of — Arthington, esq. of Arthington, in the county of York: by the latter of these ladies he had, inter alios, a son and successor,

THOMAS POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, *b.* in 1618, who served the office of sheriff for Leicestershire, in 1647. He *m.* first, Berthia, daughter and co-heir of John Wineope, esq. of Morton, (by whom, who *d.* 20th May, 1650, and lies buried at Barkby,) he had issue,

1. GEORGE, of Sileby, in the county of Leicester, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Christopher Packe, of Cotes, Lord Mayor of London, but *d. s. p.* in 1707.
2. THOMAS, of whom presently
3. John, *d.* young.
4. Joseph.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Smith, esq. of London, merchant.
6. Leventhorpe, *m.* to William Trollope, esq. of Thurlby.
7. Abegail.
8. Catharine.

Thomas Pochin *m.* secondly, Barbara, daughter of Sir Walstan, Dixie, bart. of Market Bosworth, and relict of Richard Peot, esq. the second son by his first wife,

THOMAS POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, sheriff for Leicestershire in 1681, *m.* Mary, daughter and at length sole heir of Sir Charles Hussey, bart. of Caythorpe, by whom, (who *d.* in 1697, and is interred at Watton,) he had (with seven daughters,)

I. THOMAS, his successor.

II. George, of Hammersmith, in the commission of the peace for Leicestershire, who *d.* at Loughborough, in 1756, leaving by his wife Frances,

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dau. and heiress of William Hodgkins, esq. of Seale, three sons, viz.

1. THOMAS, M.D., who compiled a history of Loughborough. He *m.* in 1741, Prudence, daughter of the Rev. Paul Jenkinson, rector of Weston, by whom he left issue at his decease, in 1781, (with a daughter, *m.* to Thomas Clarke, esq.) a son,
   THOMAS, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Bird, esq. of West Leke, and left at his demise, in 1789, two sons and a daughter, viz.
   1. CHARLES, of whom hereafter, as inheritor of the estates and representation of the family.
   2. GEORGE, successor to his brother.
   3. Frances.
2. George, in holy orders, rector of Morcote, in Rutlandshire, and of Caythorpe, in Leicestershire, who *m.* Sarah, dau. of Thomas Pochin, esq. of Barby, but *d. s. p.* in 1788.
3. William, attorney-at-law, who *d.* in 1794, leaving issue,
   William, M.A. in holy orders, rector of Morcote, *m.* and had issue.
   Frances, *m.* to the Rev. John Askew, D.D. rector of North Cadbury, and had issue.
   Elizabeth, *m.* to John Thorpe, esq. of Loughborough, and had issue.

III. Charles, *d.* young.

The eldest son,

THOMAS POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, was high sheriff for Leicestershire in 1711. He espoused, first, Charlotte, eldest daughter of Sir Edward Hussey, bart. of Welbourne, by whom (who *d.* of the small pox in 1726) he had issue,

Thomas, who *d.* of the small pox the same day as his mother, and was buried with her at Barkby.

Sarah, *m.* in 1751, to the Rev. George Pochin, of Morcole, but *d. s. p.*

Charlotte, who eventually inherited the estates of her grandfather, Sir Edward Hussey, bart. *m.* in 1750, Charles James Packe, esq. of Prestwold Hall, in the county of Leicester, and had issue,

CHARLES-JAMES PACKE, esq., of Prestwold (see that family).

Rebecca.

Charlotte, *m.* to William Hanbury, esq. of Kelmarsh, and had issue.

Mr. Pochin espoused, secondly, Mary, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Trollope, esq. of Bourne, in the county of Lincoln, by Mary, sister to Lord Craven, and had further children,

WILLIAM, his heir.

George, of Bourne, in the county of Lincoln, who *m.* Eleanor-Frances, daughter of Sir Wolstans Dixie, and dying *s. p.* 13th May, 1798, devised the whole of his estates (after the death of his brother, William) to his cousin, GEORGE POCHIN, esq. father of the present possessor.

Mary, who had the life use of the Barkby estates.

Mr. Pochin was *s.* at his decease by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, who was sheriff for the county of Leicester in 1756, and knight of that shire in four parliaments, from 1780 until his demise 10th September, 1798. Dying unmarried, the representation of the family devolved upon his relative,

CHARLES POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, (refer to issue of GEORGE, second son of THOMAS POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, sheriff for Leicestershire in 1681). This gentleman inherited the family estates upon the demise of his cousin, Miss Mary Pochin, and dying *s. p.* in 1817, was *s.* by his brother,

GEORGE POCHIN, esq. of Barkby, who served the office of sheriff of Leicestershire in 1828. This gentleman *m.* in 1811, Miss — Norman, second daughter of Richard Norman, esq. high sheriff of Leicestershire, and left at his decease, 29th December, 1831, surviving issue,

WILLIAM, now representative of the family.

John-Mathew, *b.* 1st March, 1824.

Charles-Norman, *b.* 20th December, 1827.

Edward-Norman, *b.* 15th February, 1828.

Ralph-George, *b.* 8th July, 1829.

Elizabeth-Frances.

Emily-Caroline.

Arms—Or, a chev. gu. between three horses' shoes sa.

Crest—A harpy, with wings ppr. full faced, and tail twisted round the leg

QUARTERINGS:

WILLOUGHBY,	WINEOPE,
LINCOLN,	HUSSEY,
PALMER,	&c. &c. &c.
BRETT,	

Estates—In Leicestershire and Lincolnshire.

Seat—Barkby Hall, Leicester.

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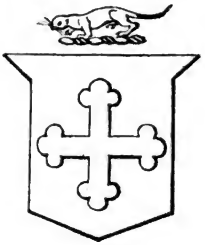
HOMFRAY, OF LANDAFF HOUSE.

HOMFRAY, SIR JEREMIAH, kt. of Landaff House, in the county of Glamorgan, *b.* 16th February, 1759, *m.* Mary, daughter of John Richards, esq. of Cardiff, and sister to Lady Blosse, by whom (who *d.* in March, 1830), he has had issue,



JEREMIAH, *b.* 1st September, 1790.
John, *b.* 10th September, 1793, *m.* 1st November, 1819, Anna-Maria, only daughter and heiress of John Richards, esq. of the Corner House, in Glamorganshire, and has issue,
1. JOHN-RICHARDS, *b.* 9th October, 1824.
2. Mary-Jane-Richards.
3. Ann-Maria.
Francis, who *d.* in 1813.
George, who *d.* in 1815.
Jeston, *b.* 22nd July, 1797.
Anthonio, M.D. *b.* 4th October, 1799, *m.* in 1831, a daughter of Rear Admiral Donnelly, and sister to Lady Audley.
Robert-Shedden, *b.* 22nd January, 1804.
Marianne, *m.* in 1806, to Thomas Montford Newte, esq. and *d.* 27th January, 1819, *s. p.*
Charlotte, *m.* to James Lewis, esq.
Catherine-Diana, *m.* to Jacob-Æmelius Irving, esq. of the 14th dragoons, and has issue.
Harriet Newte.

This gentleman received the honor of knighthood in November, 1809, while serving the office of high sheriff, for the county of Glamorgan.

Lineage.

The name of HOMFRAY is derived from the French words "HOMME VRAI," and the several families of HUMFREY, various as the spelling may be, claim a common progenitor. The branch, of which we are now about to treat, is the only one, however, which has preserved the correct orthography.

The HOMFRAYS were distinguished amongst the soldiers of the Cross, and they were eminent in the early wars of the Plantagenet Kings. The portrait of John Homfray, living in 1390, and a gallant warrior of that day, is still preserved in the British Museum.

WILLIAM HOMFRAY, who resided at Wales, near Rotherham, in Yorkshire, in 1590, was lineal ancestor of

FRANCIS HOMFRAY, whose son,

FRANCIS HOMFRAY, *b.* in 1674, wedded first, Sarah Baker, by whom he had issue, the male line of which is now extinct. He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of — Jeston, esq. of the Heath, in the county of Worcester, by whom (who *d.* in 1758) he left at his decease in 1736 (with five daughters), four sons, viz.

1. JESTON, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Cotton, esq. of the Combermere family, and left a son,
   FRANCIS, in holy orders, rector of Lanvayer, in the county of Monmouth, who *m.* Harriet, daughter of Jeston Homfray, esq. and *d.* in 1831, leaving a son, KENYON HOMFRAY, and a daughter, Maria.
2. Thomas.
3. FRANCIS, of whom presently.
4. John, who *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. Jeremiah Addenbrooke, M.A. and thereupon assumed that surname.

The third son,

FRANCIS HOMFRAY, esq. of Wollaston Hall, in the county of Worcester, *m.* first, Mary, daughter of — Popkins, esq. of Coy-Traheyne, in the county of Glamorgan, and left one son and a daughter, viz.

JESTON, of Broadwaters, in Worcestershire, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of —

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Pidcock, esq. of the Platts, and *d.* 20th March, 1816, leaving issue.

Mary, *m.* to Thomas Barker, esq.

He *m.* secondly, Catherine, daughter and co-heiress of Jeremiah Caswell, esq. of the Hyde, in the county of Stafford, and had further issue,

Francis, of the Hyde, who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Pidcock, esq. of the Platts, and *d.* in 1809, leaving issue.

JEREMIAH (Sir), of Landaff House.

Thomas, of the Hill, in Worcestershire, who wedded Miss Elizabeth Stephens, and *d.* in 1815, leaving, with other issue, a son, JOHN, who has assumed the name of STEPHENS.

Samuel, M.P. for Stafford, sheriff of Monmouthshire in 1814, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Charles Gould Morgan, bart. of Tredegar, and *d.* 20th May, 1822, leaving issue,

1. SAMUEL, *b.* 7th December, 1795, *m.* 14th December, 1824, Miss Charlotte Stable, and has issue.
2. Watkin, *b.* 30th December, 1796, *m.* in September, 1822, Miss Eliza-Lee Thomson, and has issue.
3. Jane, *m.* in 1818, to J. K. Picard, esq.
4. Amelia, *m.* in 1817, to William Thomson, esq. M.P. for London, and has issue.
5. Maria, *m.* to George Darby, esq. and has issue.

Catherine, *m.* to Thomas Wilson, esq. and *d.* 24th March, 1801, leaving a son, Melville Wilson, who *m.* Miss Stevenson, daughter of Sir B. Stevenson, and has issue.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth: gu. a cross bottony ermine; second sa. four pales ermine; third arg. three bars gemelles sa.

Crest—An otter ppr. wounded in the shoulder.

Motto—L'homme vrai aime son pays.

Seat—Landaff House, in Glamorganshire.

CLAVERING, OF CALLALY.

CLAVERING, EDWARD, esq. of Callaly Castle, in the county of Northumberland, *m.* 10th October, 1803, Mary, daughter of J. O. Byrne, esq. and has two sons, viz.

EDWARD-JOHN, a magistrate of Northumberland.
Augustus.

Mr. Clavering, who is in the commission of the peace, for the county of Northumberland, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his half brother, in 1826.

Lineage.

This family, from which sprang the VESCIS, Lords of Alnwick—the LACIS, Earls of Lincoln—the EURES, Lords Eure, in the male line; and the ALTONS, and many other eminent houses in the female, reside at Callaly Castle,* in Northumberland. Following the example of many of their illustrious countrymen, they entered England under the banner of the CONQUEROR, and the gift of numerous estates marked the services which they subsequently rendered to his cause. The family is a scion of the great house of DE BURGH, and it originally bore that surname; but from the time of

* This castle was the abode of WILLIAM DE CALLALY in the beginning of HENRY *the Third's* time, and of his son, GILBERT, in the same reign, who granted it, with the manor of Yetlington, to ROBERT FITZ ROGER, Baron of Warkworth and Clavering, who assumed the surname of CLAVERING; and that grant being confirmed by the crown, CALLALY has remained ever since in the possession of the family.

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HENRY I. until that of Edward I. when commanded to take the designation of CLAVERING, from an estate in Essex, the head of the family assumed for surname the Christian name of his father, with the addition of FITZ.

EUSTACE DE BURGH, Baron of Tonsburgh, in Normandy, younger brother of HARLOWEN DE BURGH, the ancestor of the Lords Clanricarde, and the numerous families of DE BURGH, BURKE, and BOURKE, had two sons, who both held rank in the conquering army, namely,

SERLO.

John, surnamed *Monoculus*, from having but one eye.

The elder son,

SERLO DE BURGH, erected the castle of Knaresborough, which passed at his decease, without issue, to his brother,

JOHN *Monoculus*, who had three sons,

PAGANUS, EUSTACE, WILLIAM, } These brothers were witnesses to the royal foundation of the abbey of Cirencester, in Gloucestershire, in 1133.

The elder son, PAGANUS, dying without issue, was succeeded by his brother,

EUSTACE FITZ JOHN, who became one of the most potent amongst the northern barons in the reign of HENRY I. and a great favourite with that monarch. He espoused, first, Agnes, eldest daughter of William Fitz Nigel, Baron of Alton, constable of Chester, and Viscount Constantine. By this lady he acquired the barony of Halton, and had an only son,

RICHARD FITZ EUSTACE.

He wedded, secondly, Beatrice, only daughter and heiress of Yvo de Vesci, Lord of Alnwick, in Northumberland, and of Malton, in Yorkshire, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM, progenitor of the great baronial house of VESCI.

Geffery.

Eustace Fitz John, who founded the abbeys of Alnwick, in Northumberland, and of Walton and Malton, in Yorkshire, fell in the Welsh wars, *anno* 1154. His eldest son,

RICHARD FITZ EUSTACE, inheriting the honors of his mother, became Baron of Halton, and constable of Chester. He *m.* Albreda, daughter and heir of Robert de Lizures, and half sister of Robert de Lacy, and had three sons, viz.

JOHN, who assumed the surname of LACY, and inherited the barony of Halton, with the office of CONSTABLE OF CHESTER. He *d.* 25th HENRY II. and from him the great feudal family of LACY derived.

Robert, the Hospitaller—that is, of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, in England.

ROGER.

The youngest son,

ROGER FITZ RICHARD, became by gift of HENRY II. Lord of the manor of Warkworth, in the county of Northumberland, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT FITZ ROGER, second Baron of Warkworth, and founder of the monastery of Langley, in Norfolk, who wedded Margaret, only child and heiress of William de Cheney, and widow of Hugo de Cressey,* by whom he had an only son,

JOHN FITZ ROBERT.

This Robert Fitz Roger obtained a confirmation, upon the accession of *King* JOHN, of the castle and manor of Warkworth, in Northumberland, of the barony of CLAVERING, in Essex, and of the manor of Eure, in Buckinghamshire; and he served the office of sheriff for Northumberland, Norfolk, and Suffolk, for each county thrice, in that monarch's reign. In the baronial war, he first sided with the insurrectionary barons, but afterwards returned to his allegiance. He *d.* in 1240, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN FITZ ROBERT, third lord of Warkworth, and first Lord of CLAVERING, in Essex, who espoused ADA, daughter and heir of Hugh de Baliol, and grand-aunt of BALIOL *King of Scotland*, by whom he had three sons, viz.

ROGER FITZ JOHN, his successor.

Hugh, surnamed "de Eure," from whom the Lords Eure descended.

Robert, ancestor of the Eures, of Axholm, in Lincolnshire.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROGER FITZ JOHN, fourth Baron of Warkworth, and second Baron of Clavering, who *d.* in 1249, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT FITZ ROGER, then in infancy, and placed under the guardianship of William de Valence, the king's brother, although ADA, the child's grandmother, offered two thousand two hundred marks for the wardship. This feudal lord became so eminent in the Scottish wars of *King* EDWARD I. particularly at the battle of Falkirk, that he was summoned to parliament, as a BARON, on the 2nd November, 1295. He was afterwards, with his son JOHN, at the siege of KARLAVEROK. His lordship espoused Margaret de la Zouch, and had five other sons, who *d. s. p. m.*

JOHN, to whom *King* EDWARD I. gave the surname of CLAVERING, successor to Warkworth and Clavering (see *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

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* By HUGO DE CRESSEY, she had an only son, ROGER DE CRESSEY, who *m.* Isabella de Rie, and had four sons, all of whom dying issueless, the BARONY OF HORFORD, Margaret's inheritance, came eventually to her heirs by Robert Fitz Roger.

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The youngest son,

SIR ALAN DE CLAVERING, obtained from his father the estate of CALLALY. He *m.* Isabella, daughter of Sir William Riddel, and was father of

WILLIAM DE CLAVERING, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT DE CLAVERING, to whom succeeded his eldest son,

SIR JOHN DE CLAVERING, who received the honour of knighthood in the field. He *m.* Joanna, daughter of Thomas de Heton, and dying in the 4th of HENRY VI. left a son,

ROBERT DE CLAVERING, father of

ROBERT DE CLAVERING,* who died in the time of EDWARD IV. and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN DE CLAVERING, whose son,

ROBERT DE CLAVERING, wedded Joan, daughter of — Reims, of Shortflat, in Northumberland, and had a son, his successor at his decease, 10th HENRY VIII.

JOHN CLAVERING, of Callaly, who *m.* Elizabeth Fenwick, of Fenwick Tower, in Northumberland, and was *s.* in 1536, by his son,

ROBERT CLAVERING, of Callaly. This gentleman espoused Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Thomas Grey, of Horton, in Northumberland, and had four sons,

ROBERT, his successor.

John.

James, of Axwell Park, who *m.* Grace, daughter and co-heir of Roger Nichilson, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, merchant, and had a son,

JOHN CLAVERING, esq. of Axwell, in the county of Durham, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Robert Shaftoe, esq. and had with other issue,

JAMES CLAVERING, esq. of Axwell, who was created a BARONET in 1661, which dignity is now enjoyed by his descendant,

SIR THOMAS JOHN CLAVERING. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

William, slain at the battle of Clavering's Cross.

The eldest son,

ROBERT CLAVERING, esq. of Callaly, *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Cuthbert Collingwood, of Eslington, in Northumberland, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN CLAVERING, knt. who wedded Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Riddell, and had with several other children,

ROBERT, (Sir) a zealous cavalier, who held the rank of colonel in the Royal Army, and was made a knight banneret. He raised at his own expense, a regiment of horse, a regiment of foot, and some extra troops of dragoons. He died unmarried, in the lifetime of his father.

RALPH, who succeeded his father.

William, from whom descend the Claverings of Berrington.

Sir John Clavering died a prisoner, in London, for his loyalty to *King* CHARLES I. His eldest surviving son and heir,

RALPH CLAVERING, esq. having likewise espoused zealously the Royal cause, suffered imprisonment, and was eventually obliged to go beyond the seas. He returned with *King* CHARLES II. and having *m.* Mary, daughter of William Middleton, esq. of Stokeld, in Yorkshire, left at his decease, a daughter, Mary, *m.* to Gerrard Salvin, esq. of Croxdale, in Durham, and a son, his successor,

JOHN CLAVERING, esq. of Callaly, *b.* in 1659, who wedded Anne, daughter of William, Lord Widdrington, (by his wife, Elizabeth Bertie, daughter of Sir Peregrine Bertie, and niece of the Earl of Lindsey,) and had (with several other children who all *d.* unmarried) a daughter Anne, *m.* to F. Maire, esq. of Hardwick, and a son, his successor,

RALPH CLAVERING, esq. Callaly, *b.* in 1695, espoused in 1723, Mary, daughter of Nicholas Stapleton, esq. of Ponteland, and Carleton, in Yorkshire, by whom he had a large family, of which two sons married, namely:—Francis, one of the younger, who wedded Eleanor, daughter of — Lambton, esq. of the county of Durham, and the eldest son and heir,

RALPH CLAVERING, esq. of Callaly, *b.* 27th June, 1727, who *m.* first Eliza, daughter of James Egan, esq. but had no issue. He wedded secondly, Frances, daughter of John Lynch, esq. and had a son,

JOHN ALOYSIUS, his successor.

He espoused thirdly, in 1767, Mary, daughter of Edward Walsh, esq. and had issue,

EDWARD, successor to his brother.

Lucy, *m.* first to John Stapleton, esq. of Clintz, in Yorkshire; and secondly to J. Paston, esq. of Norfolk.

Frances, *m.* to Henry Robinson, esq.

Anne.

Ellen.

Eliza.

Mr. Clavering was *s.* at his decease, in 1788, by his eldest son,

JOHN ALOYSIUS CLAVERING, esq. of Callaly, *b.* in 1765, who *m.* first, Christina, daughter of Sir Edward Swynburne, bart. and se-

* Besides JOHN, his successor, he had ROBERT, ancestor of the CLAVERINGS, of Learchild, supposed to be now extinct, and also of the CLAVERINGS, of Tilmouth.

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condly, in 1820, Catherine, daughter of Thomas Selby, esq. of Beddleston, in Northumberland, but dying without issue, 1st December, 1826, the estates passed to his half brother, the present EDWARD CLAVERING, esq. of Callaly.

Arms—Quarterly, or and gu. over all, a bend, sa.

Crest—A cherub's head, with wings erect.

Motto—Ad cœlos volans.

Estates—Callaly and Yetlington, in the parish of Whittingham, in the county of Northumberland.

Seat—Callaly Castle.

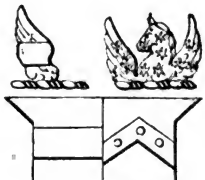
Note.—This family, being ROMAN CATHOLIC, has been excluded, until 1829, from those public offices to which its rank gave the fullest title.

BOND, OF GRANGE.

BOND, JOHN, esq. of Grange, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 1st January, 1802, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 12th May, 1824.

Mr. Bond lately represented Corfe Castle in parliament, and was high sheriff of Dorset, 1830.

Lineage.



The family of Bond were of great antiquity in the county of Cornwall,* and are said to have been originally seated at Penryn in that county,† but removed thence, at a very early period, to Earth, in the parish of St. Stephens, an estate they acquired in marriage with the daughter and heiress of a very ancient house, which took its name from that place.‡

From this match descended

ROBERT BOND, of Earth, who is stated to have had three sons,

Thomas, who died *s. p. m.*

ROBERT, of whom hereafter, and

Richard, of Earth, who *m.* in 1434, 12th HENRY VI. Agnes, second daughter and co-heiress of Richard Maynard, and their posterity were still residing at Earth at the visitation of Cornwall, anno 1620. The Bonds, of Holwood, in the same county, were a younger branch of those of Earth, and are now represented by Thomas Bond, esq. of East Looe, in the county of Cornwall.

* "Bond, of Cornwall, a very ancient family, from whom those of London are descended."—Guillim's Heraldry, edit.—In the pedigree of Sir Thomas Bond, bart. in the college of arms, drawn up in the year 1669, his ancestor, William Bond, of Buckland, in the county of Somerset, is described as being "ex antiquissima Bondorum stirpe in Provincia Cornubiæ oriundus."

† Mr. Bond has an old MS. pedigree on vellum, dated 1636, which deduces their descent from a Norman, who came in at the Conquest, and married the daughter and heiress of Bond, of Penryn, in Cornwall: and in Anderson's pedigree, of Churchill, Duke of Marlborough, we find that Hugh Fitz Roger, second son of Roger de Courcil, (a follower of William the Conqueror, and who obtained from him extensive estates in Somersetshire, Dorsetshire, and Wiltshire, as appears by Domesday), espousing the sister and heiress of Bond, lord of Fisherton, their offspring assumed the surname and arms of that family, viz. sa. a fess or, and hence came the family of Bond. This Bond (or Bondi as he is called in Domesday book) appears to have been a Saxon, and is mentioned in that record as holding Fisherton, in Wilts, as well as other lordships in Dorset and Somerset, as early as the time of EDWARD the Confessor.

‡ "In following the course of the Lyner, you falle downe by Master Bond's ancient house at Earthe, descended to his ancestors from a daughter and heir of that name."

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The second son,

ROBERT BOND, removed to Beauchamp's Hache, in Somersetshire, and in the year 1431 (9th HENRY VI.) was seated at Lutton, in the Isle of Purbeck, in the county of Dorset, an estate he acquired in marriage with the daughter and heiress of a family of that name, and which has ever since continued in the possession of his descendants. He had issue two sons, viz.

ROBERT, his successor.

William, of Buckland, in the county of Somerset, who was father of

1. William Bond, of Crosby Palace, London, alderman and sheriff of that city, who *d.* in 1576, and to whom and to his son, Martin Bond, there are curious monuments in the church of Great St. Helens, London.
2. Sir George Bond, lord mayor of London in 1587, from whom descended

SIR THOMAS BOND, comptroller of the household to *Queen* HENRIETTA MARIA. This gentleman was created a baronet at Brussels by *King* CHARLES II. and had, besides his successor to the baronetcy, a second son, Thomas, who espoused Henrietta, eldest daughter and co-heir of Thomas Lord Jermyn of St. Edmondsbury. The baronetcy became extinct in the Bond family during the last century.

The elder son,

ROBERT BOND, of Lutton, espoused, in 1453, Mary, daughter of Sir John Hody, knt. of Pillesdon, in the county of Dorset, lord chief justice of England anno 18th HENRY VI. and was father of WILLIAM his successor, and John Bond, of Buckland, in the county of Dorset, whose son, Sir Nicholas Bond, knt. *d. s. p. m.*

WILLIAM BOND, of Lutton, eldest son of Robert, was born in 1455, and *m.* in 1496, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of John Prowz, of Bredy, in the county of Dorset, of the ancient family of Prowz, of Gedlegh Castle, in Devonshire, and had

DENIS, his successor.

John, of Chickerell, in the county of Dorset, who *m.* in 1528, Anne, daughter and heiress of John Holmsted, of Frierning, in the county of Essex, and from this alliance the BONDS of Essex derived, who made a difference in their arms to distinguish them as a younger branch, and bore arg. on a chevron sa. a bear's head erased, or, muzzled, gu. between two bezants.

William Bond dying in 1530, was *s.* by his son,

DENIS BOND, of Lutton, *b.* in 1500, who *m.* in 1532, Alice, daughter of Robert Samways, of Toller, in the county of Dorset, and had several children, of whom,

Robert, the eldest son, *m.* in 1565, Avis, daughter of Roger Clavell, of Winfrith, in the county of Dorset, but died *s. p. m.*

William, the third son, *b.* 1554; resided at Blackmanston, in the Isle of Purbeck, and *m.* in 1588, Ann, daughter and co-heir of Richard Long, of Glastonbury, in the county of Somerset, but leaving no male issue, his ample possessions in Dorset and Somerset were divided amongst his three daughters and co-heirs. Edith, the eldest daughter, married in 1613, Sir White Beckonshaw, knt. of Moyles Court, in the county of Hants, by whom she had only two daughters his co-heirs; Alice, the eldest of these, married, in 1637, John Lisle, of the Isle of Wight, who afterwards became a member of Cromwell's house of lords, and one of the commissioners of his great seal. She was cruelly condemned to death on the pretended charge of high treason by Judge Jeffries, and beheaded at Winchester 2nd September, 1685. This judgment was afterwards reversed by act of parliament. (See *State Trials.*)

JOHN, fourth son, of whom hereafter.

The fourth son,

JOHN BOND, esq. of Lutton, *b.* 1556, continued the line of the family, and was appointed, in 1588, captain of the Isle of Portland at the time of the expected invasion by the Spanish armada. He espoused, in 1583, Margaret, daughter of Richard Pitt, esq. of North Crickett, in the county of Somerset, and had issue,

DENIS, his successor.

Elias, of Wareham, representative in parliament for that borough 11th CHARLES II. *d. s. p.* in 1680.

He *d.* in 1632, and was *s.* by his son,

DENIS BOND, esq. of Lutton, *b.* in 1588. This gentleman, at the breaking out of the civil wars, joined the side of the parliament, being at that time one of the representatives for the borough of Dorchester. He subsequently rose high in the favour of CROMWELL, and had the confidence of the parliament as well as of the PROTECTOR. From the commencement of the civil war, he was of the committee for his own county, and from 1654 to 1656, he was M.P. for Weymouth, and one of the council of state from 1648 to 1652. He was likewise comptroller of the receipts of the exchequer, and

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was nominated one of the judges against the ill fated king; but although he had a real and fixed aversion to the rule of *King* CHARLES, yet he could not be prevailed upon to take his seat, or in any way to promote the murder of the monarch. Mr. Bond *m.* first, in 1610, Joane, daughter of John Gould, esq. of Dorchester, by whom he had issue,

JOHN, LL.D. M.P. for Melcombe Regis, 16th CHARLES I. one of the assembly of Divines in 1643, master of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, preacher before the long parliament, &c. *d. s. p.* in 1676.*

William, of South Bestwall, in the county of Dorset, who *m.* in 1652, Mary, sole daughter and heir of John Selby, of Bestwall, aforesaid, and *d.* in 1669, leaving, amongst other children, two daughters, Mary and Margaret, who eventually became his co-heirs. The former by her second husband, James Gould, esq. of Dorchester, was mother of an only child, Anna Maria, *m.* first to General Charles Churchill, brother of John, first Duke of Marlborough; secondly, to Montague, second Earl of Abingdon, and *d. s. p.* 1743. Margaret, the second daughter, *m.* William Speke, esq. of Shepton Beauchamp, in the county of Somerset, and her son George Speke, eventually inherited the estates.

He espoused secondly, in 1622, Lucy, daughter of William Lawrence, esq. of Steepleton, in the county of Dorset, and had, with other issue, Samuel, sometime M.P. for Poole and Melcomb Regis; and

NATHANIEL, his successor, at Lutton.

This staunch patriot dying 30th August, 1658,† was buried in Westminster Abbey, and *s.* at Lutton, by his son, by his second marriage,

NATHANIEL BOND, esq. of Lutton, *b.* 1634, who was bred to the bar and became king's serjeant. He purchased in 1686, the adjoining estate of Grange, which has since been the chief residence of the family. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Lewis Williams, esq. of Shitterton, in the county of Dorset, and relict of Thomas Browne, esq. of Frampton, by whom (who *d.* in 1728) he had issue,

DENIS, his successor.

John, of Tyneham, in the Isle of Purbeck, M.P. for Corfe Castle, 1st, 8th, and 15th GEORGE I. *m.* in 1715, his cousin, Margaret, third daughter of John Williams, esq. of Herringston, in the county of Dorset, by whom (who *d.* in 1775) he had issue,

1. JOHN, who *s.* to the estates of his uncle.
2. Denis, of Tyneham and Eggleston, in the Isle of Purbeck, rector of Steeple with Tyneham, *b.* 1718, *d. s. p.* in 1795.
3. Nathaniel, of Holme, in the Isle of Purbeck, *b.* 1720, *d. s. p.* in 1790.
4. Thomas, *b.* 1721, *d.* in 1773.
5. Margaret, *b.* 1723, *d.* unmarried, in 1795.

Mr. Nathaniel Bond, who was M.P. for Corfe Castle, 31st CHARLES II. and subsequently for Dorchester, *d.* in 1707, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

DENIS BOND, esq. of Grange. This gentleman was M.P. for Dorchester, 7th ANNE, for Corfe Castle, 1st and 8th GEORGE I. and for Poole, 1st GEORGE II. He espoused, in 1729, Leonora-Sophia, relict of Edmund Dummer, esq. and youngest daughter of Sir William-Dutton Colt,‡ knt. envoy at the court of Hanover, by Mary, his third wife, (of whom she was co-heir) eldest surviving daughter of John, and co-heir of her brother Wentworth Garneys, esqrs. of Boyland Hall, in Norfolk, and Kenton Hall,* in Suffolk. This lady was born in Hanover, and obtained her baptismal name from the

* "This John Bond, by the way, you must know, being scare warm in the pulpit, but he began to threaten heaven with some of his divinity, by telling the auditory with great zeal, that they ought to contribute and pray to do all they were able to bring in their brethren of Scotland for the settling of God's cause. "I say this is God's cause, and if ever God had a cause it is this, and if this be not God's cause, then God is no God for me; but the devil is got up into heaven." "*Wood's Athenæ Oxonienses,*" vol. ii. p. 115.

† "On the 30th of August, 1658, being then Monday, and the windiest day that had before happened for twenty years, he payed his last debt to Nature; at which time, as the then vulgar talk was, the devil came to take away Oliver Cromwell, who then lay on his death bed, but being not prepared for him he gave Bond for his future appearance, and accordingly on the Friday following, being the 3rd of September, he made good his promise."---"*Wood's Athenæ Oxonienses.*"

‡ He was second surviving son of George Colt, esq. of Colt Hall, in Suffolk, by Elizabeth, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of John Dutton, esq. of Sherborn, in Gloucestershire, and brother of Harry-Dutton Colt, created a baronet, 4th WILLIAM and MARY. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

* This estate was held by Ivo de Keneton, and Alicia, his wife, Anno 1194, 6th Richard I. and descended in a direct line through the family of Garneys, to the late Mrs. Westbrook, of Forest Hall, in Essex, who was sole daughter and heir of William Stane, esq. of the same place, by Elizabeth Colt, his wife, the elder sister of the said Leonora-Sophia, and was sold by her about the year 1774.

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celebrated Electress Sophia, her sponsor. Mr. Denis Bond *d. s. p.* in 1746, and the estates devolved upon his nephew,

JOHN BOND, esq. of Grange, *b.* 1717, M.P. for Corfe Castle, from 21st GEORGE II. to 14th GEORGE III. who *m.* in 1749, Mary, eldest daughter and co-heir (with her sister, Elizabeth, wife of Valentine Knightley, esq. of Fawsley Park, in the county of Northampton) of Edmund Dummer, esq. of Swathling, in the county of Hants, by the above mentioned Leonora-Sophia, daughter of Sir William-Dutton Colt, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

NATHANIEL, (Right Hon.) of Holme, *b.* 1754, sometime M.P. for Corfe Castle, one of the most honorable privy council, judge advocate general, a king's council, one of the lords of the treasury, and a bencher of the Inner Temple, *d. s. p.* in 1823.

Thomas, of Eggleston, *b.* in 1756, vicar of Coombe with Wool, in the county of Dorset.

William, of Tyneham, *b.* in 1757, rector of Steeple with Tyneham, and prebendary of Bristol cathedral, who *m.* Jane, only daughter of Henry Biggs, esq. of Stockton House, in the county of Wilts, and has issue,

William, of the Inner Temple, barrister-at-law.

John, vicar of Bath Weston, in Somersetshire.

Henry, vicar of South Petherton, in Somersetshire.

Thomas.

Jane.

Mary.

Margaret-Sophia, *m.* in 1801, to the Rev. John Rogers, of Berkeley House, in the county of Somerset, and *d. s. p.* in 1820.

Mary, *m.* in 1796, to Nicholas-Cæsar Corsellis, esq. of Wivenhoe Hall, in the county of Essex.

The eldest son,

JOHN BOND, esq. of Grange, *b.* 1753, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1784. He espoused, in 1798, Elizabeth, sole daughter and heiress of John Lloyd, esq. of Cencoed, in the county of Cardigan, and had issue,

JOHN, present possessor.

Nathaniel, of Holme, in holy orders, *b.* in 1804, succeeded to the estates of his uncle, the right Hon. Nathaniel Bond, in 1823.

Elizabeth.

Leonora-Sophia.

Mr. Bond, who was M.P. for Corfe Castle, *d.* 12th of May, 1824, and was *s.* by his elder son, JOHN BOND, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms---QUARTERLY OF TWENTY-TWO.

BOND (ancient)—A fess or.

BOND, OF CORNWALL—Arg. on a chevron sa. three bezants.

LUTTON, OF LUTTON—Vert, an eagle with two heads displayed, or, beaked and membered gu.

PROWZ, OF BREDY—Sa. three lions rampant arg.

DUMMER, OF SWATHLING—Az. three fleurs de lis or, on a chief of the second a demi lion rampant sa.

DUMMER, OF DUMMER—Gu. nine billets arg. four, three, and two, and in base a bezant.

COLT, OF COLT HALL*—Arg. a fess between three colts at full speed sa.

GARNEYS, OF KENTON*—Arg. a chevron engrailed az. between three escallops sa.

RAMSEY, OF KENTON*—Gu. three rams' heads caboshed arg.

WELLISHAM, OF KENTON*—Sa. two bars, and in chief three cinquefoils or.

KENTON, OF KENTON*—Sa. a chevron between three cinquefoils or.

FRAUNCEYS, OF GIFFORD'S HALL*—Gu. a chevron engrailed er. between three falcons volant arg. beaked, membered, and belled or.

DENSTON, OF DENSTON*—Az. two lions passant gardant or.

WANTON—Arg. on a chevron sa. a cross crosslet of the field.

SULYARDE, OF WETHERSDEN*—Arg. a chevron gu. between three pheons reversed sa.

HUNGATE, OF YORKSHIRE—Gu. a chevron between three talbots sejant arg.

BACON, OF BACONSTHORPE, NORFOLK—az. three boars passant or.

ANTINGHAM, OF ANTINGHAM, NORFOLK—Sa. a bend arg.

BANZARD, OF SPECTESHALL*—Sa. a fess between two chevronels or.

WENTWORTH, OF SOMERLEYTON*—Az. a saltire er. between four eagles displayed or.

LLOYD, OF CENCOED—Arg. a lion rampant sa.

Quartered by LLOYD—Arg. three boars' heads erased sa.

Crests---First, an eagle's wing sa. charged with a fess or. Second, a demi-pegasus, az. winged and semée of estoiles or.

Motto—Non sufficit orbis.

Estates—In Dorsetshire, Hampshire, and Cardiganshire.

Seat---Grange, in the Isle of Purbeck.

(*) In Suffolk.

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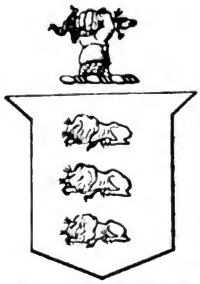
LLOYD, OF WELCOMBE.

LLOYD, JOHN-GAMALIEL, esq. of Welcombe-House, in the county of Warwick, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his brother, in 1831. This gentleman, who is a bencher of the Middle Temple, served the office of high sheriff for the county of Warwick in 1832.

Lineage.



GAMALIEL LLOYD, of Mattersey, in the county of Nottingham, *m.* Anne Briggs, of Wigan, in Lancashire, and had issue,

GEORGE, his heir.

Gamaliel.

William, whose representatives are now the BOOTHS, of Glendon, Notts.

John.

Anne, *m.* to Joseph Smethurst, and had a numerous posterity.

Gamaliel Lloyd *d.* 1st November, 1661, and was *s.* by his elder son,

GEORGE LLOYD, *b.* in 1650, who was settled at Manchester, as a merchant manufacturer. He *m.* Martha Whittaker, of Newton Heath, in the county of Lancaster, and dying in 1728, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

GAMALIEL LLOYD, who resided at Manchester, as a merchant and manufacturer. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of John Carte, M.B. of Manchester, by his wife, Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of Andrew Morewood, esq. of Hallows, in the county of Derby, and had by her (who *d.* 30th September, 1763) an only child,

GEORGE LLOYD, esq. his successor, in 1749. This gentleman took the degree of M.B. at Cambridge, and was afterwards chosen a fellow of the Royal Society. He resided successively at Manchester, at Alkrington Hall, the property of the Lever family, at Hulme Hall, near Manchester, which he purchased, then at York, and lastly at Barrowby, near Leeds, where he died 4th December, 1783, and was interred at Swillington, in the same neighbourhood. In 1779, he was nominated, by the Marquess of Rockingham, a deputy lieutenant of the West Riding of Yorkshire. He *m.* first, Eleanor, elder daughter of Henry Wright, esq. of Offerton, in Cheshire, by Purefoy. daughter of Sir Willoughby Aston, bart. and had an only child, JOHN, his successor. Mr. Lloyd espoused, secondly, Susannah, daughter of Thomas Horton, esq. of Chadderton, in Lancashire, (sometime governor of the Isle of Man, under the Earl of Derby, and father of Sir William Horton, bart.) by his wife, Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Richard Mostyn, of London, and had issue,

1. GAMALIEL, who was a merchant at Leeds, and alderman of that corporation. He served the office of mayor of Leeds in 1779, and a few years afterwards removed to Bury St. Edmunds, in Suffolk, whence he again changed his residence for Hampstead, and at length settled in Great Ormond Street, London, where he died 31st August, 1817. He *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of James Attwood, esq. and had issue,

   1. WILLIAM-HORTON, F.L.S. possessor of estates in the counties of York, Lancaster, and Derby, *b.* 10th February, 1784, who *m.* 13th April, 1826, Mary, fourth and youngest daughter of George Whitelocke, esq. of Seymour Place, Bryanston Square, London, by Mary, daughter of David Roche, esq. an alderman of the city of Limerick, and has had issue,

      GAMALIEL, *b.* 12th June, 1827, *d.* 6th November, 1830.

      George-Whitelocke, *b.* 30th May, 1830.

   2. Mary-Horton, *m.* to Stephen-John Winthrop, M.D. and left

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at her decease four sons and two daughters, viz.

Benjamin Winthrop, in holy orders, curate of St. Sepulchre's Church, Northampton.

Stephen Winthrop.

Edward-Gamaliel Winthrop.

William Winthrop.

Maryanne Winthrop, *m.* to the Hon. and Rev. Edward Pellew, fourth son of Viscount Exmouth, and has a son,

Edward-Winthrop Pellew, *b.* in 1830.

Elizabeth Winthrop.

3. Anne-Susannah, *m* to Leonard Horner, esq. F.R.S. and has issue,

Mary-Elizabeth Horner, *m.* 12th July, 1832, to Charles Lyell, esq. professor of geology, King's College, London.

Frances-Joanna Horner.

Anne-Susannah Horner.

Katherine-Murray Horner.

Leonora Horner.

Joanna-Baillee Horner.

II. George, barrister-at-law, long resident at Manchester, and afterwards at York, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Jeremiah Naylor, esq. and had issue,

1. George, of Acombe, in the county of York, sometime a captain in the 2nd Lancashire militia, *b.* 21st May, 1787; *m.* 17th May, 1810, Alicia-Maria, daughter of John Greame, esq. of Sewerby House, in the county of York, by Sarah, daughter of Charles Yarburgh, esq. and has issue,

George-John, *b.* 28th July, 1811.

Yarburgh-Gamaliel, *b.* in 1813.

Henry, *b.* 30th December, 1815.

Edward, *b.* 27th May, 1823.

Alicia-Maria.

2. Edward-Jeremiah, of Oldfield Hall, in the county of Cheshire, barrister-at-law, who *m.* Eliza, second daughter and co-heiress of William Rigby, esq. of Oldfield Hall, and has issue.

3. Elizabeth, *m.* first to William Butler Laird, esq. of Strath Martin, near Dundee, a captain in the 17th dragoons, by whom (who *d.* in 1810) she has issue. She espoused secondly, Robert Alison, esq. of Dundee, and has other children.

4. Susannah-Georgiana.

5. Mary-Anne, *m.* 4th August, 1831, to her cousin, the Rev. Cecil-Daniel Wray, one of the fellows of the collegiate church at Manchester.

III. Thomas, of Leeds, merchant and common councilman of that corporation, and subsequently of Hosforth Hall. He was for many years lieutenant-colonel commandant of the Leeds Volunteers, on resigning the command of which corps, he retired to the north-east of Yorkshire, and *d.* at Kingthorp House, near Pickering, 7th April, 1828. He *m.* Anne, dau. of Walter Wade, esq. of New Grange, in the county of York, by Anne, dau. and heiress of Robert Allanson, esq. of the Royd, and had issue,

George, of Coatham, Yorkshire, *b.* 25th May, 1786, for several years captain of the 2nd West York militia. He *m.* first, in 1820, Marian Christina, fifth dau. of Alexander Maclean, esq. of Col, in Argyleshire, by whom (who *d.* in 1821) he has no issue. He espoused secondly, 7th June, 1825, Elizabeth, second daughter of William Rookes Leeds Serjeantson, esq. of Camp Hill, near Ripon, and has issue,

1. Thomas-William.
2. George-Walter.
3. John-George.
4. Caroline-Anne.
5. Marianne-Jane.

Mary-Anne, *m.* 16th November, 1815, to Mr. John Priestly, of Thorpe, merchant, and *d.* in 1823, leaving two daughters.

IV. Anne.

V. Susannah, *m.* to the Rev. Henry Wray, and has two sons and a daughter.

VI. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Batesont esq. and had a son, who was created a baronet in 1818, and is the presen, Sir Robert Bateson, of Belvoir Park, M. P. (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

The eldest son of George Lloyd, who *d.* in 1783,

John Lloyd, esq. F.R.S. lived at Smitterton, in Warwickshire. He *m.* Anne, daughter and heiress of James Hibbins, M.D. and had surviving issue,

George, his heir.

John-Gamaliel, present possessor.

Charlotte, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Warde, of Leamington, in Warwick-

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shire, and has a son, Charles-Thomas Purefoy.

Mr. Lloyd *d.* 8th June, 1777, when the representation of this wide-spreading family devolved upon his elder son,

GEORGE LLOYD, esq. of Welcombe House, *b.* 7th March, 1768, who was sheriff for the county of Warwick in 1806. He *d.* unmarried 11th July, 1831, and was *s.* by his only brother, the present JOHN-GAMALIEL LLOYD, esq. of Welcombe House.

Arms—Argent, three lions dormant, in pale sa.

QUARTERINGS.

CARTE, STAFFORD,
MOREWOOD, HIBBINS.

Crests—First, a demi-arm in scale armour, the hand naked ppr. the cuff arg. grasping a lizard vert. Second, two arms embowed, armed ppr. supporting a chaplet of oak branches vert, fructed or.

Estates—In Warwickshire, Lancashire, Hertfordshire, and Essex.

Seats—Welcombe House, near Stratford-upon-Avon, and Much Hadham, near Bishop's Stortford, Herts.

ORLEBAR, OF HINWICK HOUSE.

ORLEBAR, RICHARD, esq. of Hinwick House, in the county of Bedford, *b.* in 1775, *m.* in 1804, Maria, fourth daughter of Benjamin Longuet, esq. of Bath, and has had issue,

RICHARD-LONGUET, *b.* 21st June, 1806, who *m.* 23rd May, 1831, Sophia, daughter of Jasper Parrott, esq. of Dundridge, Devonshire, and has a daughter,

Caroline-Augusta.

Cuthbert, in holy orders, *b.* in 1807.
John, in the royal navy, *b.* in 1810.
Alexander, royal engineers, *b.* in May, 1814.
Diana, *m.* in 1831, to her cousin Edward Carey, esq.
Maria-Caroline.
Madalena-Augusta.
Eliza-Hannah.
Ann-Harriet, *d.* at Versailles, in 1829.

Mr. Orlebar succeeded his father in 1803, and served the office of sheriff for the county of Bedford in 1808.

Lineage.

In the reign of EDWARD III.,

THOMAS ORLEBERE, *otherwise* ORLEBAR, was member of parliament for the town of Bedford, from this person we pass to his descendant,

JOHN ORLEBAR, of Harrold, in the county of Bedford, who married about the year 1560, and had three sons,

1. ROBERT, who *d.* unmarried.
2. GEORGE, of whom presently.
3. John, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Hyder, of the county of Kent, and had two sons and two daughters, all of whom died unmarried, except,

SUSANNAH, *b.* in 1630, who *m.* Sir Jonathan Keate, bart. of the Hoo, in Hertfordshire.

The second son,

GEORGE ORLEBAR, esq. espoused Margaret, only daughter (and upon the death of Henry, son of Sir Christopher Yelverton,) sole heir of Richard Child, esq. of Poddington, in the county of Bedford, nephew (by his sister) and heir of William Payne, lord of the manor of Poddington. By this lady Mr. Orlebar had no less than sixteen children, of whom,

1. GEORGE, succeeded his father.
2. Richard, *b.* in 1625, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Cooper, esq. of Arthingworth, in the county of Northampton, by whom he had issue,

Cooper Orlebar, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Powney, esq. of Braywick, in the county of Bucks, and *d.* at the early age of twenty-nine, leaving an only daughter and heiress ELIZABETH, who *m.* Sir Thomas Hatton, bart.

Susanna, *m.* in 1698, to Humphry Wykeham, esq. of Swacliffe.

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Judith, *m.* to James Johnson, D.D.

3. John, *b.* in 1633, of the Middle Temple, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Kelynge, of Southill, in the county of Bedford, Lord-Chief-Justice of the court of King's Bench, by Martha, his second wife, daughter of Sir Thomas Boteler, of Bidenham, in the county of Bedford, and had a son,
   John, *b.* in 1667, of the Middle Temple, a master in Chancery, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Whitfield, esq. of Ives Place, Berkshire, and left an only son,
      JOHN, of the Middle Temple, of whom hereafter as inheritor of the landed fortune of his cousin RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. of Henwick House.
4. William, who was buried at Poddington.
5. Matthew, who had a son,
   JOHN, who *d.* leaving three daughters.
6. Alexander, of the Inner Temple, *d.s.p.*
7. Thomas, *d. s. p.*
8. Anne, *m.* to Richard Hippisley, esq. of the county of Somerset.
9. Elizabeth, *m.* to — Cobb, esq. of an ancient Bedfordshire family.
10. Rebecca, *m.* to Thomas Mulso, esq. of the Middle Temple and of Fenedon, in the county of Northampton.
11. Mary, *m.* to — Gray, esq. of Pertenhall, in the county of Bedford.

The eldest son,

GEORGE ORLEBAR, esq. *m.* Ursula, daughter of Oliver Boteler, of Wooton, in Bedfordshire, (of the ancient family of Boteler, Lords Boteler) and had with other issue,

RICHARD, his successor.

George, proved Founder's Kin, archbishop Chichely, All Souls, Oxford, through his mother.

Oliver.

Judith, *m.* in 1676, to James Boteler, of Harrold.

Margaret, *m.* in 1676, to John Hawes, of an ancient Bedfordshire family.

The eldest son,

RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Hatton, bart. of Long Stanton, in the county of Cambridge, and had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.

Thomas, *m.* his first cousin Judith, daughter of James Boteler, and was maternal ancestor of the Rev. Orlebar Smith, of Aspley House, the Rev. Orlebar Marsh and the Rev. Orlebar St. John Cooper, all of the county of Bedford.

William, an officer in the army, *d.* at Boston in America, in 1711, unm.

The eldest son,

RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. built Hinwick House, in the parish of Poddington. He wedded Diana, daughter of Sir Samuel Astrey, of Henbury, but dying *s. p.* left his landed property to his cousin,

JOHN ORLEBAR, esq. of the Middle Temple, and of Henwick House, (refer to issue of JOHN ORLEBAR, who was born in 1633, second son of GEORGE ORLEBAR, esq. by Margaret Child, his wife.) This gentleman, who was born in 1697, was a commissioner of excise, and represented the town of Bedford, in parliament. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Samuel Rolt, esq. M.P. of Milton Ernest, in the county of Bedford, and had a son and successor,

RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. *b.* in 1736, one of the clerks extraordinary of the privy council, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Joseph Cuthbert, rector of Bulphan, Essex, by whom he had, with four daughters, a son,

RICHARD, his successor.

He espoused secondly, Charlotte, only child of Robert Willing, esq. of London, and had issue,

John, *b.* in 1781, late a captain in the royal artillery.

George, *b.* in 1782, died in the royal navy.

Robert-Charles, of Husborne Crawley, in the county of Bedford, *b.* in 1783, *m.* in 1807, Charlotte, daughter and heiress of the Rev. Daniel Shipton,* of Husborne Crawley, and has surviving issue,

1. ROBERT SHIPTON, *b.* 12th May, 1808.
2. Arthur-Bedford, *b.* 11th June, 1810.
3. John-Charles, *b.* 18th March, 1812.
4. Charles-Daniel, *b.* 19th April, 1813.
5. William, *b.* 16th August, 1816.
6. Augustus, *b.* 14th June, 1824.
7. Charlotte-Temperance.
8. Mary-Constantia. 9. Emily.

Orlando, *b.* in 1786, an officer R.N. who *m.* Helen, only daughter of Admiral Aplin, and has issue by that lady, who *d.* 15th November, 1831.

Frederic, *b.* in 1787, late of the E.I.C.S. *m.* 22nd April, 1829, Ann, daughter

* By his wife Temperance, daughter of the Rev. Arthur Bedford, vicar of Poddington and Sharnbrook, in the county of Bedford, and his wife, Temperance, daughter of the Rev. Vere Alston, only brother of Sir Thomas and Sir Rowland Alston, barts. of Odell Castle. Temperance, the lady of the Rev. Daniel Shipton, by the will of her cousin, Thomas-James Selby, esq. of Wladdon Hall, and Wavendon, in the county of Bucks, succeeded to a part of his estates in 1772.

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of Stephen Round, esq. of Beech Hill, Berks.

William-Augustus, *b.* in 1794, who *m.* Mary Caroline, second daughter of Benjamin Longuet, esq. of Bath.

Henry, *b.* in 1798, died R.N.

Mr. Orlebar *d.* in 1803, and was *s.* by his eldest son, RICHARD ORLEBAR, esq. of Hinwick House, now representative of the family.

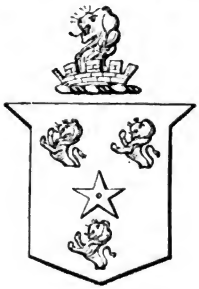
Arms---Arg. two bars gu. charged, the upper with two roses, and the lower with one, of the field.

Crest---A demi eagle, collared.

Seat---Hinwick House, Poddington, Bedfordshire.

BENETT, OF PYTHOUSE.

BENETT, JOHN, esq. of Pythouse, and Norton Bavant, both in the county of Wilts, *b.* 20th May, 1773, *m.* in 1801, Lucy, daughter of the late Edmund Lambert, esq. of Boyton House, in the county of Wilts, by whom (who *d.* in 1827) he has had issue,



JOHN, *b.* 13th August, 1809.
Thomas-Edmund, *b.* in 1812, and *d.* in 1829.
Lucy-Harriet, *m.* 27th August, 1832, to Arthur Fane, esq. son of Lieutenant General Sir H. Fane.
Etheldred-Catherine, *m.* 24th August, 1827, to Lord Charles Spencer-Churchill, second son of His Grace the Duke of Marlborough, and has issue.
Emily, *d.* young.
Frances.
Anna-Maria.

Mr. Benett has represented the county of Wilts in parliament since the year 1819.

Lineage.

The family of BENETT was founded by JOHN BENETT, who was sheriff of Wilts in the 51st of HENRY III. His great grandson,

THOMAS BENETT, of Norton Bavant, espoused the daughter and co-heir of — Page, of Devizes, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN BENETT, who wedded Agnes Forwarde, of the county of Somerset, and had, with other issue,

1. John.
2. Thomas, D.C.L. canon and treasurer of St. Paul's, London, prebendary of Ealdstreet and of Rugmere, precentor and canon residentiary of Sarum church, where he was buried in 1558, having lived from the reign of EDWARD IV.
3. WILLIAM.

The third son,

WILLIAM BENETT, *m.* Isabel, daughter of Augustine Dursley, of Gloucestershire, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BENETT, who espoused, first, Margaret, daughter of John Aylearde, of Basingstoke, by whom (who *d.* in 1563) he had issue,

Thomas, of Westbury, *d.* in 1605.
WILLIAM. Margaret.

He wedded, secondly, in 1565, Katherine, daughter of William Willoughby, of Sylton, in Dorsetshire, and died in 1574. His second son,

WILLIAM BENETT, whose will bears date 1617, was *s.* at his decease by his only son by his second wife, Ann, daughter of — Wallis, esq. of Grovely,

THOMAS BENETT, esq. who *m.* first, Miss White, sister of John White, of Carnarvon, and had one child, THOMAS, whose only son died issueless. Mr. Benett wedded, secondly, Miss Elizabeth Moore, by whom (who *d.* in 1681) he had issue,

1. John, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Thomas Garratt, esq. of Lamborne, by whom (who *m.* secondly, H. L. Coker, esq. of East Knoyle) he left at his decease, in 1706, no surviving issue.
2. WILLIAM. 3. Richard.
4. Samuel, in the navy.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* in 1659, to Edward Hawtaine, M.D.
6. Ann, *d.* issueless in 1673.

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7. Florence, *m.* in 1682, to Edward Garrard, esq. of Sarum.
8. Mary, *m.* in 1656, to the Rev. Thomas Lambert, D.D. of Boyton.
9. Sarah, *m.* to John Goddard, esq. of Swindon.

Mr. Benett *d.* in 1653. His second son by his second wife,

WILLIAM BENETT, esq. of Norton Bavant, and of Westbury, in the county of Wilts, recorder of Shaftesbury, and Bridport, in Dorsetshire, married, in 1686, Mrs. Patientia Bishop, sister and sole heir of Colonel Thomas Bennet, of Pythouse, secretary to *Prince* RUPERT, by whom he left at his decease, in 1707, a son and successor,

THOMAS BENETT, esq. of Norton Bavant and of Westbury, one of the registrars of the prerogative court of Canterbury, who purchased, in 1725, Pythouse estate. This gentleman wedded, in 1713, Etheldred, daughter and co-heir of *His Grace* WILLIAM WAKE, D.D. ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY, by whom (who *d.* in 1766) he left at his decease, in 1754, with other children, who *d.* unmarried,

WILLIAM, who predeceased his father, (in 1749), leaving by his wife, Miss Mary Mountain, of Stockbridge, an only son,

WILLIAM, of Norton Bavant and Westbury, who wedded Mrs. Jane Harford, and dying issueless, in 1781, devised all his estates to that lady.

THOMAS.

John, LL.D. in holy orders, rector of Donhead St. Andrew, in Wilts, and of Ower Moigne, in Dorsetshire. This gentleman *m.* Frances, sister of Sir Thomas Turton, bart. by whom (who *d.* in 1795) he had issue,

Charles-Cowper, of Lyme Regis, in Dorsetshire, who *m.* in 1810, Sarah, dau. of William Burlton, esq. of Donhead St. Andrew.

Frederick, *m.* in 1811, Miss Henrietta-Emelia Knipe, of St. Helena, and *d.* in 1823, leaving two sons.

George, of Saleman's Cross, Surrey, *m.* Miss Patience Ridley, of Croydon.

William-Wake, of the Royal Navy, killed in action.

Henry-Cowper, *d. s. p.*

Frances, *m.* to Gregory Doyle, esq. of the county of Carlow.

Catherine-Maria, *m.* to Stanford Carroll, esq. of Dublin.

Amelia.

Doctor Benett *d.* in 1808.

Mr. Benett *d.* in 1754, and was interred at Norton. His eldest surviving son,

THOMAS BENETT, esq. of Pythouse, obtained a fellowship at Oxford, as founder's kin, through his mother Etheldred Wake, to Archbishop Chichely. He wedded first, in 1766, Frances, daughter of the Rev. Richard Reynolds, of Little Paxton, in Huntingdonshire, chancellor of the diocese of Lincoln, but had no issue. Mr. Benett *m.* secondly, in 1771, Catherine, daughter of John Darell, esq. of York-street, St. James's, London, and co-heir of her brother. By this lady (who *d.* in 1780) he had issue,

Thomas, *d.* before his father (1789) *s. p.*

JOHN, present LORD OF THE MANOR.

William, of York-street, Portman-square, *b.* in 1779; *m.* in 1815, Ellen, daughter and sole heir of Thomas Gore, esq. of Tring Park, Herts, and has surviving issue,

1. FLORENCE-AMEY.
2. ELLEN-CAROLINE.
3. ETHELDREDA-ANNA.

Etheldred-Anna-Maria.

Mr. Benett, who repurchased Norton Bavant, died in 1797, and was *s.* by his elder surviving son, the present JOHN BENETT, esq. of Pythouse, and Norton Bavant.

Arms—Gules, three demi-lions rampant, arg. a mullet or, in the centre, for cadency

Crest—Out of a mural crown, or, a lion's head issuant arg. charged with a mullet or.

Estates—Norton Bavant, acquired in the latter end of the fourteenth century, as appears by the visitation of Wiltshire. Pythouse, purchased in 1725 by Thomas Benett, it being the very ancient seat and property of his mother's family.

Seats—Norton Bavant and Pythouse.

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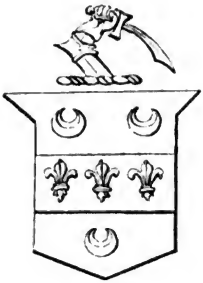
OAKELEY, OF OAKELEY.

OAKELEY, WILLIAM, esq. of Oakeley, in the county of Salop, *b.* 12th November, 1806; succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, the Reverend Herbert Oakeley, D.D.

Lineage.



It appears indubitable, by the identity of estate and arms, that this family is the same as that of OCKLEY, *of Ockley*, which had flourished for several generations in the county of Salop.

ROWLAND OAKLEY, esq. of Oakley, *b.* about the year 1500; *m.* Mary, daughter of William Crowther, esq. of Betson, in Salop, and had (with three daughters) four sons,

RICHARD, his successor.
Samuel, a merchant in London.
John, of Fawley Court, Bucks.
Jeremy, in holy orders, rector of Mainstone, and vicar of Cardington.

He *d.* in 1622, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

RICHARD OAKLEY, esq. of Oakley, M.P. for Bishop's Castle. This gentleman, a zealous supporter of the royal cause, *d.* in 1653, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM OAKELEY, esq. of Oakeley, who was returned to parliament by the borough of Bishop's Castle, from 1660 to 1681; in the former of which years he served the office of sheriff for the county of Salop, and it is recorded in Grey's Debates, that although sheriff, "he was chosen for Bishop's Castle, and sate without dispute." He wedded first, Mary, second daughter of Walter Wareing, esq. of Oldbury, and that lady dying without surviving issue, in 1660, he *m.* secondly, Barbara, eldest daughter of John Walcot, esq. of Walcot, in Shropshire, by whom (who espoused, secondly, Sir William Gresley, bart.) he had issue,

I. RICHARD, his heir.
II. John, of the Middle Temple, *d.* unmarried.
III. William, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Walter Moseley, esq. of the Meer, and had, with other issue,
The Rev. WILLIAM OAKELEY, rector of Holy Cross, in Shrewsbury (refer to article Oakeley, of Plas Tan-y-bwlch).
IV. Samuel, } *d.* unmarried.
V. Charles, }
VI. Barbara, *m.* to Thomas Downes, esq.
VII. Elizabeth.

The eldest son,

RICHARD OAKELEY, esq. of Oakeley, sheriff of Shropshire in 1724, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Herbert Croft, bart. of Croft Hall, and had two sons,

RICHARD, his successor.
Herbert, in holy orders, rector of Lydham, and vicar of Lydbury, who espoused Anne, daughter of Robert Loder, esq. of Lechlade, and *d.* in 1778, leaving a son,
JOHN, who inherited the estates at the death of his uncle.

Mr. Oakeley *d.* in 1738, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD OAKELEY, esq. of Oakeley, at whose decease, issueless, the family estates devolved upon his nephew,

JOHN OAKELEY, esq. of Oakeley, whose son,

THE REV. HERBERT OAKELEY, of Oakeley, rector of Lydham, prebendary of Worcester, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM OAKELEY, esq. of Oakeley.

Arms—Argent on a fesse between three crescents gu. as many fleurs-de-lys or.

Crest—A dexter arm embowed, in armour ppr. in the hand a scimitar also ppr. pommel and hilt gold.

Estates—In the parishes of Lydham, Bishop's Castle, Lydbury North, and Norbury, all in the county of Salop, possessed by the Oakeleys since 1589.

Seat—Oakeley, near Bishop's Castle.

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OAKELEY, OF PLAS TAN-Y-BWLCH.

OAKELEY, WILLIAM-GRYFFYDD, esq. of Plas Tan-y-bwlch, in the county of Merioneth, *b.* 18th December, 1790; *m.* 13th February, 1817, Louisa, eldest daughter of R. B. Ness, esq. of Middle Hill.

Mr. Oakeley, who succeeded his father in August, 1811, was sheriff of Merionethshire in 1814, and of Carnarvonshire the following year.

Lineage.

The Reverend

WILLIAM OAKELEY, Rector of Holycross, Shrewsbury, and of Forton, in Staffordshire, (grandson of the William Oakeley, esq. of Oakeley, who *d.* in 1694,) *m.* Catherine, only daughter of Sir Patrick Strahan, knt. and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Charles, who, having distinguished himself in the East India Company's service, was created a BARONET in 1770. His son is the present SIR HERBERT OAKELEY, bart.

Catherine.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM OAKELEY, esq. *b.* in February, 1750, *m.* Margaret, only child and heir of Evan Gryffydd, Esq. of Plas Tan-y-bwlch, in the county of Merioneth, and had an only son and heir, the present WILLIAM GRYFFYDD OAKELEY, esq.

Mr. Oakeley died in August, 1811; and the announcement of his death was thus accompanied, in the Gentleman's Magazine:—

"At Tan-y-bwlch, William Oakeley, esq. The loss the inhabitants of the 'Happy Vale', and its neighbourhood, have sustained by his death, cannot easily be estimated. The excellent roads formed under his direction, through a district formerly almost impassable, are known to every traveller; the tracts which he has fertilized, the barren eminence which he has planted, and, above all, the delightful exhibition of Nature, in bold and picturesque scenery, which his taste developed and adorned, have afforded themes of rapture to every visitor: his benificence has bettered the condition, and made happy the dwelling, of many a rustic; and the memory of his private goodness will long live in the bosoms of his relatives and friends."

FAMILY OF GRYFFYDD.

ROBERT GRYFFYDD, living in 1720, the representative of a very ancient family seated at Bach-y-saint, county of Carnarvon, married Catherine, eldest daughter and co-heir of Evan Evans,* of Tan-y-bwlch esq. by whom he had issue,

Evan, his successor.

John, married, and left issue.

Owen, in holy orders, Rector of Llanfrothen, county of Merioneth: died 13th of April, 1728.

William, married —, daughter of David Williams, and had issue.

Foulk.

Jane, wife of Griffith Parry, of Penamser.

Anne, married on the 18th of July, 1727, to Lewis Lloyd, of Maes-y-porth.

Gwen, wife of Lewis Anwyl, Vicar of Abergele, county of Denbigh.

Mr. Gryffydd was succeeded by his eldest son,

EVAN GRYFFYDD, of Bach-y-saint, and (in his mother's right) of Tan-y-bwlch. He married Janet, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Meyrick, esq. of Berthllwyd, county Merioneth, by whom he had issue,

ROBERT GRYFFYDD, esq. of Tan-y-bwlch, who was sheriff of the county of Merioneth in 1742, and married Anne, daughter of — Anwyl, of Hendre mûr, in the same county, and by her had issue,

Evan, his successor.

Robert, *d.* 17th March, 1770, aged 22.

EVAN GRYFFYDD, esq. the elder son and successor, married Mary, one of the daughters of William Anwyl, of Hendre mûr, esq. by whom (who re-married in 1779, the Rev. John Gryffydd, and died in 1781,) he had issue an only daughter,

MARGARET, who succeeded to the estates of her family, and, as stated, became the wife of William Oakeley, esq. and mother of the present proprietor.

Mr. Gryffydd was sheriff of Merioneth in 1770, about which year he died.

Arms—Arg. on a fesse between three

* The family of Evans had been the possessors of Tan-y-bwlch for *many* generations.

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crescents gules, as many fleur-de-lys, or. Quartering the ensigns of Gryffydd, viz. arg. on a chevron, sa. three mullets pierced of the field.

Crest—A dexter arm embowed in armour, ppr. charged with two fleur de-lys or, each in a crescent gules. In the hand a scimitar, ppr. hilt gold.

Estates—In the parish of Festiniog, Maentwrog, Llandeckwin, Llanelltyd, Llanfachreth, &c. in the county of Merioneth.

Seat—Plas Tan-y-bwlch.

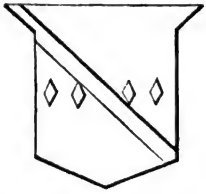
DEALTRY, OF LOFTHOUSE HALL.

DEALTRY, BENJAMIN, esq. of Lofthouse Hall, in the county of York, *b.* 13th August, 1772; *m.* 16th September, 1799, Catherine, daughter and heiress of Ralph Hanson, esq. of Ford House, in Devonshire (by his wife Martha, daughter and heiress of Metcalf Procter, esq. of Thorp), and has two daughters, viz.

1. Catherine. 2. Dinah.

Mr. Dealtry, who is in the commission of the peace for the West Riding of Yorkshire, and for the county of Lincoln, succeeded his father 4th April, 1817.

Lineage.



Robert Dalterye, (descended from Sir Geoffrey de Alterypa, whose name appears as a witness to several deeds in the time of Richard I.) presented to Full Sutton in 1551. He was *s.* by his son,

George Dealterye, of Full Sutton, who wedded Alice, daughter of — Thettlepenny, and by her, whose will was proved 3rd April, 1600, had issue. His own will bears date the same year, and it was proved at York. His fourth son,

Robert Dealtry, of Fangfoss, in the county of York, tenant to the Crown, *in capite*, at his decease, 17th James I. left, by his wife, Margery, with other issue, a son (the third),

George Dealtry, of Bishop Wilton, who *m.* 21st June, 1631, Elizabeth, daughter of Leonard Sotheby, by whom (who wedded, secondly, Thomas Darling, of Thorne,) he left, at his death, in 1664, *inter alios*,

William Dealtry, of Gainsbro', in Lincolnshire, who purchased lands at Sprotley, in Holderness. He *m.* in 1662, Dinah Goodyer, and died in 1686. His youngest son,

Benjamin Dealtry, merchant, *b.* in 1686, died in 1737, and left with senior issue,

Benjamin Dealtry, esq. of Gainsbro', who *m.* Dinah, second daughter of William Dealtry, esq. of the county of Lincoln, and was *s.* in 1746, by his only son and heir,

James Dealtry, esq. of Gainsbro', a justice of the peace for the county of Lincoln, who wedded, in 1767, Elizabeth, elder daughter and co-heir of Charles Hurt,* esq. of Alderwasley, by whom (who was *b.* 22nd October, 1751, and *d.* in 1822,) he left, at his decease, in 1817, an only surviving son, the present

Benjamin Dealtry, esq. of Lofthouse Hall.

FAMILY OF PROCTER.

Represented by the present Mrs. Dealtry.

Thomas Procter, esq. of New Hall, near Otley, barrister at law, was father of

Henry Procter, esq. of New Hall, who *m.* Margery, daughter and heiress of John Gascoigne, esq.† of Thorp on the Hill, and was *s.* by his son,

* The family of Hurt is one of great antiquity in the county of Derby, and has intermarried with the houses of Beresford, Brudenell, Harpur, Lowe, Rosell, &c. Through the Rosells, Mr. Dealtry is a descendant of John Cranmer, brother of Archbishop Cranmer.

† Through this alliance, Mrs. Dealtry, has a right to twenty quarterings in her arms.

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Henry Procter, esq. of Thorp, in the county of York. This gentleman wedded Anne, daughter of Thomas Fawkes, esq. of Farnley, (by his wife Mary, daughter of Sir John Mollineux, bart. of Feversham,) and was *s.* at his decease in 1672, by his son,

Francis Procter, esq. of Thorp, who *m.* Elizabeth, eldest daughter of William Metcalf, esq. of Thornborough Hall, and had a son,

Metcalf Procter, esq. of Thorp, who espoused Martha, third daughter of the Rev. John Disney of Lincoln, son of Daniel Disney, esq. by Catherine, daughter and co-heiress of Henry-Fynes Clinton, esq. grandson of Henry, Earl of Lincoln. By this lady Mr. Procter had two daughters, namely,

Catherine, *m.* in 1765, to Thomas Howard, third Earl of Effingham, but *d. s. p.*

Martha, *m.* to Ralph Hanson, esq. of Ford House, in the county of Devon, and her daughter and heiress,

Catherine Hanson, *m.* Benjamin Dealtry, esq. as stated at commencement.

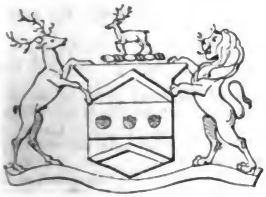
Arms—Az. five fusills in fesse arg. surmounted with a bendlet gules, Quartering the Ensigns of the families of Hurt, Lowe, and Fawne, and bearing upon an escutcheon of pretence, those of Hanson, Procter, Gascoigne, and Mowbray.

Estates—Lofthouse in Yorkshire, and Upton, in the county of Lincoln.

Seat—Lofthouse Hall, near Wakefield.

TREVANION, OF CAERHAYES.

TREVANION-BETTESWORTH, JOHN-TREVANION-PURNEL, esq. of Caerhays, in Cornwall, and colonel of the militia of that county, *b.* in 1780, *m.* first in 1801, Charlotte, daughter and co-heir of —— Hosier, esq.* and has had issue,



John-Charles, *m.* to Charlotte, daughter of Trelawney Brereton, esq. by whom he has (with one daughter) a son and heir, Hugh.

Henry, *m.* to Georgiana, daughter of Colonel and the Hon. Mrs. Lee, and niece of the late celebrated Lord Byron, and has issue.

George, lieutenant R.N. *m.* to Gertrude, daughter of F. Daniell, esq. of Trelissic, in Cornwall, and *d.* 10th September, 1832.

Frederick-William.

He espoused, secondly, in 1830, Susannah, second daughter of Sir Francis Burdett, bt. and has one daughter.

This gentleman, whose paternal surname is Betteswortii, assumed in addition that of Trevanion, with the armorial ensigns of that family. He *s.* to the estates upon the decease of his father, and served the office of sheriff of Cornwall in 1804.

Lineage.

This family is of remote antiquity, and can deduce *authentically* its pedigree from the time of Edward II.

Sir John Trevanion, knt. Lord of Trevanion, was member of parliament for Lostwithiel, in the reign of Edward III. He *m.* Johanna, daughter and heiress of Stephen de Beaupré, or Belloprato, and was *s.* by his son,

Robert Trevanion, of Trevanion, who espoused the daughter and heiress of Archdekne, and was *s.* by his son,

Robert Trevanion, of Trevanion, who *m.* Johanna, daughter of Otho Arundel, of Tremblith, and was father of

Robert Trevanion, of Trevanion, who by his wife, the daughter and heiress of Carminowe, left a son and successor,

* Mr. Hosier, with the whole of his family except two daughters, namely, Marianne, the wife of Lieutenant General Sharpe, of Stodding Castle, N. B. and the abovementioned, Charlotte, was lost in the Grosvenor, East India-man.

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ROBERT TREVANION, of Trevanion. This feudal lord *m.* Johanna, daughter and heiress of RODOLPH ARUNDELL, of CAERHAYS, and obtained thereby that estate, which has continued since the chief residence of the family. The son and heir of this marriage,

THOMAS TREVANION, took up his abode at CAERHAYES, his maternal inheritance. He wedded Matilda, daughter and co-heiress of John Petit, of Ardevora, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN TREVANION, of Caerhayes, living in the 22nd of Edward IV. He *m.* Jennet, daughter of Thomas Trefry, of Fowey, and was succeeded by his son,

SIR WILLIAM TREVANION, of Caerhayes, who received the honor of knighthood, and was Sheriff of Cornwall in 1502, which office he served again in 1508. He espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Edgecombe, knt. of Cothele, in Cornwall, by whom he had two sons and a daughter, viz.

- HUGH (Sir), his heir.
- John, who was seated at Trevalster, and *m.* a daughter of — Holland, by whom he was father of
  - JOHN, of Trevalster, who by Maria, his wife, daughter of John Somaster, of the county of Devon, left three daughters his co-heirs, namely,
    - Maria, *m.* to Richard Trefusis, esq. ancestor to Lord Clinton.
    - Johanna, *m.* to William Bligh, esq.
    - Alicia, *m.* to Nicholas Boscawen, esq.
- Jane, *m.* to Reginald Mohun, esq. of Hull.

Sir William was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR HUGH TREVANION, of Caerhays. This gallant person was the particular favourite of his grandfather Sir Richard Edgecomb, with whom he encountered many dangers, in the time of RICHARD III. He fought under the banner of the EARL OF RICHMOND at BOSWORTH, and received the high martial honour of Knight Banneret, for his brave deportment in that memorable field. The sword with which he was confirmed is still to be seen in the church of St. Michael's, Caerhays. He is stated to have been the abettor of Edgecomb, in the pursuit of their fallen opponent, Sir Henry de Bodrigan, and to have shared in the division of the lands of that unfortunate gentleman. Sir Hugh *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Lewis Pollard, and had three sons, viz.

- HUGH, his heir.
- John, who *d. s. p.*
- Richard, *m.* to Margaret, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Chamond, of Tregarthian, and relict of Arundell, of Talvarne, by whom he had issue,
  1. Hugh, of Trelegan, who *m.* Amiam, daughter and heir of Thomas Mayow, of Lostwithiel, and was *s.* by his son,
     - HUGH, of Trelegan, living in 1620, who was *s.* by his son,
       - HUGH, of Trelegan, who died one of the poor Knights of Windsor, without issue, and with him the branch of Trelegan ceased.
  2. Richard, of Tregarthian, *m.* Maria, daughter of Henry Rolle, of Heanton, in Devonshire, and was *s.* by his son,
     - NATHANIEL, whose representative,
     - RICHARD, was living at Tregarthian in the beginning of the last century. He *m.* Miss Bond, of Earth, and had an only daughter,
       - ——, who espoused Peter Major, esq. of Fowey, whose heiress married JOHN GOODHALL, and her representative is the present JOHN TILLEY CORYTON, esq. of Pentillie Castle.
  3. William, who inherited from his mother the manor of TREGADDER, and his only daughter and heiress marrying John Gerveys, was ancestor of the Rev. Richard Gerveys Grylls, of Helston.

Sir Hugh Trevanion was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR HUGH TREVANION, knt. of Caerhays, who *m.* Sybilla, daughter of Sir Thomas Morgan, and sister to the wife of Henry Carey, first Lord Hunsdon, and had, (with three elder sons, who died unmarried)

- CHARLES, his successor.
- Anne, *m.* to John Killiowe, of Lansallos.
- Beatrice, *m.* to John Trelawny,
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Carey, Earl of Monmouth, fourth son of Henry first Lord Hunsdon. In the memoirs of this nobleman, written by himself and published by John, Earl of Cork and Orrery, he says, "I married a gentlewoman, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hugh Trevanion, more for her *worth* than her *wealth*; for her estate was but 500l. a year jointure. She had between five and six hundred pounds in her purse. Neither did she marry me for any great wealth, for I had in all the world but 100*l.* a year out of the Exchequer as a pension, and that was but

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during pleasure, and I was near a thousand pounds in debt; besides the Queen (ELIZABETH, his first cousin) was mightily displeased with me for marrying, and most of my best friends, only my father was no ways offended at it, which gave me great content." For a further account of this nobleman, see *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

Sir Hugh was *s.* by his only surviving son,

CHARLES TREVANION, esq. of Caerhays, vice admiral of Cornwall. This gentleman espoused Johanna, daughter and heiress of — Witchabse, esq. of the county of Devon, by whom he was father of a daughter, Catherine, who died unmarried, and a son, his successor,

SIR CHARLES TREVANION, knt. of Caerhays, M.P. and high sheriff, of the county of Cornwall *temp.* CHARLES I., who *m.* Amia, eldest daughter of Sir John Mallet, of Enmore, and had a son,

JOHN, *b.* in 1613, who espoused MARY, youngest daughter of JOHN ARUNDEL, *of Trerice,** one of the faithful adherents of *King* CHARLES I. and sister of RICHARD, first LORD ARUNDEL, *of Trerice*, by whom (who *m.* secondly, Sir John Arundel, of Lanharne) he left at his decease, being slain before Bristol, a son,

CHARLES, successor to his grandfather.

Sir Charles was *s.* at his decease by his grandson,

CHARLES TREVANION, esq. of Caerhayes. This gentleman *m.* one of the daughters and co-heirs of Sir Adam Drummond, knt. and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN TREVANION, esq. of Caerhayes, living in 1738, *m.* first, Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Francis Blake, of Northumberland, but had no issue. He espoused secondly, in 1726, Barbara, daughter of William, fourth Lord Berkeley, of Stratton, by whom he had,

WILLIAM, his successor.

FRANCES, co-heir to her brother, *m.* to John Bettesworth, esq. LL.D. of an ancient Sussex family, and had issue,

JOHN BETTESWORTH, who eventually inherited Caerhayes.

SOPHIA, co-heir to her brother, *m.* to Admiral the Hon. John Byron, second son of the fourth Lord Byron, and had, with several daughters, two sons, viz.

1. John, an officer in the army, who first espoused Baroness Conyers, and had an only daughter,

   AUGUSTA, *m.* in 1807, to John Leigh, esq. lieutenant-colonel of the 14th dragoons.

   Captain Byron espoused secondly, Miss Gordon, a Scottish heiress, allied to the blood royal of Scotland, by whom he had an only son, the immortal

   GEORGE-GORDON LORD BYRON.

2. George-Anson, a captain in the royal navy, *m.* Henrietta, daughter of Robert Dallas, esq. and had a son,

   GEORGE-ANSON, a captain in the royal navy, who succeeded his cousin, and is the present LORD BYRON.

Mr. Trevanion was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM TREVANION, esq. of Caerhayes, M.P. for the borough of Tregony in 1753. This gentleman died without issue, in 1767, when his sisters inherited the estates as co-heirs, CAERHAYS, &c. devolving upon the elder,

FRANCES BETTESWORTH, who was *s.* by her son,

JOHN BETTESWORTH, esq. of Caerhays, who espoused Frances, daughter of — Tomkins, esq. of the county of Pembroke, and had issue,

JOHN-TREVANION-PURNEL, his heir.

George, a captain in the R.N. who died of wounds received in battle, with the reputation of a brave and enterprising officer. He *m.* Lady Hannah Grey.

Henry, captain in the royal Cornwall militia.

Frances.

Georgiana.

Mr. Bettesworth was *s.* at his demise by his eldest son, the present JOHN-TREVANION-PURNEL BETTESWORTH-TREVANION, esq. of Caerhays.

Arms—Arg. on a fesse azure between two chevrons gules, three escallop shells or. Quartering the arms of BETTESWORTH.

Crest—A stag trippant ppr.

Supporters—DEXTER a stag; SINISTER a lion.

Motto—En dieu est mon espoir.

Estates—In Cornwall.

Seat—Caerhays, Cornwall.

* JOHN ARUNDEL, *of Trerice*, M.P. for the county of Cornwall, temp. Elizabeth and *King* JAMES I. and for Tregony, in the reign of CHARLES I. At the breaking out of the civil wars, this eminent person, with his four sons, espoused the cause of royalty, and took up arms for the king. Of these sons, two, John and William, lost their lives in the service of their unfortunate master, while their gallant father hurled defiance to the rebels, from the battlements of Pendennis, and maintained his position to the very end of those unhappy conflicts, although besieged both by sea and land, being, as Lord Clarendon relates, then nearly four score years of age, and on one of the best estates and interests in the county of Cornwall.—"*Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*"

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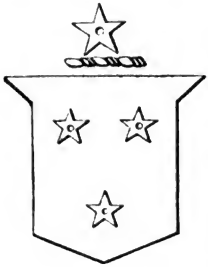
HARRIES, OF PRISKILLY.



HARRIES, JOHN-HILL, esq. of Priskilly, in the county of Pembroke, *b.* 8th February, 1783, *m.* 19th December, 1807, Frances, fourth daughter and co-heir of the late Barrett Bawen Jordan, esq. of Neeston, (by Martha his wife, youngest daughter of John Adams, esq. of Whitland, in the county of Carmarthen, by his wife Elizabeth, eldest sister of the late Sir Herbert Lloyd, bart. of Peterwell, in the county of Cardigan, M.P. for that shire in several parliaments,) and has issue,

GEORGE-JORDAN, *b.* 27th September, 1815.
Owen-Hill, *b.* 8th February, 1822.
Frances.
Martha-Maria.
Harriot-Jane.

This gentleman, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the county of Pembroke, and late major of its militia, served the office of high sheriff for that shire in 1806. He *s.* his father in 1808.

Lineage.

The HARRIESES of Priskilly are an ancient family, and have resided from a very remote era in Pembrokeshire, where, as well as in Carmarthenshire, they have long possessed considerable estates. They are a junior branch of the HARRIESES of TREGWINT, who have been settled at their mansion there for several centuries, as appears from deeds now in possession of the family.

The immediate ancestor of the Priskilly branch was,

JAMES HARRIES, esq. (second son of JOHN HARRIES, esq. of Tregwint, whose descendants have intermarried with the most respectable families in the counties of Pembroke, Carmarthen, and Cardigan). This gentleman *m.* in 1640, Ellen, daughter and heiress of Eynon Griffith, esq. of Tresis-ilt, by whom he acquired the Tresissilt, and other contiguous estates, which are still in the family, and were their principal residence until 1726, when they removed to Priskilly.

Mr. Harries was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN HARRIES, esq. who *m.* 12th December, 1670, Letitia, daughter of John Owen, esq. of Priskilly, and had (with three daughters, who all married into respectable families in the county of Pembroke,) a son and a successor.

GEORGE HARRIES, esq. who, by the will, dated 6th October, 1726, of his maternal uncle, Thomas Owen, esq. (the last male descendant of the OWENS, lords of the ancient barony and lordship marcher of Cemaes), became possessed of the Priskilly Forest estate, held *in capite* under the Bishop of St. David's, and also valuable landed property in the parishes of Davids, Fishguard, and Letterston. He *m.* Margaret, eldest daughter of John Symmons, of Llanstinan, esq. M.P. for the borough of Cardigan, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
George, an officer in the army, *d.* in 1753.
Martha, *m.* first, in 1739, to John Williams, esq. of Corngavan, in the county of Carmarthen, and had issue,
- John Williams, *d.* unmarried.
- Anne Williams, *m.* to William Brigstock, esq. of Blaen Pant, in the county of Cardigan.
- Elizabeth Williams, *m.* to John Hughes, esq. of Carmarthen.

She espoused, secondly in 1749, Alexander Scurlock, esq. but had no further issue.
Anne, *m.* to Rowland Edwardes, esq. of Little Trefgarn, (of which family the Edwardes, Barons Kensington, are a junior branch) and left issue,
- John Owen Edwardes, who *m.* Catherine, daughter and co-heiress of John Tucker, esq. of Sealyham.

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Rowland Edwardes, lieutenant-colonel in the army.
William-Mortimer Edwardes.
Margaret, *m.* to William Gardner, esq. barrister-at-law, and left two sons and a daughter.

George Harries, esq. *d.* 13th September, 1732, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN HARRIES, esq. of Priskilly, who *m.* 29th June, 1749, Harriot Mountjoy, only child and heir of the Rev. Joseph Hill, D.D. of Colebrook, in the county of Carmarthen, and Precentor of St. David's, by whom he had issue,

JOHN-HILL, captain of Grenadiers, 33rd regiment of Foot, who fell, mortally wounded, in the memorable battle on the Brandy Wine, in America, 11th September, 1777.
GEORGE, successor to his father.
Joseph, *m.* in 1799, Jane, sole heiress of her grandfather, Gilbert James, esq. of Llanunwas, and dying in 1824, left a son,
Gilbert James, esq. *m.* Cecilia, eldest daughter of Chares Allen Philipps, of St. Bride's Hill, esq. and has two daughters, Jane and Mary.
Margaret-Theodosia, *m.* 30th September, 1791, to Thomas Williams, esq. of Trelethin, and *d. s. p.* 7th June, 1811.
Harriot, *m.* in 1784, to the Rev. William James, vicar of Mathry, and had issue, four sons and four daughters.
Anne, *d.* young.
Jane, *d.* unm. 24th October, 1822.
Martha.

John Harries *d.* 1st Nov. 1801, and was *s.* by his second, but eldest surviving son,

GEORGE HARRIES, esq. of Priskilly. This gentleman wedded 9th June, 1781, Mary, second daughter of William Bowen, esq. of Leweston, and had issue,

JOHN-HILL, his successor.
George, in holy orders. A.M. rector of Letterston and Nolton, vicar of Roch, prebendary and canon residentiary in the cathedral of St. David's.
William-Thomas, first lieutenant Royal Marines.
Joseph-Delebere, lieutenant 3rd Foot Guards.
Charles-Richard.
Harriot-Elizabeth.
Mary-Anne.
Margaret-Jane-Martha, *m.* in September, 1816, to George Lloyd, esq. of Brunant, in the county of Carmarthen.

Mr. Harries *d.* 21st June, 1808, and was *s.* by his eldest son, JOHN-HILL HARRIES, esq. present proprietor of Priskilly.

Arms—Azure, three mullets pierced, or. Quartering the arms of OWEN. Gu. a boar arg. chained to a holly bush, vert. armed and langued, or, the chain and collar gold.

Crest—A mullet pierced, or.
Motto—Integritas semper Tutamen.
Estates—Chiefly in Pembrokeshire.
Seat—Priskilly, Pembrokeshire.

BLACKETT, OF WYLAM.

BLACKETT, CHRISTOPHER, esq. of Wylam, in the county of Northumberland, formerly a captain 18th hussars, and late M.P. for Beeralston, *m.* 15th August, 1818, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Montagu Burgoyne, esq. younger son of Sir Roger Burgoyne, bart. and his wife, Lady Frances Montagu, (sister of the last Earl of Halifax), by whom he has issue,

JOHN-FENWICK-BURGOYNE.
Edward-Algernon.
Montagu.
Frances-Mary.

Mr. Blackett inherited the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1829.

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Lineage.

RICHARD DE BLACK-HEVED, or BLACKETT, who held the honorary office of forester of Stanhope, *d.* in 1350, seised of the manor of Woodcroft, in the county of Durham.

SIR JOHN BLACKETT, knt. of Woodcroft, one of the heroes of Azincourt, *m.* Margaret, Lady Heron, only daughter of Sir Ralph Hastings, and heiress in right of her mother to the manor of Noseley, in Leicestershire. Sir John Blackett was knight of that shire, 4th HENRY VI. and *d.* before 25th July, 1418.

The fourth in descent from this Sir John,

NICHOLAS BLACKETT, esq. of Woodcroft, *m.* Alyson, daughter and co-heir of Sir Rowland Tempest, knt. and one of the representatives of the noble family of Umfreville, Earls of Angus.

His great grandson,

WILLIAM BLACKETT, esq. of Hoppyland, in the county of Durham, first possessed the lead mines in Durham, which have produced such immense wealth to the junior branches of his descendants. He had issue, three sons, viz:—

CHRISTOPHER, his successor.

Edward, whose issue is extinct.

William, member for Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in several parliaments, was created a baronet in 1673. Sir William *m.* twice, but had issue, (ONLY) by his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Michael Kirkley, of Newcastle, merchant, namely:—

I. EDWARD, who *s.* as second baronet, and his lineal descendant is the present

SIR WILLIAM BLACKETT, bt. of Matson Hall.

II. Michael, *d. s. p.*

III. WILLIAM, of Wallington, in Northumberland, who was created a baronet, 23rd January, 1684. Sir William enjoyed great popularity, was esteemed a man of strict probity, and eminently distinguished himself as a parliamentary speaker. He *m.* Julia, daughter of Sir Christopher Conyers, bt. of Horden, Durham, and left issue at his decease, in 1705, one son, and six daughters, viz:—

1. SIR WILLIAM, his successor, at whose decease, *s. p.* in 1728, the baronetcy expired.
2. Julia, *m.* to Sir Walter Calverley, of Calverley, in Yorkshire, bt. and her eldest son Walter, inherited the estates of his uncle, Sir William Blackett.
3. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Marshall, esq. of Reavley, in the county of Huntingdon.
4. Frances, *m.* to Hon. Robert Bruce.
5. Diana, *m.* to Sir William Wentworth, of Breton, in the county of York.
6. Anne, *m.* to John Trenchard, esq. of Abbots Leigh.

The eldest son of William Blackett, of Hoppyland,

CHRISTOPHER BLACKETT, esq. of Hoppyland, an officer in the army of *King* CHARLES I. *m.* Alice, daughter and sole heir of Thomas Fenwick, esq. of Matfen, in the county of Northumberland, and had issue,

WILLIAM, who *m.* the daughter of the Duc de Boys, a Swedish nobleman, but *d. s. p.* 25th December, 1695.

JOHN.

The younger son,

JOHN BLACKETT, esq. of Hoppyland, and of Wylam, both in the county of Northumberland, served the office of high sheriff for that shire, in 1692. He *m.* Mary, daughter and heir of Richard, son of John Errington, esq. of Errington Hall, and Dorothy, his wife, sister of Sir Henry Widdrington, knt. of Widdrington Castle. Mr. Blackett was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN BLACKETT, esq. of Hoppyland, and Wylam, who was high sheriff for Northumberland, in 1714. He *d.* in the same year, leaving by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of John Bacon, esq. of Staward Peel, an only son and successor,

JOHN BLACKETT, esq. of Wylam, high sheriff for Northumberland in 1738, who disposed of the family estates in the county of Durham. He *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter of Edward Grey, esq. and had

JOHN, his successor.

Edward, } Officers in the army.
William, }

THOMAS, heir to his brother.

He *m.* secondly, Miss Elizabeth Crosbie, and had another son,

CHRISTOPHER, who *s.* his half brother, Thomas.

Mr. Blackett was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN BLACKETT, esq. of Wylam, at whose decease unmarried, the estates devolved upon his next surviving brother,

THOMAS BLACKETT, esq. of Wylam, who

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dying also without issue, was *s.* by his half brother,

CHRISTOPHER BLACKETT, esq. This gentleman espoused Alice, daughter of William Ingham, esq. and left at his decease, 25th Jan. 1829, with two other sons, and three daughters,

CHRISTOPHER, present proprietor.

Arms—Argent, on a chevron between three mullets pierced, sa. three escallops of the field.

Crest—A hawk's head erased, ppr.

Motto—Nous travaillerons dans l'espérance.

Estates—Wylam, situated in the parish of Ovingham, Northumberland. This manor formerly an appurtenance to the monastery of Tynemouth, was granted to the Fenwick family, about the time of the reformation, and part to the Blacketts, in the reign of CHARLES II.

Seat—Wylam.

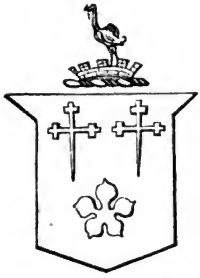
BEST, OF WIERTON.

BEST, THOMAS-FAIRFAX, esq. of Wierton, in the county of Kent, *b.* 15th October, 1786; espoused 11th June, 1817, Margaret-Anna, daughter of Joseph-George Brett, esq. of Old Brompton, Middlesex, and has issue,

Caroline-Georgiana.	Margaret-Anna.
Isabella-Dorothy.	Frances.

Mr. Best, who has been an officer in the 1st foot guards, succeeded his father 8th September, 1818.

Lineage.



This is a junior branch of the family of BEST, of Park House, in Kent.

JAMES BEST, esq. of Park House, high sheriff for the county of Kent in 1751, *m.* Frances, daughter of Richard Shelley, esq. of Michelgrove, in the county of Sussex, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir, who carried on the line of Park House, and is now represented by JAMES BEST, esq. of Park House, lieut. col. of the West Kent militia.

James, of Chatham, *m.* Miss Hannah Middleton, and died in 1828, *s. p.*

Richard, *m.* first to Miss Townshend, and secondly to Miss Martha Bowman.

GEORGE, of whom we are about to treat.

Dorothy, *m.* to William Twopenny, esq. of Woodstock Park, Kent.

Frances, *m.* to the Rev. H. Hardinge.

Charlotte.

Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Maurice Lloyd.

The youngest son,

GEORGE BEST, esq. was of Chilston Park, in the county of Kent, and represented Rochester in parliament anno 1790. He espoused Caroline, daughter of Edward Scott, esq. of Scott's Hall, and had issue,

THOMAS-FAIRFAX, his heir.

George, of the 10th Foot, died at Lancaster, in 1814, *s. p.*

William-Baliol, *d. s. p.* in 1822.

Caroline.

Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. J. G. Brett.

Louisa, *m.* to G. M. Tarlton, esq. of the 6th Foot.

Mr. Best died 8th Sept, 1818, and was *s.* by his son the present THOMAS-FAIRFAX BEST, esq. of Wierton.

Arms—Sa. two cross crosslets fitchee in chief, a cinquefoil in base, or.

Crest—An ostrich arg. issuing out of a mural crown, in the beak a cross crosslet fitche, or.

Estates—In Kent.

Seat—Wierton.

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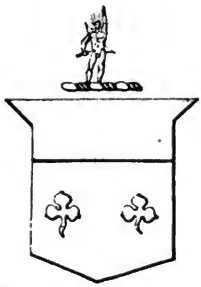
RODD, OF TREBARTHA.

RODD, FRANCIS-HEARLE, esq. of Trebartha Hall, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 29th October, 1766; *m.* 29th June, 1795, Mary-Anne, eldest daughter of the late John Coryton, esq. of Crocadon, in the same shire. Mr. Rodd succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father, the late Colonel Rodd, and was high sheriff of Cornwall in 1818.

Lineage.



This family, which in the time of *King* JOHN, was seated at the RODD, in Herefordshire, removed into Devon, and formed subsequently a connexion by marriage with the SPOURES, of *Trebartha Hall*, an estate which became in 1729 their property, by being devised by Mrs. Grylls, the heiress of the SPOURES, to the ancestor of the present Mr. Rodd.

FRANCIS RODD, esq. of Trebartha Hall, colonel of the Royal Cornwall Militia, and in the commission of the peace for that county, *m.* first Jane, second daughter and co-heir of John Hearle, esq. of Penryn, sometime warden of the Cornish Stanneries, and left issue,

- FRANCIS-HEARLE, his heir.
- Edward, in holy orders, D.D. vicar of St. Just, in Roseland, Cornwall, and of Lamerton, in Devon. Dr. Rodd *m.* Harriet, eldest daughter of Charles Rashleigh, esq. of Duperth House, and has issue.
- John-Tremayne, a rear-admiral of the White, and C.B. who *m.* Jane, daughter of Genl. James Rennell, of London, and has issue, an only son.
- Jane.
- Harriet, *m.* to George Sydenham Fursdon, esq. of Fursdon, in Devonshire, and has issue.

Colonel Rodd espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of John Sandford, esq. of Ninehead, in the county of Somerset, but had no other issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present FRANCIS HEARLE RODD, esq. of Trebartha Hall.

Arms---Arg. two trefoils slipped, sa. and a chief of the last.

Crest—A naked man, bearing on his shoulders a bow, the right hand holding an arrow, and the finger of the left pointing upward, rays surrounding the head.

Estates—In the northern and western parts of Cornwall, and in the south of Devon.

Seat---Trebartha Hall, Cornwall.

LEIGHTON OF SHREWSBURY.

LEIGHTON, FRANCIS-KNYVETT, esq. of Shrewsbury, formerly a captain in the line, and lieutenant-colonel of militia, *b.* in 1772; *m.* in July, 1805, the Honorable Louisa-Anne St. Leger, daughter of St. Leger-Aldworth, first Viscount Doneraile, and has issue,

- FRANCIS-KNYVETT, in holy orders, fellow of All Souls, and curate of Condover, in the county of Salop.
- Louisa-Anne, *m.* to Thomas H. Hope, esq.
- Clare.

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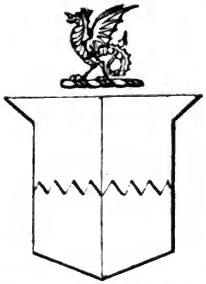
Lineage.



The family of LEIGHTON was in England long before the NORMAN CONQUEST, and is styled by Camden in his Britannia, *Nobilem, et Equestrem Familiam.*

SIR TITUS DE LEIGHTON, Knight of the Sepulchre, son and heir of Cuthbert, and grandson and heir of Totilus de Leighton, was a co-founder, upon his return from the Holy Land, of the Abbey of Buldewas, in Salop, of which mention is made in some old manuscripts written by Roger and John Challingworth. The son of this gallant knight,

SIR RICHARD DE LEIGHTON, knt. had a reconveyance of the manor of Leighton from William Fitz Allan soon after the Conquest, and out of this manor, which lay close to the Abbey of Buldewas, Sir Richard gave lands to that house, as appears by his grant without date, inserted in Dugdale's *Monasticon*, prior to that in which *King* STEPHEN confirmed the said abbey. From this Sir Richard we pass over a long line of distinguished individuals to

EDWARD LEIGHTON, esq. of Watlesborough, in the county of Salop, who was created a BARONET on the 2nd March, 1692, and represented the shire in parliament in the reign of WILLIAM III. He *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter of Sir Job Charlton, bart. of Ludford, in the county of Hereford, and had surviving issue,

EDWARD, second baronet.

Lettice, who *d.* unmarried.

Sir Edward espoused secondly, Jane, dau. of Daniel Nicholl, esq. of the city of London, and had

DANIEL, of whom presently.

Francis, a lieutenant-general in the army, and colonel of the 32nd regiment of foot.

Gerard, a captain in the army.

Jane, *m.* first to Thomas Jones, esq. of Shrewsbury, and secondly to Sir Charles Lloyd, bart. of Garth, in the county of Montgomery.

Victoria, *m.* to Edward Kynaston, esq. of Hardwick.

Sir Edward Leighton *d.* in 1711, and was *s.* in the baronetcy by his eldest son. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.)* The second son,

DANIEL LEIGHTON, esq. a lieutenant-colonel in General Evans's horse, *m.* Jane, dau. of Nathaniel Thorold, esq. of the city of Lincoln, (this lady was bedchamber woman to the Princess of Wales,) and had issue,

HERBERT, his successor.

Edward, lieutenant in the royal navy, *d.* unmarried, of a wound received in the battle of Toulon.

Jane, *m.* first to Captain Cathcart, and secondly to Jonathan, eldest son of Sir John Cope, bart.

—— *m.* to Captain Sabine.

Colonel Leighton was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

HERBERT LEIGHTON, esq. a captain in the army, gentleman usher to Frederick, Prince of Wales, (father of *King* GEORGE III.) and page to the Princess Dowager of Wales. He *m.* Harriet, eldest daughter of Henry Wilson, esq. of Ashwelthorpe, in the county of Norfolk, by Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir of John Knyvett, and had a son and successor,

THE REV. FRANCIS LEIGHTON, who *m.* Clare, sister and co-heir of John Boynton Adams, esq. of Camblesforth, in the county of York, by whom he had a child, the present COLONEL FRANCIS KNYVETT-LEIGHTON, now representative of this branch of the Leighton family.

Arms—Quarterly, per fess, indented or and gu.

Crest—A wivern, with wings expanded sa.

Motto—Dread shame.

Estates—Bewsley, in the county of Montgomery, at the foot of the Brydden mountain, in the family time immemorial. Also a divided property in Yorkshire, at or near Copmarthorpe, Balwith, and Howden, acquired with Clare, the daughter and coheiress of John Boynton Adams, esq

Residence—Shrewsbury.

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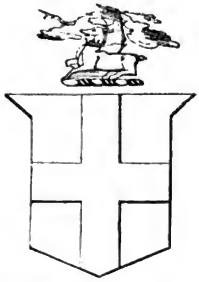
HUSSEY, OF SCOTNEY CASTLE.

HUSSEY, EDWARD, esq. of Scotney Castle, in the county of Kent, *b.* 13th July, 1807; succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1807.

Lineage.



The family of HUSSEY came into England at the CONQUEST, and boasts an alliance with the DUKES OF NORMANDY. It has, at various periods, enjoyed great landed possessions in many parts of the kingdom, and no less than four of its different scions have been elevated to the peerage.

The branch immediately before us derives from

EDWARD HUSSEY, esq. of Little Shelsley, in the county of Worcester, who espoused, in 1641, Jane ——, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD HUSSEY, esq. of Norgrove's End, in Bayton, in the county of Worcester, who married twice, and left at his decease, 27th May, 1707, an only son, (by his first wife, Elinor, third daughter of Edward Cresset, esq. of the Cotes, in the county of Salop, an ancient and respectable family of that shire,) viz.

THOMAS HUSSEY, esq. of Burwash, in the county of Sussex, who espoused Frances, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Lake, esq. of Taywell, by whom he had issue,

- THOMAS, his successor.
- John, *d.* in 1754.
- Edward, *d.* in 1742.
- Frances, *m.* to George Weller, esq. of Tunbridge, and had issue. Mr. Weller subsequently took the surname of POLEY.

Mr. Hussey *d.* in 1735, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS HUSSEY, esq. of Burwash and of Ashford, in the county of Kent, *b.* in 1722, who *m.* 8th October, 1747, Anne, only child of Maurice Berkeley, esq. by Anne, only daughter and eventually heiress of the Rev. Roger Calow, of Warbleton, in Sussex, and had issue,

1. Thomas, who predeceased his father in 1754.
2. EDWARD, successor to the estates.
3. John, in holy orders, who left at his decease an only son, (by his wife, Miss Jennings, an heiress,) viz.
   - Thomas-John, in holy orders, *b.* in 1792.
4. William, in holy orders, A.M. rector of Sandhurst, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of William Twopenny, esq. of Rochester, and has issue,
   - WILLIAM, of Hawkhurst, *b.* in 1784, who *m.* Mary-Anne, daughter and co-heiress of — Law, esq. son of the Rev. Archdeacon John Law, D.D. and has five sons and as many daughters.
   - Arthur, in holy orders.
   - Henry, of the Chancery Register.
   - Robert.
   - Peter-Lambe.
   - Richard.
   - Charlotte, *m.* to Alexander H. Sutherland, esq. F.S.A.
   - Frances.
   - Philadelphia.
   - Mary-Anne.
   - Harriet (deceased).
   - Elizabeth.
5. Anne.
6. Elizabeth,
7. Martha,
8. Charlotte, } all *d.* unmarried.
9. Frances, *m.* to S. Streatfield, esq. and had issue.
10. Philadelphia, *m.* to Thomas Rutton, esq. but *d.* issueless.
11. Harriet, *m.* to John Austen, esq.

Thomas Hussey *d.* in 1779, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD HUSSEY, esq. of Scotney Castle, Kent, who *m.* in 1775, Elizabeth-Sarah, only daughter and heiress of Robert Bridge, esq. of Bocking, in the county of Essex, by whom (who *d.* 1793) he left a son and successor,

EDWARD HUSSEY, esq. of Scotney Castle, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress of

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William Jemmet, esq. of Ashford, and dying in 1817, left surviving issue an only son and daughter, viz.

EDWARD, his heir.

Eleanor, who *d.* in 1820.

Mr. Hussey was *s.* at his decease by his son, the present EDWARD HUSSEY, esq. of Scotney Castle.

Arms—Or a cross vert.

QUARTERINGS.

HUSSEY. Or, a cross vert.

HUSSEY. Barry of six, erm and gu.

LAKE. Sa. a bend between six cross crosslets fitchée arg.

LUCAS. Arg. a fess between six annulets gu.

BERKELEY. Gu. a chevron ermine between ten crosses patée.

CALOW. Arg. on a chevron between three leopards' faces sa. three annulets of the first.

BRIDGE. Arg. a chief gu. over all a bend engrailed sa. a chaplet of the field, on a dexter chief.

JEMMET. Party per chevron gu. and sa. three unicorns' heads arg. armed and bearded or.

PATTENSON. Arg. on a fesse sa. three fleurs de lis or.

CALDWELL or KADWELL. Arg. a cross patée fitchée between three estoiles or.

MUNN. Party per chevron flory counter flory, sa. and or, three bezants in chief and a tower in base sa.

——— On a chief two boars' heads couped.

——— A chevron between three greyhounds courant.

Crest—A hind ducally gorged and chained, at lodge, under an oak tree, ppr.

Estates—In the parishes of Lamberhurst, Gondhurst, Brenchley, Wadhurst, Burwash, Heathfield, Cranbrook, Biddenden, Hadlow, and in divers other parishes in the counties of Kent and Sussex.

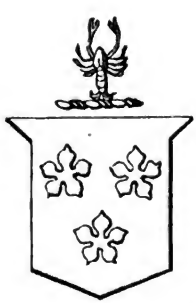
Town Residence—122, Park Street, Grosvenor Square.

Seat — Scotney Castle, Lamberhurst, Kent.

DYKES, OF DOVENBY.

DYKES-BALLANTINE FRETCHEVILLE-LAWSON, esq. of Dovenby Hall, in the county of Cumberland. This gentleman succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, 15th December, 1830, and was M. P. for Cockermouth.

Lineage.



This very ancient Cumberland family is said to have been located at DYKESFIELD, in that shire prior to the NORMAN CONQUEST.

WILLIAM DEL DYKES was grandfather of

ROBERT DEL DYKES, who granted lands at Burgh to William del Monkys, in a deed supposed to have been made in the time of HENRY III. The grandson of this Robert,

WILLIAM DEL DYKES, living in the reign of EDWARD II., espoused Agnes, heiress of Sir Hugh Waverton, and had (with a daughter Agnes, the wife of J. de Ormsby,) a son and successor,

WILLIAM DEL DYKES, who flourished *temp.* EDWARD III. and was father of

WILLIAM DEL DYKES, who *m.* in the reign of RICHARD II. Jane, heiress of Sir H. Distington, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DEL DYKES, living *temp.* HENRY IV., who espoused Katherine Thwaites, of Thwaites, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DEL DYKES. This gentleman represented the county of Cumberland in parliament, in the reign of Henry VI. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Lee, knt. of Isell, (a descendant of Lucea, daughter of Hugh, Earl of Chester, whose mother was

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sister of WILLIAM *the Conqueror*.) In the 9th of HENRY VI., he had a grant of lands at Wigton, from Henry, Earl of Northumberland. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM DEL DYKES, who espoused Christiana, co-heir of Sir Richard Salkeld, of Corby, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DYKES, esq. who furnished horse in the Border Service, *temp.* HENRY VII., as having the ward of the district between the Ellen and Derwent. He *m.* Isabel, heiress of John Pennington of Muncaster, and was father of

LEONARD DYKES, esq. This gentleman espoused in 1541, Anne Layton, of Dalemain, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DYKES, esq. who wedded Jane, daughter of Lancelot Lancaster,* of Sockbridge, and was *s.* by his son,

LEONARD DYKES, esq. who was sheriff for the county of Cumberland, and, in the 19th CHARLES I., treasurer of the King's Forces in that shire. He *m.* first, Anne, heiress of Radcliffe, of Cockerton, and had, *inter alios*, THOMAS, his successor. He espoused secondly, Margaret Frescheville, niece of Lord Frescheville, of Staveley, and had a daughter Elizabeth, *m.* to Lawson Irton. Mr. Dykes was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DYKES, who was distinguished by devotion to the cause of CHARLES I., and eventually fell into the hands of the parliamentarians, being discovered concealed amongst the branches of a mulberry tree in front of his house. Thence he was conveyed to Cockermouth, and there had an offer made to him, that his property should be restored, if he simply recanted. This proposition he met however, with a decided negative, adding "prius frangitur quam flectitur," a sentiment since adopted as the family motto. This gallant cavalier *m.* first, Joyce Fretcheville, niece of Lord Fretcheville, of Staveley, and had issue,

LEONARD, his heir.

Joyce, *m.* to Thomas Curwen, esq. of Workington.

He espoused secondly, Margaret, heiress of Ralph Delavale, and had other issue. He was *s.* by his son,

LEONARD DYKES, esq. who *m.* Grace Salkeld, and had issue,

FRETCHEVILLE, his successor.

Barbara, *m.* to J. Lathes, of Dalehead.

Mr. Dykes, who was sheriff of Cumberland twice in the reign of CHARLES II., was *s.* at his decease by his son,

FRETCHEVILLE DYKES, esq. This gentleman *m.* about the year 1697 Jane, eldest sister of Sir Gilfrid Lawson, of Brayton, and had (with another son, Fretcheville, a captain in the navy and lost at sea,) his successor,

* The Lancasters derive from John de Tailboys, brother of Fulk, Earl of Anjou.

LEONARD DYKES, esq. who espoused about the year 1728 Susanna, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Capstack, of Newburn, in Northumberland, by Hester, his wife, grandaughter of Sir John Lowther, and had issue,

FRETCHEVILLE, of Warthole, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Brougham, esq. of Cockermouth, and had an only daughter,

MARY, who inherited the property of her uncle Peter Lamplugh Brougham, esq. of Dovenby, and espoused her cousin, Joseph Dykes Ballantine-Dykes, esq.

LAWSON.

The younger son,

LAWSON DYKES, esq. *m.* in 1765 Jane, daughter and heiress of JOHN BALLANTINE, esq. of Crookdale, and assumed, in consequence, the additional surname and arms of that family. He had issue,

JOSEPH, his successor.

Fretchville, political agent, and colonel commandant in the East India Company's service.

Mary, *m.* to James Spedding, esq. of Summer Grove.

Mr. Dykes-Ballantine was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

JOSEPH DYKES-BALLANTINE, esq. of Dovenby Hall, in the county of Cumberland, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Fretcheville Dykes, esq. (by Mary, daughter of John Brougham, esq. of Cockermouth, and sister and heiress of Peter Lamplugh-Brougham, esq. of Scales), by whom he had issue,

FRETCHEVILLE-LAWSON, his heir.

Joseph, in holy orders, M.A. a Fellow of Queen's College Oxford.

Lamplugh-Brougham, a Fellow of Peter House, Cambridge.

Lawson-Peter.

Leonard-John.

James-William.

Mary, *m.* in 1828, to John Marshall, esq. son of John Marshall, esq. of Headingley.

Jane-Christiana.

Ellen.

Frances.

Susan.

Mr. Ballantine, who assumed upon his marriage the additional surname of DYKES, was sheriff of Cumberland in 1807. He *d.* in 1830.

Arms—Or, three cinquefoils sa.

Crest—A lobster or crayfish vert.

Motto—Prius frangitur quam flectitur.

Estates—WARTHOLE, where the family settled in the reign of HENRY VI. Landed property at Dovenby, Scales, Bridekirk, Dearham, Allerby, &c. inherited by Mrs. Dykes, from her maternal ancestor, Richard Lamplugh, esq. of Ribton. The heiress of Dolphin, (whence the name of Dovenby)

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conveyed the manor to the De Rolls, in the reign of HENRY III. LUCY held it in the time of EDWARD I., from the Lucys, it passed to the KIRKBRIDES, (descendants of Odard, baron of Wigton,) whose heiress, *temp.* RICHARD II. married a brother of Sir Thomas Lamplugh, from whom descended Anthony Lamplugh, whose great grandaughter, MISS MOLINE, espoused Richard Lamplugh, of Ribton, and their great grandaughter Miss Brougham, (of the present Lord Chancellor's family,) married Fretchville Dykes, esq. of Warthole. This lady's brother assumed the surname of LAMPLUGH, and his property at his decease devolved upon his niece, Mrs. Dykes. CROOKDALE and IREBY came into the family by the marriage of Lawson Dykes with the heiress of Ballantine. Sir John Ballantine espoused the heiress of Musgrave, to whom Crookdale came from the LOWTHERS of that place; Ireby came into the Musgrave family by their alliance with the heiress of Colvil, which family of Colvil had previously obtained the heiress of Tilliol. SCALES* was inherited by the mother of the present proprietor from the family of BROUGHAM.

Seat—Dovenby Hall, Cumberland.

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* **Descent of the Estate of Scales Hall.**

THOMAS BROUGHAM, of Brougham, *m.* the daughter and heiress of John Vaux, of Catterlen and Tryermayne, and was father of

PETER BROUGHAM, of Blackhall, in Cumberland, who wedded Anne, daughter and heiress of John Southaike, of SCALES, in the same shire, and thus acquired that estate. He *d.* in 1570, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY BROUGHAM, of Scales and Blackhall, high sheriff for Cumberland, who *d.* in 1622, leaving by his second wife, Catherine Fallowfield, a son and heir,

THOMAS BROUGHAM, of Scales. This gentleman served the office of sheriff for Cumberland. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Daniel Fleming, of Rydale, and dying in 1648, was *s.* by his son,

HENRY BROUGHAM, esq. of Scales, who enlarged his possessions there, and erected SCALES HALL. By his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of John Lamplugh, esq. of Lamplugh, he had issue,

I. Thomas, } both *d. s. p.*
II. Bernard, }

III. JOHN, commonly called *Commissioner Brougham*, who purchased back from the grandchildren of James Bird, the ancient seat of the family, BROUGHAM HALL. He *d. s. p.* and was *s.* by his nephew.

IV. Peter, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Christopher Richmond, esq. of Highhead Castle, grandson through his mother, Mabel, of John Vaux, of Catterlen, by whom he left two sons, who both died issueless.

V. Samuel, who *m.* Dorothy, only daughter of John Child, esq. and had two sons,

1. JOHN, a bencher of Gray's Inn, who *d.* issueless.
2. HENRY, of Brougham, who, upon his son's attaining majority, in 1763, suffered a recovery of SCALES, and other estates. He *d.* in 1782, and was *s.* by his son,
   HENRY BROUGHAM, esq. of Brougham, *b.* in 1742, who sold SCALES to Peter Lamplugh-Brougham, esq. in 1786. He *m.* Eleanor, only child of James Syme, D.D. by Mary, sister of Robertson, the Historian of Scotland, and had issue,
   HENRY, LORD BROUGHAM and VAUX, LORD HIGH CHANCELLOR. (See *Burke's Peerage.*)
   James, M.P.
   Peter, *d. s. p.*
   John-Waugh, who *d.* in 1829, leaving issue.
   William, one of the masters in chancery, and M.P. for Southwark.
   Mary.

VI. MARY, who wedded — Brougham, esq. (presumed to have been a son of a brother of the Thomas Brougham, who *d.* in 1648) and had a son,
   JOHN BROUGHAM, esq. of Cockermouth, who espoused Frances Woodhall, and had issue,
   PETER LAMPLUGH-BROUGHAM, who purchased the estate of SCALES, in 1786, and *d.* intestate, in April, 1791.
   MARY BROUGHAM, who wedded Fretcheville Dykes, esq. of Warthole, and dying in October, 1785, left an only daughter,
   MARY, heiress to her uncle, Peter Lamplugh-Brougham, esq. and inheritor of SCALES HALL. She wedded JOSEPH BALLANTINE, esq. and had a son, the present FRETCHEVILLE-LAWSON BALLANTINE-DYKES, esq. of DOVENBY.

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CAREW, OF CAREW CASTLE.

CAREW, GEORGE-HENRY, esq. of Carew Castle, in the county of Pembroke, of Crowcombe, in Somersetshire, and of Pentrepant, in the county of Salop, *m.* in 1794, Mary, eldest daughter of the late John Carew, esq. of Antony House, in Cornwall, and has issue,

- THOMAS-GEORGE-WARRINGTON, who *m.* Miss Clarke, only child of the late Thomas Clarke, esq. of Furnham House.
- Henry, *m.* Jane-Maria, only child of John Rogers, esq. of Ayshford, Sidmouth.
- John-Francis.
- Gerald.
- Nesta, *m.* to Gabriel Powell, esq. eldest son of the Rev. Thomas Powell, of Peterstone Court, Brecknockshire.
- Mary-Anne.
- Elizabeth-Louisa.
- Elizabeth,
- Ellinora.
- Caroline-Harriet.

This gentleman, whose patronimic is WARRINGTON, assumed by sign manual in 1811, the surname of CAREW, only. He had succeeded in 1802, in right of his mother, to the Shropshire estates, and inherited, in 1822, a moiety of the Pyncombe estates, in North Devon.

Lineage.

The CAREWS are one of the few families now remaining which can trace their descent without interruption, from the Anglo-Saxon period of English history.

OTHO, living in the time of EDWARD *the Confessor*, held several lordships in Hampshire, Buckinghamshire, and Middlesex, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WALTER FITZ OTHO, who, at the time of the general survey, appears by Domesday book to have enjoyed the same lordships which his father held. The name and family of this Walter's wife are in doubt, as likewise the seniority of his three sons.* Those sons were

- WILLIAM, from whom derived the LORDS WINDSORE.
- ROBERT, Lord of Eston.
- GERALD.

The third in this list,

GERALD, sometimes styled DE WINDSORE, and at others FITZ WALTER, is called, in the Duke of Leinster's pedigree, the eldest son, but in the pedigree of the Earl of Kerry the youngest. He was appointed castellan of Pembroke Castle and lieutenant of the parts adjacent by *King* HENRY I. He *m.* Nesta, daughter of Rhys ap Tewdwr, Prince of South Wales, by whom he acquired the barony, manor, and castle of Carru, with seven other lordships. This Gerald was lineal ancestor of

SIR NICHOLAS CARRU, of Carru, a person of eminence in the reign of EDWARD I. who was summoned to the parliament held at Lincoln by that monarch. He had also two military summonses, and was at the celebrated siege of KARLAVAROK. Sir Nicholas subscribed the letter to the POPE with his appendant seal of three lions. His son and successor,

SIR JOHN CARRU, was father of

SIR JOHN CARRU, knight banneret, a gallant soldier and distinguished statesman, in the martial and victorious reign of EDWARD III. who was present, with his son, Sir John Carru, at the siege of Calais, and was afterwards constituted LORD DEPUTY OF IRELAND. He wedded Margaret, daughter of John, Lord Mohun, of Dunster, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR LEONARD CARRU, to whom succeeded his son,

* Refer to *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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SIR JOHN CAREW, who was knighted by *King* RICHARD II. and afterwards attained high distinction in the French wars of HENRY V. being one of the commanding officers at the AZINCOURT. Sir John Carew, in the same reign, was joined with Sir George Talbot, in the command of the navy, and obtained for his services a grant of one hundred marks per annum for life, payable by the receiver of Cornwall. This gallant person was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR NICHOLAS CAREW, lord of Carew, who wedded Joan, daughter of Sir Hugh Courtenay, of Haccombe, and had issue,

1. THOMAS (Sir), ancestor of Sir George Carew, earl of Totness.
2. Nicholas, of Haccombe, from whom the Carews (baronets) of that place derive.
3. Hugh, *d. s. p.*
4. Alexander, ancestor of the family of EAST ANTONY (See POLE-CAREW.)
5. William (Sir).

The fifth son,

SIR WILLIAM CAREW, acquired from his mother, the manors of Wicheband, Widebridge, Bokeland, &c. This gentleman was made a knight banneret by HENRY VII. after the battle of Blackheath. He had a son,

JOHN CAREW, esq. who wedded Margaret, daughter of William Kelly, esq. by whom he obtained the manors of Stoadley and Camerton, but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his brother (or son),

GEORGE CAREW, esq. who was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS CAREW, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Hugh Biccombe, esq. lord of the manor of Crowcombe, and acquired thereby that estate. He was *s.* at his demise, in 1604, by his son,

SIR JOHN CAREW, knt. who inherited *temp.* JAMES I. Crowcombe, Clatworthy, Camerton, and Stoadley. This gentleman had, in that reign, a charter of free Warren, in Crowcombe, and a grant of CAREW CASTLE, which latter had been mortgaged by his ancestor, Sir Edmund Carew, to Sir Rhys ap Thomas, and had been forfeited to the crown, whence it was leased to Sir John Perrott, and others; the remainder of whose tenure was now purchased by Sir John Carew. He left at his demise in 1637, a son and successor,

THOMAS CAREW, esq. of Carew Castle, and of Crowcombe, who *m.* Margery, daughter of Sir John Wyndham, of Orchard Wyndham, in the county of Somerset. This gentleman suffered much for his loyalty to the HOUSE OF STUART, and had the honor of receiving a letter signed by *King* CHARLES I. commanding his attendance at Oxford. He survived those perilous times, and lived to witness the restoration of the monarchy. He left at his decease, in 1662, a son,

THOMAS CAREW, esq. whose son,

THOMAS CAREW, esq. of Carew Castle, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of John Sanford, esq. of Mynehead, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

John, who inherited at the decease of Lady Carew, relict of Sir Coventry Carew, bart. in 1766, the manor of EAST ANTONY, &c. in Cornwall, but leaving no male issue, the Cornish estates passed, at his decease, to the family of POLE. He had, however, two daughters, viz.

MARY, of whom hereafter, as heiress of CAREW CASTLE, CROWCOMBE, &c.

Elizabeth.

The elder son,

THOMAS CAREW, esq. of Carew Castle, Camerton, Crowcombe, Clatworthy, and Stoadley, M.P. for Minehead in 1762, wedded Mary, daughter of Francis Drewe, esq. of Grange, in the county of Devon, and had an only surviving daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH CAREW, who espoused JAMES BERNARD, esq. of the Middle Temple, but having no issue, the estates passed at her decease, under an entail to her first cousin, MARY CAREW, eldest daughter of John Carew, of East Antony, in Cornwall. This MARY wedded in 1794, GEORGE-HENRY WARRINGTON, esq. of Pentrepant, in Shropshire, who having assumed the surname and arms of his wife's family, is the present CAREW, OF CAREW.

Arms—Or, three lions passant, sa.

Crest—A main-mast, the roundtop set off with palisadoes, or, a lion issuing thereout, sa.

Supporters—DEXTER, a lion, sa. SINISTER, an antelope, gu.

Motto—J'espère bien.

Estates—The castle and manor of Carew, in Pembrokeshire; manors of Crowcombe, Clatworthy, and Bore Path, in Somersetshire; and of Pentrepant, in the county of Salop; and a moiety of the Pyncombe estates, in North Devon.

Seats—Crowcombe-Court, and Pentrepant.

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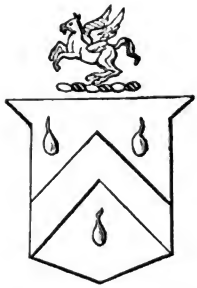
CALMADY, OF LANGDON.

CALMADY, CHARLES-BIGGS, esq. of Langdon Hall, in the county of Devon, *b.* in 1791, *m.* in 1816, Emily, eldest daughter of William Greenwood, esq. of Brookwood, Hants, (of an ancient Yorkshire family) and has issue,

VINCENT-POLLEXFEN, *b.* in 1825.
Emily.
Laura-Anne.
Honora-Mary.
Cycill-Christiana.

Mr. Calmady succeeded his father, Admiral Calmady, 5th March, 1807.

Lineage.



This ancient family, which was seated at CALMADY, in Cornwall, at a very remote period, appears to have removed into Devonshire about the beginning of the sixteenth century.

JOHN CALMADY, of Calmady, living in 1460, was father of

— CALMADY, who is supposed to have married the daughter of Francis Vincent. He had three sons, viz.

1. RICHARD, of Farwood, M.P. for Plympton in 1555, died in 1586, leaving three daughters.
2. VINCENT, of whom presently.
3. Andrew.

The second son,

VINCENT CALMADY, who is supposed to have erected the mansion of LANGDON HALL, *m.* first Maria, daughter and heir of Robert Nicks, of Lifton, in Cornwall, and had, with other issue,

JOSIAS, his successor.

He espoused, secondly, Wylmote daughter of — Alford, by whom he had three sons and a daughter. His will bears date in 1579, and he was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOSIAS CALMADY, of Langdon, who inherited likewise the fortune of his uncle, Richard Calmady, of Farwood. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, daughter and heiress of Carew Courtenay,* grandson of Sir William Courtenay, of Powderham, and had, with other issue, his successor, at his decease in the beginning of the seventeenth century,

SIR SHILSTON CALMADY, who received the honor of knighthood in 1618. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of John Coplestone, esq. by whom, who *d.* in 1617, he had no surviving issue. He wedded secondly, Honora, daughter of Edward Fortesque, esq. of Fallow-pit, and relict of Sir H. Prideaux, knt. by whom he had three sons, viz.

JOSIAS, his heir.

Shilston, of Leawood, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Humphry Gayer, esq. and had, with two daughters, two sons, viz.

JOSIAS, who eventually succeeded to the estates and representation of the family.

John, M.P. for Oakhampton.

Francis, of Combshead, in Cornwall. This gentleman rebuilt the mansion at that place, where his arms and the initials of his name, with the date 1663, remain over the gateway. He *m.* Joan, daughter and heiress of Walter Farsland, esq. of Bickington, in Devon, and was father of

FRANCIS CALMADY, esq. of Combs-

* This Carew Courtenay was son of Peter Courtenay, by Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of — Shilston, of Devonshire

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head, *b.* in 1664, who was *s.* in 1704, by his son,

FRANCIS CALMADY, esq. of Combshead, who *m.* Cecilia, daughter of Warwick Pollexfen, esq. of Mothecombe, in Devonshire, and had, with six other sons† and five daughters, who all died unmarried, his successor in 1747,

FRANCIS VINCENT CALMADY, esq. of Combshead, of whom hereafter, as successor to the representation and estates of the branch of Langdon.

Sir Shilston Calmady was killed at the siege of Ford House during the civil wars. His widow survived him, and dying in 1663 was buried in Brideston church, where the following curious epitaph is to be seen upon her tomb:

"Eight living branches still are springing found,
Though here the root lies dead within the ground.
Two husbands in their tombs divided lie,
Who both did in the bed of honor die;
But now the king of terrors, oh unjust,
At length has laid their HONOR in the dust,
Till that which here is in dishonor sown
Be raised in HONOR to a glorious throne."

Sir Shilston was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOSIAS CALMADY, esq. of Langdon, who *m.* first, Thomasine, daughter of Sir Richard Buller, knt. by whom he had two daughters. He espoused secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of John Coffin, esq. of Portledge, in Devon, and had two sons, Josias and Shilston, who both died young. This gentleman lived to an advanced age, and was principally occupied in relieving the distressed. In his last testament he was yet mindful of their wants, bequeathing twelve pence per week, in second bread, to the poor of the parish of Wembury, for ever, payable out of the rents in Colebrook, now the property of Earl Morley, to be distributed every Sunday, by the churchwardens. And leaving £500 to be raised out of the sheaf of the parish of Wembury, to purchase lands, the income accruing from the same to be applied to the relief of the parish, according to the provisions of his will; which money has since been expended in the purchase of an estate, Higher Egcumb, and Rumsdown, in the parish of Milton Abbott, in the county of Devon. This benevolent person *d.* in 1682, and leaving no male issue, was *s.* by his nephew,

JOSIAS CALMADY, esq. of Leawood, M.P. for Oakhampton in 1680, and sheriff for the county of Devon, in 1688, who thus became also of Langdon. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, dau. and heiress of Edward Waldo, esq. (by the daughter and heiress of Potter), and by her, who *d.* in 1694, had (with two younger daughters, who *d.* unmarried),

JOSIAS, SHILSTON, WALDO, } Successors in turn to the estates.

ELIZABETH, eventually heiress.

Mr. Calmady espoused secondly, Jane, dau. of Thomas Rolt, esq. of Milton, in the county of Devon, and had one daughter, *b.* in 1701. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOSIAS CALMADY, esq. of Langdon and Leawood, who served the office of sheriff for Devon, in 1694. He espoused — and had several children, who all died young. His widow died at the advanced age of 92, in 1756, and was buried in Marylebone church, London. Mr. Calmady was *s.* in 1714, by his next brother,

SHILSTON CALMADY, esq. of Langdon, M.P. for Saltash, at whose decease, unm. in 1730, the estates devolved upon his brother,

WALDO CALMADY. esq. of Langdon, who served the office of sheriff for Devon in 1728. He died issueless, in 1765, when the estates devolved upon his three sisters, as co-heirs, but the two younger dying unmarried, the property passed eventually to the eldest,

ELIZABETH CALMADY, who espoused John Pollexfen, esq. of Mothecombe, in Devonshire, high sheriff for the county in 1718, and left an only daughter and sole heiress,

ELIZABETH POLLEXFEN, (the last survivor of that ancient house), who married

FRANCIS VINCENT CALMADY, esq. of Combshead, (refer to issue of FRANCIS, third son of SIR SHILSTON CALMADY), and had issue,

FRANCIS, his heir.

ELIZABETH, *m.* to Christopher Hamlyn, esq. of Pascoe, in the county of Devon, and has a son, Calmady-Pollexfen Hamlyn, esq.

POLLEXFEN, of whom hereafter.

Mr. Calmady was *s.* at his decease, in 1765, by his only son,

FRANCIS CALMADY, esq. of Langdon, who died unmarried, and bequeathed his estates to his youngest sister,

POLLEXFEN CALMADY, who thus became of Langdon. This lady espoused Charles Holmes Everitt, esq. an admiral of the Red, who thereupon assumed by act of parliament, the surname and arms of CALMADY. By the heiress of Calmady, the admiral had issue,

Charles, who died young.

CHARLES-BIGGS, present possessor.

† One of these sons, WARWICK CALMADY, was a captain in the navy at the time Admiral Byng was shot at Portsmouth, and threw up his commission in disgust.

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Arabella-Philippa, *m.* to C. U. Ustekkys, esq.

Admiral Calmady *d.* in 1807, and was buried in the family vault, at Wembury, where a neat marble monument is erected to his memory, with the following inscription:

Near this place are deposited the remains of
Charles Holmes Calmady, esq.
Admiral of the Blue, who departed this life,
15th March, 1807,
In the 54th year of his age.
In remembrance of his many virtues, of his grateful regard, and sincere affection to his wife, of his fatherly affection to his children, of his compassionate care of the poor and friendless, and of his benevolence to all,
This monument is erected, that the good
May be reverenced after they are gone hence, and
Are no more seen.
On him, who braves unhurt the battle's roar,
Who wreck'd, still treads again his native shore;
On him, secure in midnight's peaceful hour,
May rush, O Death, thy desolating power.
There, Christian, watch, each hour instruct thine heart,
To seek, to find, to hold that better part;
So on thy pillow calmly close thine eye,
Nor tremble, though thy last dread foe be nigh,
Nor wake but in the morning of eternity.

Admiral Calmady was *s.* by his only surviving son, CHARLES-BIGGS CALMADY, esq. of Langdon Hall, the present representative of this ancient family.

Arms—Az. a chevron between three pears, or.

Crest—A Pegasus, arg.

Motto—Simili frondescit virga metallo.

QUATERINGS.

STRODE.	SHILSTON.
MORETON.	GAYER.
GAYER.	WALDO.
PENWARNE.	POTTER.
CAVIL.	FURSLAND.
NICKS.	POLLEXFEN.
COURTENAY.	

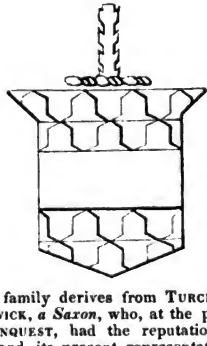
Seat—Langdon Hall, near Plymouth.

BRACEBRIDGE, OF ATHERSTONE HALL.

BRACEBRIDGE, CHARLES-HOLTE, esq. of Atherstone Hall, in the county of Warwick, *b.* in March, 1799, *m.* in 1824, Selina, daughter of William Mills, esq. of Bisterne, in the county of Hants.

Mr. Bracebridge succeeded to the representation of the family at the decease of his father, 21st August, 1832.

Lineage.



This family derives from TURCHILL DE WAREWICK, *a Saxon*, who, at the period of the CONQUEST, had the reputation of an EARL, and its present representative still retains of the original possessions of this ancestor a rent charge in Kingsbury, the principal seat of the said TURCHILL. Dugdale says, that this noble Saxon, who was descended from Guy, Earl of Warwick and King Ethelstan, in imitation of the Norman and his followers, assuming a surname, adopted that of ARDEN, a designation given to a woodland tract of the county of Warwick.

TURCHILL DE WAREWICK espoused, first, ——, and had a son,

SEWARD DE ARDEN, living temp. HENRY I. who was father of

HENRY DE ARDEN, whose son,

THOMAS DE ARDEN, living in the reign of JOHN, contested for some years with his kinsman, JOHN DE BRACEBRIDGE, the inheritance of Kingsbury, but was eventually forced to abandon his pretensions.

The earl *m.* secondly, Leverunia, with whom he acquired the manor of Kingsbury, in the county of Warwick, and by her had a son,

OSBERT DE ARDEN, whose service for the manor of Kingsbury, RANUPH, *Earl of Chester*, granted in the time of STEPHEN, to

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Robert Marmion, of Tamworth Castle, and his heirs. This Osbert had issue,

OSBERT, his successor.

AMICIA, of whom presently, as heir to her nieces.

The son,

OSBERT DE ARDEN, Lord of Kingsbury, had two daughters, his co-heirs, namely,

ADELIZA DE ARDEN, wife of Simon de Harcourt

and

AMABIL DE ARDEN, wife of Robert Fitz Walter.

These ladies dying both issueless, the lordship of Kingsbury devolved upon their aunt,

AMICIA DE ARDEN, wife of

PETER DE BRACEBRIDGG, who had assumed his surname from a place so called, near Lincoln, of which he was LORD. "This Peter," says Dugdale, "was a militarie man, for I find that he gave unto William, the son of Fundus, and his heirs, certain lands within the precinct of this lordship, to the intent that the said William should, upon lawful warning, carry hither to Kingsbury, such painted lances from London or Northampton at the charge of him, the said Peter, as he might have occasion to use in any tourneament then, and that whensoever the said Peter should take a journey beyond sea, for performance of such martial exploits, he the said William should attend to bring back his lances." Peter Bracebridgg and his wife confirmed a grant of lands, and the advowson of Kingsbury Church, made by Osbert de Arden, to the nuns of Mergate. The validity of this grant was afterwards, unsuccessfully, contested by Sir Ralph de Bracebridge. Peter was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

JOHN DE BRACEBRIDGG, Lord of Kingsbury, who encountered much difficulty in defending his inheritance from his cousin, Thomas de Arden; but eventually succeeded. He *d.* issueless, in the 2nd of HENRY III. and his estates devolved upon his brother,

WILLIAM DE BRACEBRIGG, Lord of Kingsbury, who was constituted, in the 19th of HENRY III. a justice of assize at Warwick. This William confirmed to the monks of Merevale the grant of a yard land in Holt, made to them by John, his deceased brother; and whatsoever else the said John had given to that monastery. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR RALPH DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. Lord of Kingsbury, who received the honor of knighthood in the 33rd of HENRY III. He left at his decease, a daughter, Matilda, *m.* to Thomas de Clinton, and a son, his successor,

SIR JOHN DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. who in the 40th of HENRY III. paid a fine of two marks in gold to the king, that his knighthood might be postponed for three years; during which dispensation being amerced at a mark by the Justices Itinerant, in Lincolnshire, for not being a knight, he obtained a special mandate to the barons of the Exchequer, for acquitting him of that penalty. Subsequently adhering to the barons, who took up arms in the 48th of this reign, he was made prisoner by the royal army, at the surprisal of Northampton, confined at Shrewsbury, and compelled to surrender his lordship to Roger de Cliffofd. Obtaining his liberty he fled with the younger Simon de Montford, to the Isle of Arholme, where he remained until the total discomfiture of his party, when submitting, he regained his lands under the "Dictum de Kenilworth." He fell afterwards into such pecuniary embarrassments, owing to the heavy fines he had to pay, that he was obliged to make a lease of nearly his whole lordship, to Robert de Typetot. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR JOHN DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. who in the 3rd of EDWARD II. had a special patent from the crown, exempting him from serving upon juries, or executing the offices of sheriff, escheator, coroner, &c. He *d.* in six years afterwards, leaving a son,

SIR JOHN DE BRACEBRIGG, who was *s.* by (his supposed uncle),

SIR RALPH DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. who in the 11th of EDWARD III. levied a fine of two parts of the manor of Kingsbury; and in the 19th of the same monarch, had a military summons to attend the king with horse and arms into France. In three years afterwards he had an especial patent of exemption from the offices of sheriff, escheator, &c. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. at whose decease the estates devolved upon his brother,

SIR RALPH DE BRACEBRIGG, knt. styled in an inquisition taken in the 1st of HENRY IV. "Frater Johannis de Bracebrigg Militis." In the 7th of HENRY V. Sir Ralph was summoned the *first* amongst other persons of note, "Arma portantes, de armis antiquis," as expressed in the writ, to attend the king in person, for the defence of the realm. In the same year he took a lease of the manor house, park, &c. at Lutton, of Richard Beauchamp, then Earl of Warwick, to hold for life. He was afterwards retained by the said earl, who was lieutenant-general of France, to serve him with nine lances and seventeen archers in defence of Calais. This Sir Ralph de Bracebrigg, it appears, (from an old MS. book of Sir Simon Archer, the antiquarian friend of Dugdale) in 1414, attended, with eleven other knights of ancient family, Henry V. to Paris, on the occasion of the coronation of Charles VI. of France. His son,

RALPH BRACEBRIGG, of Kingsbury, espoused, in the 13th of HENRY IV. Joan, daughter of Sir William Newport, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

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RALPH BRACEBRIGG, of Kingsbury, who was *s.* by his brother,

SIMON BRACEBRIGG, of Kingsbury, who was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD BRACEBRIGG, of Kingsbury, who *m.* Joyce Willoughby, and was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS BRACEBRIGG, esq. (a son of Simon Bracebrigg, by Elizabeth, daughter of William Harewell, of Wotton-Waven). This gentleman being deeply indebted to Sir Ambrose Cave, knt. chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, passed by a deed of sale to him the inheritance of his manor and domains. He *m.* first, Johanna, daughter of George Catesby, esq. of Lapworth, and had with three younger sons,

WILLIAM, who wedded Anne, daughter of Julian Nethermill, a citizen of Coventry, and dying in the 2nd of ELIZABETH, left issue,

Michael, died *s. p.* in four years after his father.

Margery, *m.* first, to W. Willington, and secondly, to B. East, esq.

Jane, *m.* to Lionel Skipwith, esq.

Thomas Bracebrigg espoused secondly, (when he disinherited his children by his first wife) Jocosa, daughter of Thomas Wilson, and had issue,

THOMAS, who was made heir by his father, but having, according to Dugdale, greatly entangled himself in debt, he eventually sold the remainder of the manor of Kingsbury, to Sir Francis Willoughby, knt. of Middleton, and through great improvidence died in extreme want. He *m.* Alicia, daughter of John Rugeley, esq. of Dunton, and left at his decease in 1607, *inter alios*,

JOHN, who espoused Susan, daughter of Thomas Cotton, and had an only daughter,

ANNE, the wife of M. Sanders, of Bedworth.

Edmund, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of R. Rugeley, esq. of Dunton. This line is now extinct.

John.

ANKITIL, of whom presently.

Simon, *m.* Ellen, daughter and heir of Anthony Crewker, esq. of Twiford, in the county of Derby, and left an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH, *m.* to Francis Beaumont, esq. of Barrow, in Leicestershire.

Mr. Bracebrigg wedded, thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of George Winter, esq. of Worthington, and died on the 1st of March, in the 11th of ELIZABETH. The third son of the second marriage,

ANKITIL BRACEBRIGG, esq. *m.* Anna, dau. of Thomas Corbin, esq. of Hall End, and was father of

RICHARD BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherston, whose son,

SAMUEL BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherston, espoused Elizabeth, dau. of John Moore, esq. of Shakston, and had with younger issue,

ABRAHAM, his successor,

Thomas, in Holy Orders, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Ludford, esq. of Ansley, and had, with junior issue, a son,

SAMUEL, who assumed the additional surname of LUDFORD. He *m.* Catherine, daughter of John Lewis, esq. of Guildford, and dying in 1727, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN LUDFORD, esq. *b.* 18th May, 1707, who *m.* Juliana, daughter of Sir Richard Newdigate, bart. and *d.* in 1775, leaving an only son and heir,

JOHN LUDFORD, esq. of Ansley Hall, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Boswell, esq. and left at his decease in 1822, three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

1. ELIZABETH JULIANA, *m.* John Chetwode, esq. eldest son of Sir John Chetwode, bart. of Oakley, who has assumed, by sign manual, the prior and additional surnames of NEWDIGATE-LUDFORD
2. FRANCES-MILLICENT, unmarried.
3. MARY-ANNE, *m.* to the Rev. Francis Astley, of Everley, in the county of Wilts, and has numerous issue.

The eldest son and successor in 1692,

ABRAHAM BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherton, *m.* Maria, daughter of Thomas Charnell, Esq. of Snareston, in the county of Leicester, and was father of Samuel,* of Lindley, and

* This gentleman had, with other issue,
SAMUEL, M. P. for Tamworth, who *d.* in the Isle of Scio, in 1786.
PHILIP, in Holy Orders, who *d.* in 1762, leaving two daughters,
ANNE, *m.* to Robert Abney, esq.
AMICIA, *m.* to George Heming, esq.

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ABRAHAM BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherston, who wedded first Cecilia, daughter of William Bird, esq. of Claybrook, in Leicestershire, by whom he had no issue. He *m.* secondly Maria, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. Walter Jennings, of Onparva, in Staffordshire, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ABRAHAM BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherston, who married Mary, daughter of John Stiles, esq. of Uxbridge, and had issue

ABRAHAM, his successor.

Walter, who *m.* Harriet, daughter of *H.* Streatfeild, esq. of Chiddingstone, in the county of Kent, by whom (who *d.* in 1824) he left at his decease in 1821,

Walter-Henry, of Morville House, in the county of Warwick, who *m.* in 1803 his first cousin Mary-Holte, only daughter of Abraham Bracebridge, esq. of Atherstone (by Mary-Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Sir Charles Holte, bart. of Aston in Warwickshire).

Harriet-Anne, *m.* to Henry Ogle, esq., son of the Rev. John Ogle, of Kirkley, in Northumberland.

Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

He was *s.* at his decease in 1789, by his eldest son,

ABRAHAM BRACEBRIDGE, esq. of Atherstone, who wedded in 1775, Mary-Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Sir Charles Holte, bart. of Aston, in the county of Warwick, (see family of Holte, at foot), and had a son and daughter,

CHARLES HOLTE, present proprietor.

Mary Holte, who espoused in 1803 her cousin, Walter-Henry Bracebridge, esq. of Morville House.

Mr. Bracebridge *d.* in 1832.

Arms—On a vaire arg. and sa. a fesse gules.

Crest—A staff ragule. Note. "The Bear and ragged Staff," belonged to Turchil de Warwick, as descendant of the chivalrous GUY, EARL OF WARWICK.

Motto—Be As God Will.

QUARTERINGS:

HOLTE.	CLOBERY.
CASTELS.	BRERETON.
LISTER.	EGERTON, &c.

Estates—In the parish of Mancetter, county of Warwick, purchased *temp.* JAMES I. from the Repingtons. A rent charged in Kingsbury, the only remnant of the estate which Peter de Bracebrigg acquired by his marriage with Amicia, grandaughter of Turchil, Earl of Warwick, temp. HENRY I. and which has lineally descended to the present possessor, from the year 851.

Seat—ATHERSTONE HALL, in the county of Warwick.

FAMILY OF HOLTE, OF ASTON,

NOW REPRESENTED BY MR. BRACEBRIDGE.

The ancient deeds and writings of this family having been destroyed when ASTON HOUSE was plundered, in the time of the rebellion, 1641, the first of its members that can be traced is

SIR HUGH HOLTE, living 14 Edward II. who wedded Matilda, daughter of Sir Henry de Erdington, (by Joan, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas de Wolvey,) and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HOLTE, who *m.* temp. Edward II. Alice de Castello, or Castell, daughter, and at length sole heir, of Sir George de Castell, descended from the Castells, ancient Lords of Withibrooke, in the county of Warwick; and, through a female from Reginald de Asseles, Lord of Nechels. In the 4th of Edward III. Alice, (then widow of Sir George, niece and heir to Aliva, one of the co-heirs to Simon de Asseles,) in consideration of forty pounds, passed away all her inheritance in the manor, to her grandson,

SIMON DEL HOLTE (son of the above John). This Simon *m.* Albreda de Birmingham, (daughter of a noble and eminent house in Ireland,) and had two sons, JOHN and Walter, by the elder of whom,

JOHN ATTE-HOLTE, he was succeeded. From this John we pass to his descendants,

WILLIAM HOLTE, esq. who *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Cumberford, esq. of Cumberford, in Staffordshire, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM HOLTE, esq. This gentleman espoused a daughter of Adam Knight, esq. of Shrewsbury, and was *s.* in 1419 by his eldest son,

THOMAS HOLTE, esq. an eminent lawyer, and justice, of North Wales, in the time of HENRY VIII. He *m.* Margaret, eldest daughter and co-heir of William Willington, esq. of Barcheston, in the county of Warwick, who, surviving him, became afterwards the wife of Sir Ambrose Cave, knt. chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster in the reign of ELIZABETH. Thomas Holte was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD HOLTE, esq. high sheriff of the county of Warwick, in the 25th of Elizabeth. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of John Ferrers, esq. of Tamworth Castle, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS HOLTE, knt. of Aston, who received the honour of knighthood from *King* JAMES I. in his majesty's progress from Scotland to London, and was created a BARONET on the 25th November, 1612. Of this baronet Dugdale says, that "by him was enclosed a fair park here, (at Aston,) and a noble fabrick therein erected,

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which, for beauty and state, much exceedeth any in these parts." In 1643 he bravely defended this house against 1,200 of the rebel army, and thereby enabled King Charles, who was then his guest, to escape. He submitted, after inflicting a loss of 60 men upon the enemy. Aston Hall still bears the marks of the cannon shot. Sir Thomas was fined by the parliament for his loyalty, in the sum of £4,401. 2*s.* 4*d.* as appears from Doing's Catalogue (published 1655) of the Lords, Knights, and Gentlemen, who compounded for their estates. Sir Thomas *d.* in 1654, and was *s.* by (the son of his deceased son, Edward Holte, one of the grooms of the bedchamber to *King* CHARLES I. by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. John King, Bishop of London,) his grandson,

SIR ROBERT HOLTE, second baronet, a devoted cavalier, high sheriff of Warwickshire, the year after the restoration, and the next year returned to parliament by that county. He *m.* Jane,* daughter of Sir William Brereton, knt. of Brereton, in Cheshire, and sister, and finally heiress, of Lord Brereton, of the kingdom of Ireland, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CHARLES HOLTE, third baronet, M. P. for the county of Warwick, *temp.* JAMES II. He wedded Anne, eldest daughter and coheir of Sir John Clobery, knt. of Bradstone, in the county of Devon, (by Anne, his second wife, daughter of George Cranmer, esq. a descendant of the celebrated Archbishop Cranmer,) and, dying 20th June, 1722, was *s.* by his son,

SIR CLOBERY HOLTE, fourth baronet. This gentleman espoused Barbara, daughter and heir of Thomas Lister esq. of Whitfield, in Northamptonshire, and, dying in 1729, was *s.* by his son,

SIR LISTER HOLTE, fifth baronet, who *m.* first in 1739, the Lady Anne Legge, youngest daughter of William, Earl of Dartmouth. He espoused, secondly, Mary, youngest daughter of Sir John Harpur, bart. of Calk, in the county of Derby; and thirdly, (in 1754,) Sarah, daughter of Samuel Newton, esq. of King's Bromley, in Staffordshire; but died, *s. p.* in 1769, when the title and estates devolved upon his brother,

SIR CHARLES HOLTE, sixth baronet. This gentleman, who was chosen one of the knights of the shire for the county of Warwick, 1776, *m.* in 1755, Anne, daughter of Pudsey Jesson, esq. of Langley in Warwickshire, and had an only daughter and heiress,

MARY-ELIZABETH, who espoused, in 1775, Abraham Bracebridge, esq. of Atherston Hall, and was mother of the present

CHARLES-HOLTE BRACEBRIDGE, esq.

Sir Charles died in 1782, when the BARONETCY became EXTINCT. Under the will of Sir Lister, who died in 1769, the manors of Brereton and Aston were settled on his brother, Sir Charles, for his life, with remainder to his issue male; remainder to H. Legge, esq. and his issue male; remainder to L. Bagot, Bishop of Norwich, and his issue male; remainder to W. Digby, esq. and his issue male; and, lastly, remainder to the right heirs of the said Sir Lister Holte. Sir Charles left only one daughter, and the estates, thus in reversion, were estimated at about £800,000, in fee. In 1817, an act of parliament was obtained for the dismemberment of the estates, to satisfy the claims of the assignees and mortgagees of Abraham Bracebridge, esq. and other family claims, as well as to indemnify Mr. Legge and Mr. Digby, (both being without heirs male,) for the resignation of their respective interests. Under this act the estates have been sold.

* This lady becoming the heiress of her great nephew, Francis, the last Lord Brereton, who died 1722, brought the noble mansion and estate of Brereton into the Holte family. She was lineally descended from the seven Earls of Chester, of whom the first, Hugh Lupus, was the nephew of the Conqueror.

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STORIE, OF SPRINGFIELD LODGE.

STORIE, THE REVEREND GEORGE-HENRY, of Springfield Lodge, in the county of Surrey, M.A. Patron and sometime Rector of Stow Maries, in the county of Essex, *b.* 19th January, 1766, *m.* in July, 1796, Eliza-Jekyll, youngest daughter of Colonel James Chalmers, of Chelsea (by his wife Ari-anna-Margaretta, daughter of John Jekyll, esq. and great-niece of the Right Honorable Sir Joseph Jekyll, Master of the Rolls), by whom (who *d.* 5th March, 1825) he has issue,

JOHN-GEORGE, in holy orders, M.A. Vicar of Camberwell, *b.* 8th June, 1797, *m.* 9th July, 1822, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Perring, bart. and has issue,

Elizabeth-Jekyll, *b.* 20th April, 1825.
Georgiana-Maria, *b.* 15th August, 1830.

George-Henry.
Thomas-Chalmers.
Elizabeth-Sophia, *m.* to John Simcoe Saunders, esq. barrister at law, only son of the Hon. John Saunders, chief justice of New Brunswick.
Margaret-Frances.

Mr. Storie succeeded his father in 1794.

Lineage.

The name of DE STURY, STURYE, or STORIE, has held an honorable place in our records from the earliest era, having been at various periods connected with trusts of distinctions, with knightly degree, and with episcopal rank.

From an ancient line in the north of England (where and in Salop the name chiefly flourished) descended

JAMES STORIE, esq. who was born about the end of the reign of *Queen* ELIZABETH, and removed from the north of England into Renfrewshire, where he possessed considerable property. He *d.* at an advanced age, in 1679, leaving issue,

JOHN, his successor.
James, who *d.* unmarried.

The elder son,

JOHN STORIE, esq. *b.* in 1642, *m.* in 1669, Jean, daughter of William Robertson, esq. and had issue,

John, *b.* 18th October, 1677, *d.* young.
GEORGE, his successor.
James, *m.* in 1727, Janet, daughter of — Maxwell, of Merksworth, esq. and had ten children, of whom JOHN, the eldest, a captain in the army, *d. s. p.* in 1800.
Elizabeth, } both *d.* young.
Janet, }
Jean, *d.* 1711, unmarried.
Mary.

John Storie *d.* in 1726, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

GEORGE STORIE, esq. *b.* 22nd March, 1685, who *m.* first Jean, daughter of William Caldwell, esq. by his wife Jean, daughter of Allan Pollock, esq. of Arthurlie, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
George, *d. s. p.*
THOMAS.
Janet, *d.* young.

He *m.* secondly, in 1733, Margaret, daughter of George Dainziel, esq. and relict of William Glassford, esq and had further issue,

George, an officer in the army.
Joseph.
Margaret.

George Storie *d.* in 1760, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN STORIE, esq. *b.* 18th December 1721, who dying *s. p.* in 1786, was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

THOMAS STORIE, esq. an eminent merchant of London, who *m.* Hannah, daughter of Henry Roberts, esq. of Standon, Isle of Wight, by his wife Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Tuffnell, and had by her (who *d.* 28th May, 1829), two sons and two daughters, viz.

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GEORGE-HENRY.

John, captain in the army, *d. s. p.* at Martinique, aged twenty-four, in 1795.

Sophia-Rebecca, *d.* at Lisbon in 1793, unmarried.

Lucinda-Jane, *m.* to Captain John Jekyll, R.N. of Roundhill House, in the county of Somerset, and *d.* in 1812, leaving issue.

Mr. Storie acquiring property at Camberwell resided there, and was *s.* at his decease, 10th April, 1794, by his elder son, the REV. GEORGE-HENRY STORIE, the present representative of the family.

Arms—Ar. a lion rampant, double queud gu. on a canton az. a fleur-de-lis or.

Crest—A demi-lion, as in the arms.

Motto—Courage et esperance.

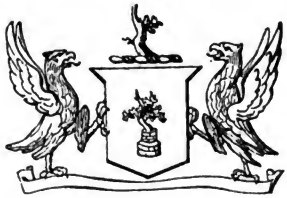
Estates—In Surrey, Essex, and Herts.

Seat—Springfield Lodge, Camberwell Surrey.

WELLWOOD, OF GARVOCK.

WELLWOOD, ANDREW-MOFFATT, esq. of Garvock, in the county of Fife, a deputy lieutenant for that shire, *m.* Miss Taylor, and has an only daughter, ANNE. Mr. Wellwood *s.* to the estates upon the demise issueless of his brother in 1820.

Lineage.



The Wellwoods of Touch and Garvock are of long standing, and considerable antiquity. They were originally nobles of Denmark, but the degree of rank which they enjoyed in that kingdom, before their settlement in Scotland, cannot now be ascertained. The name, anciently written Veloved, Velvod, Welwod, was brought into North Britain by a Danish courtier, entrusted by the King of Denmark with the conduct to Scotland of his daughter, *Princess Anne*, the *queen consort* to *King* JAMES VI. This honorable personage, bearing the name of VELVUD, received from his royal mistress the lands of Souch (which have ever since formed part of the estate), and the armorial bearings of the house.

VELVUD OF TOUCH, son of the founder, left two sons, viz.

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. Henry, whose son,

SIR THOMAS WELLWOOD, *b.* in 1652, was a physician, and an historical writer of eminence. He studied at Glasgow, whence he removed into Holland with his parents, who were compelled to flee from Scotland, in consequence of being suspected of aiding in the murder of Archbishop Sharpe. Having completed his education at Leyden, and taken the degree of M.D., he returned with *King* WILLIAM at the revolution. Being involved in debt, he borrowed money about this time from the Laird of Garvock, his cousin, promising to repay him when he should come to London. Garvock, contrary to his expectations, did visit that city some years subsequently, when Dr. Wellwood presented his relation at court, as the chief of his family, but never paid the debt. Dr. Thomas Wellwood was afterwards knighted, and appointed one of the royal physicians for Scotland. He attained great eminence in his profession, and acquired a considerable fortune. Sir Thomas Wellwood was author of Memoirs of England, from the year 1588 to 1688, 8vo.: a work of merit, though occasionally tinctured with the prejudices and prepossessions of one, who had been a sufferer in the civil contests of the period to which his History refers. He *d.* in 1716.

The elder son of the second possessor of Souch,

WILLIAM WELLWOOD, esq. of Touch, espoused, in 1635, Margaret, youngest daughter of Nichol Wardlaw of Wester-Luscar,

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and great-grandaughter, paternally, of the head of that most ancient house, Sir Alex. Wardlaw, of Torrie, by Lady Agnes Leslie, daughter of the Earl of Rothes, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT WELLWOOD, esq. of Touch, who acquired the estate of Garvock, in addition to his patrimonial property. He *m.* about the year 1690, Catherine, sixth daughter of John Denham, esq. of Muirhouse and Shiels, by whom he had two sons,

HENRY, his heir.

ROBERT, successor to his brother.

The elder son,

HENRY WELLWOOD, esq. of Garvock, dying unmarried, left to the son of his brother's daughter, Sir Henry Moncrieff, the castle and estate of Tulliebole, upon condition that he bore the surname of Wellwood, and quartered the Moncrieff coat with the Wellwood arms. The other estates, of Garvock and Touch, passed, on Henry's death, to his brother,

ROBERT WELLWOOD, esq. of Garvock, who had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

Catherine, *m.* to Sir William Moncrieff, bart. and had, with other issue,

SIR HENRY WELLWOOD-MONCRIEFF, bart. an eminent divine, who inherited from his uncle, as stated above, the castle and lands of Tulliebole. He espoused Susan, eldest daughter of James Robertson Barclay, esq. of Keaville, and was father of the present

SIR JAMES WELLWOOD-MONCRIEFF, bart. of Tulliebole (see *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

The son and successor,

ROBERT WELLWOOD, esq. of Garvock, *m.* Anne, eldest daughter of Sir George Preston, bart. of Valleyfield, by Lady Anne Cochrane sister to the Earl of Dundonald, and had issue,

1. ROBERT, his heir.
2. ANDREW-MOFFAT, present proprietor.
3. Anne, *m.* to William-Scott Moncrieff, and had a son, William-Scott Moncrieff, of Edinburgh.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* to Allan Maconochie, Lord Meadowbank, a Scotch judge, of great abilities, and very rare attainments, in literature and philosophy, by whom she had issue,

   ALEXANDER MACONOCHIE, lord advocate of Scotland, raised to the bench, as Lord Meadowbank, in 1819. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Lord President Blair, and has issue.

   James, an advocate at the Scotch bar, sheriff of Caithness and Orkney.

   Thomas.
5. Susan, } *d.* unmarried.
6. Catherine, }

Mr. Wellwood was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT WELLWOOD, esq. of Garvock, who espoused Lilias, second daughter of James Robertson Barclay, esq. of Keaville, and had two daughters only, viz.

1. ISABELLA, *m.* to Robert Clarke, esq. of Comrie Castle, deputy lieutenant for the county of Perth, and had, with other junior issue,

   ANDREW CLARKE-WARDLAW, esq. who *m.* Jane, only child and heiress of the late Colonel Sir John Wardlaw, bart. Mr. Clarke Wardlaw lineally represents the Wellwood family, and upon the demise of his grand-uncle, the present possessor and last heir male, will be sole representative.
2. Mary, *m.* to Laurence Johnstone, esq. of Sands, in Perthshire, formerly a captain in the Scotch Greys, and has issue.

Mr. Wellwood dying without male issue, in 1820, was *s.* by his brother, the present ANDREW MOFFATT-WELLWOOD, esq. of Garvock.

Arms—Arg. an oak issuing out of a well, in base ppr.

Supporters—Two eagles or.

Crest—The stump of an oak.

Motto—Reviresco.

Estates—In the county of Fife.

Seat—Pitliver House, within three miles of Dunfermline.

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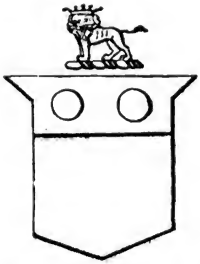
WALMESLEY, OF WESTWOOD HOUSE.

WALMESLEY, CHARLES, esq. of Westwood House, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* 16th July, 1781, *m.* 17th November, 1804, Elizabeth, daughter of John Jeffereys, esq. of the Inner Temple, and grandaughter of John Jeffereys, esq. of the Royal Crescent, Bath, by whom he has had issue,



CHARLES, *b.* 30th August, 1805, and *d.* unmarried in 1830.
William-Gerard, *b.* in 1808.
John, *b.* in 1809.
Henry Worthington, *b.* in 1811.
Thomas, *b.* in 1813.
Herman, *b.* in 1816.
Vivian-Oswald, *b.* in 1823.
Frances.
Eleanora.
Sarah.
Eliza-Maria.

Mr. Walmesley *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father in 1790.

Lineage.

THOMAS WALMESLEY, esq. of Sholley, in the county of Lancaster, living 22nd HENRY VII. espoused Elizabeth, daughter of William Travers, esq. of Neatey, in the same shire, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WALMESLEY, esq. of Sholley, who *m.* Margaret de Livesey, and had, with several other children, two sons, Sir Thomas Walmesley, of Dunkenhaigh, (whose descendant and eventual heiress, Catherine, espousing Robert, seventh Lord Petre, conveyed her possessions to that family), and

RICHARD WALMESLEY, esq. of Sholley, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Walmesley, esq. of Fishwick, and was *s.* at his decease by his only surviving son,

RICHARD WALMESLEY, esq. of Sholley, who wedded Ellen, daughter of W. Gerard, esq. of Radborn, in Lancashire, and had surviving issue,

1. THOMAS, who *s.* at Sholley. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Mossock, esq. of Cunscough, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD, of Sholley, who *m.* Jane, sister William Hoghton, esq. of Park Hall, and was father of

THOMAS, of Sholley, whose son,

THOMAS-COLGROVE WALMESLEY, esq. was grandfather of THOMAS, present proprietor of Sholley (see vol. iii. p. 228).

2. JOHN, of whom we are about to treat.

The second son,

JOHN WALMESLEY, esq. married Margaret Plessington, of Plessington, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN WALMESLEY, esq. who espoused Miss Mary Greaves, and had issue,

1. William, who *d.* unmarried.
2. JOHN, successor to his father.
3. Thomas, died in London, leaving one daughter, a nun, at Cambrai.
4. Richard, in holy orders, of the church of Rome.
5. Charles, in holy orders, a Roman Catholic bishop, and forty years vicar apostolic of the western district of England. Doctor Walmesley died in 1797.

The eldest surviving son,

JOHN WALMESLEY, esq. married Mary, sister and co-heiress of WILLIAM GERARD, esq. (see *family of Gerard at foot*) and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

RICHARD WALMESLEY, esq. who *m.* Sarah, dau. of James Worthington, esq. and had issue,

CHARLES, present possessor.
William Gerard.
Dorothy-Mary, *d.* in 1814.

Mr. Walmesley, *d.* in 1790, and was *s.* by his eldest son, CHARLES WALMESLEY, esq.

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now representative of this branch of the family.

FAMILY OF GERARD, OF INCE.

WILLIAM FITZOTHER, at the time of the general survey, was castellan of Windsor, and warden of forests, in Berkshire, and he possessed several lordships in the counties of Middlesex, Hants, and Bucks. He had three sons,

WILLIAM, who took the surname of WINDSOR from his father's office, and was ancestor of the Windsors, Barons Windsore, (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).

Robert, Lord of Eston.

GERALD, with whom we are about to proceed,

The third son,

GERALD FITZ WALTER, *m.* Nesta, daughter of Rees, son of Theodore the Great, Prince of South Wales, and had issue,

WILLIAM, of whom presently.

Maurice, ancestor of the Fitz Geralds, Dukes of Leinster.

David, Bishop of St. Davids, who *d.* in 1176

From the eldest son,

WILLIAM FITZ GERALD, lineally descended

SIR THOMAS GERARD, knt. who was created a baronet at the first institution of that order, anno 1611. He *m.* thrice, but had issue only by his first wife Cicely, daughter of Sir Walter Maney, knt. of Staplehurst, viz.

THOMAS (Sir).

Frances, *m.* to Ralph Standish, esq. of Standish.

The only son,

SIR THOMAS GERARD, espoused Frances, daughter of Sir Richard Molineaux, bart. of Sefton, and had with other issue,

1. WILLIAM (Sir), who *s.* to the baronetcy, and espousing the side of *King* CHARLES I. expended a large estate in the service of his royal master, while he lost considerable property beside by sequestration. Sir William *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Cuthbert Clifton, bart., and from this alliance lineally derives the present SIR JOHN GERARD, bart. of Bryn. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

2. RICHARD, of whom presently.

The second son,

RICHARD GERARD, esq. became possessor of INCE by purchase, from his cousin Thomas Gerard, of Ince. He *m.* first, Frances, daughter of Sir Ralph Hansley, of Tickhill Castle, in the county of York, by whom he had one son, who died in infancy. He espoused secondly, Judith, daughter of Sir Nicholas Stewart, knt. of Pateshal, and had (with other children, who all *d.* unmarried) two sons, viz.

1. THOMAS, his successor.

2. Richard, who *m.* Jane, daughter of Samuel Prescot, esq. and had a son,

Richard, who *m.* Isabella, daughter of John Baldwin, esq. and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, who *s.* to the estate of INCE upon the decease, issueless, of his cousin Richard Gerard, in 1743.

2. MARY, *m.* to JOHN WALMESLEY, esq.

3. ELIZABETH, *d.* unmarried.

Richard Gerard, after having acquired high reputation as a soldier, in several very obstinate and well-fought battles, in one of which he was shot through the thigh, *d.* 5th Sept. 1686, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS GERARD esq. of Ince, who *m.* Miss Mary Wright, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1724, by his son,

RICHARD GERARD, esq. of Ince, at whose decease, without issue, in 1743, the manor and estates devolved upon his cousin,

WILLIAM GERARD, esq. of Ince, (refer to issue of the second son of Richard Gerard, first possessor of Ince). This gentleman *d.* unmarried, and his inheritance devolved upon his two sisters, as co-heirs, viz.

MARY, *m.* to JOHN WALMESLEY, esq.

ELIZABETH, who *d.* unmarried.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, gu. on a chief ermine, two hurts, for WALMESLEY; second and third, arg. a saltire gu. for GERARD.

Crest—A lion statant, guardant, ducally crowned, gules.

Motto.—En Dieu est mon esperance.

Estates—Westwood House and the manor of Ince, near Wigan, first came into the family in the reign of EDWARD III. by the marriage of John Gerard, younger son of Sir Peter Gerard, of Bryn, with the heiress of Ince, and has descended to the present proprietor, through his grandmother, which lady and her sister were the co-heiresses and last of the Gerards, of Ince.

Seat—Westwood House, in the manor of Ince, Wigan, Lancashire.

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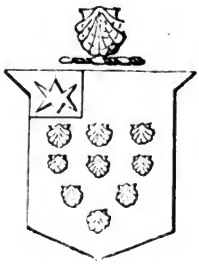
KINGSCOTE, OF KINGSCOTE.

KINGSCOTE, ROBERT, esq. of Kingscote, in the county of Gloucester, *b.* 15th April, 1754, Colonel of the North Gloucester militia.

Colonel Kingscote succeeded his uncle in 1773, and never having married, entailed his estates upon the children of his brother, the late Thomas Kingscote, esq.

Lineage.



"It may be said," says Smythe, of Nibley, "of this family, as doubtless of noe other in the county of Gloucester, nor, I think of many others in this kingdome, that the present Mr. Kingscote, and his lineal ancestors have continued in this manor nowe about 500 yeares, never attainted, nor dwellinge out of it elsewhere, nor hath the tide of his estate higher or lower flowed or ebbed, in better or worse condition; but like a fixed star in his firmament to have remained without motion in this his little orbe, without any remarkable change; and as to the name of the first ancestor that is not perished, ANSGERUS; it importeth that it is hereditary Saxon."

This

ANSGERUS, living in 985, was grandfather of

NIGELL FITZ-ARTHUR, who wedded Adeva, daughter of Robert Fitz-Hardinge, grandson of SUENO, the third KING OF DENMARK, by EVA, niece of WILLIAM *the Conqueror*. With this lady he received as dower the manor of Kingscote, (called in Domesday Book, CHINGESCOTE), and he had by her, two sons,

ADAM, his heir.

Robert, living in 1241, who had issue,

NIGELL, eventually inheritor of Kingscote.

RICHARD, heir to his brother.

The elder son,

ADAM DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, had a confirmation of that manor in 1188, from his uncle, Lord Maurice Fitz-Hardinge. He *d.* — and was buried in Bristol cathedral, and was *s.* by his only son,

RICHARD DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, who died issueless in 1241, and was *s.* by his kinsman,

NIGELL DE KINGSCOTE, who thus became "of Kingscote." This Nigell was *s.* by his brother,

RICHARD DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, living in 1286, father of

NIGELL DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, master of the horse under Maurice, second Lord Berkeley, who died in the 12th of EDWARD II. and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, living in 1329, father of

NICHOLAS DE KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, a gallant soldier, who accompanied *King* EDWARD III. in his French wars, and was present at the battle of POICTIERS. His son and heir,

WILLIAM (or HENRY) DE KINGSCOTE, adopting like his father the profession of arms, shared in the glory of AZINCOURT. He was *s.* by his grandson,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, who wedded the daughter of Byres, and was living in the time of EDWARD IV. His son and successor,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, espoused Anne, daughter of — Stylesbury, and dying in 1525, was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, of Kingscote, who wedded twice, and dying in 1541, left a son and heir,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, father of

CHRISTOPHER KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote. This gentleman wedded first, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Daunt, esq. of Owlpen, in the county of Gloucester, and secondly, Anne, daughter of Mat. Poyntz, esq. of Alderley, in the same shire. He died in 1608, and was *s.* by his son,

ANTHONY KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, who *m.* Katherine, daughter of Robert Chambers, esq. of Bath. This gentleman

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d. in 1645, and lies interred in the church of Kingscote.* His son and successor,

ABRAHAM KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, died 28th June, 1670, leaving a son and successor,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, who *d.* in 1706, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of — Barnsley, esq. and had issue,

NIGELL, his heir.

Robert-Fitzhardinge, of London, who wedded Mary, daughter and coheiress of — Hammond, esq. and dying in 1770, left issue,

ROBERT, who inherited the estates from his uncle, and is the present COLONEL KINGSCOTE.

Thomas, who wedded Harriet, fourth daughter of the late Sir H. Peyton, bart. of Doddington, and dying in 1811, left issue,

1. THOMAS-HENRY, *b.* 19th January, 1799, *m.* in 1828, Lady Isabella-Anne Somerset, daughter of *Henry* DUKE OF BEAUFORT. Her ladyship died in 1831, and Mr. Kingscote *m.* secondly the Hon. Harriet Bloomfield.
2. Henry-Robert, *b.* in 1802.
3. Fitzhardinge, *d.* unmarried in 1824.
4. Robert-Arthur-Fitzardinge *b.* in 1811.
5. Harriet, *d.* in 1818, unmarried.
6. Emily-Frances, *m.* to John, eldest son of Sir John Kennaway, bart.
7. Caroline-Marianne, *m.* in 1828, to the Rev. Alan-Gardner Cornwall, second son of the late John Cornwall, esq. of Hendon, in the county of Middlesex, and grandson, maternally of Alan, first Lord Gardner.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas, Earl of Suffolk, and *d.* in 1769.

Mr. Kingscote *d.* in 1731, and was *s.* by his elder son,

NIGELL KINGSCOTE, esq. of Kingscote, *b.* in 1720. This gentleman died unmarried, in 1773, and was *s.* by his nephew, the present ROBERT KINGSCOTE, esq.

Arms—Arg. nine escallop shells sa. on a canton qu. a star or.

Crest—An escallop shell sa.

Estates—At Kingscote, in the county of Gloucester, acquired by marriage with ALDEVA FITZHARDINGE, about seven hundred years ago.

Seat—Kingscote.

Note—The inscription upon a monument at Kingscote, concludes thus, in reference to the family.

Domus hujus non pauci
Arma gestarunt nec inglorii,
Hoc PICTONUM et AGINCORTII arva,
Hic idem Mauritius Aurasinis
Princeps testati sunt;
Omnes ad unum
Contra quamcumque Tyrannidis speciem
Tam in sacris, quam in civilibus
Strenué et semper certaverunt.

* In the same church a tomb-stone records the death of TROYLUS KINGSCOTE, "who did service as a commander for the Prince of Orange forty years, and being eighty years old, ended this life upon the 10th of December, 1656."

HELYAR, OF COKER COURT.

HELYAR, WILLIAM, esq. of Coker Court, in the county of Somerset, and of Sedgehill, in Wiltshire, *b.* 14th May, 1778, *m.* Harriet, daughter of T. Grove, esq. of Ferne House, in the latter county, and has issue,

WILLIAM-HAWKER.
Albert.
Charles.
Edwin-Grove.
Agnes-Grove.
Ellen-Harriet.
Lucy-Elizabeth.
Anne.

Mr. Helyar succeeded at the decease of his father 31st August, 1820. He is in the commission of the peace for the counties of Wilts, Somerset, and Devon, and he served the office of sheriff for Somersetshire in 1829.

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Lineage.

This family came originally from the county of Devon, where it appears to have been of importance, for we find one WILLIAM HELYAR representing Melcomb-Regis in parliament, in the reigns of RICHARD II. and HENRY IV. In 1616,

WILLIAM HELYAR, archdeacon of Barnstaple, in the diocese of Exeter, and canon residentary of the Cathedral of St. Peter's in that city, purchased the manor of EAST COKER, with the advowson of the parish of Hardington Mandeville, from Sir Robert Phelips. In this parish he subsequently built an alms-house for twelve poor men and women, and endowed it with an estate in the parish of Whitchurch, in the county of Dorset. Archdeacon Helyar, who had been chaplain to *Queen* ELIZABETH, was one of the first Fellows of Chelsea College, nominated by *King* JAMES I. He was made canon of the church of Exeter, in 1602, and became archdeacon in 1605. When the rebels during the civil war, were ravaging the cathedral and plundering the royalists at Exeter, the venerable canon, then between eighty and ninety years of age, was dragged from his bed at midnight, and hurried on board a ship, where he was detained in close custody, subjected to the most barbarous treatment, until he had consented to pay the sum of eight hundred pounds for his redemption. The following is a copy of the protection he thus purchased. "Whereas Archdeacon Helyar has submitted and sent eight hundred pounds to the parliament upon the propositions. These are therefore, to require all the forces of the parliament to take notice thereof and to protect him in his person, family, and goods, strictly charging and commanding that no man henceforth, molest or trouble him. January 19, 1642, signed, Jo. Northcote, Sam. Rolle," &c. &c.

Archdeacon Helyar, *m.* ——— and had a son,

HENRY, who *d.* 18th April, 1634, (his father being still living,) leaving (with younger children) by his wife Christian, daughter of William Cary, esq. of Clovelly, in the countyof Devon,

WILLIAM, successor to his grandfather.

The Archdeacon *d.* in 1645, and was *s.* by his grandson,

WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. of East Coker, *b.* 8th March, 1621. This gentleman, who was a zealous cavalier, and raised a body of horse at his own expense, for the royal army, was obliged to compound for his lands, by paying a fine of £1522. He wedded Rachel, daughter of Sir Hugh Wyndham, bart. of Pitsdon, in the county of Dorset, by whom (who *d.* 29th May, 1678,) he had, with other children who all *d.* young,

Henry, *b.* 17th January, 1653, *d.* of the smallpox, 15th April, 1674.

WILLIAM, successor to the estates.

John, of Yatley, in Surrey, *b.* 16th October, 1664. MISS HELYAR, this gentleman's only daughter, and heiress, espoused Wadham Wyndham, esq. and had issue.

Richard, *b.* 30th May, 1667, in holy orders, rector of Hardington, in Somersetshire, *d.* in 1736.

Hugh, *b.* in 1669.

Mr. Helyar, who served the office of sheriff for Somersetshire in 1661, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. of East Coker, in Somersetshire, and of Canonteign, in Devon, *b.* 10th July, 1662, High-sheriff for the county of Somerset, in 1701, and member of parliament for the same shire in 1714. He wedded Johan, daughter and co-heiress of — Hole, esq. of South Tawton, in Devonshire, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Robert, barrister-at-law, *d. s. p.* in 1751.

Rachel *m.* to Sir John Coryton, bart. of Newton Park, in Cornwall, and *d. s. p.*

Mary, *d.* unmarried.

Joanna.

The elder son and heir,

WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. of East Coker, *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of John Goddard, esq. of Gillingham, in Dorsetshire, and had, with three daughters, an only son, his successor in 1723,

WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. of Coker Court, in the county of Somerset, and of Blackhall, in Devon, *b.* in 1720. This gentleman espoused Betty, daughter and co-heir of William Weston, esq. of Weston, in Dorsetshire, and had with four daughters,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Robert, of Newton Park, in Cornwall, *d.* in the army at the age of twenty-three.

Weston, successor to his brother in Newton Park, a magistrate for the county of Somerset.

Edward, *b.* 9th November, 1743.

Charles, *b.* 20th December, 1750, an officer in the army, killed in the American war.

John in holy orders, rector of Hardington and Tollard Royal, in Wiltshire.

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Mr. Helyar was sheriff of Somersetshire in 1764. He *d.* in 1784, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. of Coker Court, in Somersetshire, and of Sedgehill, in the county of Wilts, a magistrate for the counties of Wilts, Somerset, and Devon, *b.* 8th September, 1745, *m.* Elizabeth, second daughter and co-heir of William Hawker, esq. of Poundisford Lodge, Somersetshire, and had surviving issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Henry, *b.* 29th November, 1784, in holy orders, rector of Hardington.
George, *b.* 6th August, 1786, barrister-at-law.
Hugh, *b.* 23d March, 1793, in holy orders, rector of Sutton and Bingham, in Somersetshire, and of Bear Hacket, in the county of Dorset.
Charles-John, *b.* 15th May, 1796, barrister-at-law.
Elizabeth.
Harriet.
Caroline.

Mr. Helyar, *d.* 30th August, 1820, and was *s.* by his eldest son, WILLIAM HELYAR, esq. the present proprietor.

Arms—Az. a cross fleuri arg. between four mullets pierced or.

Crest—A cock sa. beaked, combed and wattled gu. under a cross fleuri fitchee.

Motto—In labore quies.

Seat—Coker Court, near Yeovil.

HORTON, OF HOWROYDE.

HORTON, THE REVEREND JOSHUA-THOMAS, of Howroyde, in the county of York, vicar of Ormskirk, *m.* 6th November, 1832, Harriet, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Dalrymple Hesketh, bart. of Rufford Hall.

Mr. Horton inherited the estates at the decease of his father in December, 1830.

Lineage.

The antiquity of the family of HORTON is established by the fact, that one ROBERT DE HORTON, manumitted a bondman to his manor of Horton, long before the time of Henry Lacy, Earl of Lincoln, who died in 1310; it is also ascertained that the Hortons had a manor house in Great Horton, with a mill and certain demesne lands thereunto belonging, at a very remote period.

WILLIAM HORTON, descended from the above mentioned Robert, living in 1603, wedded Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Hanson, esq. of Toothill, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM, of Barkisland Hall, who purchased in the 15th of CHARLES I. the estate of Howroyde, and settled himself there. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Gledhill, esq. and had, with three daughters, two sons, viz:—

1. THOMAS, of Barkisland Hall, *d.* 2nd January, 1699, leaving three daughters his co-heirs, namely:
   ELIZABETH, *m.* to Richard Bold, esq. of Bold Hall, and conveyed to her husband the estate of Barkisland.
   SUSANNAH, *m.* to Richard Beaumont, esq. of Whitley, in Yorkshire.
   ANNE.
2. William of Howroyde, *m.* Mary, fourth daughter of Sir Richard Musgrave, bt. of Hayton Castle, by whom he left at his decease in 1715, two sons, the elder of whom, WILLIAM of Coley, left a daughter Mary.

II. JOSHUA, of whom presently.
III. Thomas, a merchant at Liverpool, *m.* Frances, eldest daughter of Thomas Throppe, esq. an alderman of Chester, and died in 1660, leaving no issue.
IV. Sarah, *m.* to John Gledhill, esq.
V. Elizabeth.

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The second son,

JOSHUA HORTON, esq. was *b.* in 1619. This gentleman who was in the commission of the peace for the West Riding of the county of York, purchased the manor of HORTON, in Bradforddale, Stansfield Hall, &c. He espoused Martha, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Binns, esq. of Rushworth, by whom who *d.* in 1694) he had surviving issue,

JOSHUA, his heir.

Elkana, of Thornton, in the county of York, barrister-at-law, *d. s. p.* in 1729.

Thomas, M.D. who wedded the daughter of Doctor Watmough, but dying, *s. p.* 1694, bequeathed his estate at Halifax, to his eldest brother.

Sarah.

Martha, *m.* to John Gill, esq. of Car House, in Yorkshire.

Mr. Horton *d.* in 1679, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOSHUA HORTON, esq. of Sowerby, who purchased, and resided at Chaderton. He wedded in 1678 Mary, daughter of Robert Gregg, esq. of Bradley, and had thirteen children, of whom

THOMAS, inherited the estates.

Sarah, *m.* Thomas Williamson, esq. of Liverpool.

Elizabeth, *m.* William Williamson, esq. of Liverpool.

Martha, *m.* Richard Clayton, esq. of Adlington.

Jane, *m.* John Parr, esq. of Liverpool.

Mr. Horton *d.* 15th December, 1708, and was interred in his chapel at Oldham church. His wife died in twelve days of grief for the loss of her husband, and was buried by his side. The eldest son and heir,

THOMAS HORTON, esq. of Chadderton, wa in the commission of the peace for the county palatine of Lancaster, and governor of the Isle of Man for the Earl of Derby. He wedded Anne, daughter and co-heir of Richard Mostyn, esq. of London, (a younger branch of the Mostyns, of Mostyn), by whom (who *d.* in 1725), he had issue,

WILLIAM, (Sir) his successor, at Chadderton, who was created a BARONET on the 14th of January, 1764, being at the time high sheriff for Lancashire. He *m.* Susannah, daughter and heir of Francis Watts, esq. of Barnes Hall, in Yorkshire, by whom he had three sons, WATTS, Thomas, and William. The baronetcy, in failure of male issue, is now EXTINCT.

Thomas *d.* young.

JOSHUA.

Susannah, *m.* to George Lloyd, esq, of Hulme Hall, near Manchester, and had issue.

Sarah.

Jane.

Anne.

Mary.

The third son,

JOSHUA HORTON, esq. *b.* in 1720, was of Howroyde, in the county of York. He wedded first, Anne, daughter of George Clarke, esq. governor of New York, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, in 1765, Mary, daughter of — Woollin, esq. of Thornhill, in Yorkshire, and had

THOMAS, his successor.

Joshua Sidney, an admiral in the Royal Navy, who *m.* Mrs. Whorwood, relict of — Whorwood, esq. and has two sons and a daughter.

William, in holy orders, who *m.* Miss Lyon, of Liverpool, and left at his decease, three sons and three daughters.

Richard Henry, a lieutenant-colonel in the army, *d.* unmarried.

Anna-Maria, Jane, } both *d.* unmarried.

Charlotte *m.* to the Rev. W. Richardson, of Ferrybridge, in Yorkshire, and has issue,

Harriett.

Mr. Horton was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS HORTON, esq. of Howroyde, who wedded in March, 1789, the Lady Mary Gordon, youngest daughter of George, third Earl of Aberdeen, and had issue,

JOSHUA THOMAS, in holy orders, his heir,

George William, lieutenant-colonel in the army, who *m.* in 1826, Frances Esther, second daughter of the Rev. William Garnier, of Rookesbury, in the county of Hants, by whom he has one son and a daughter.

Mary, *m.* in 1816, to Francis Beynon Hacket, esq. of Moor Hall, in the county of Warwick, and has issue.

Mr. Horton, who was a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the counties of York and Lancaster, *d.* in 1830, and was *s.* by his elder son, the Rev. JOSHUA THOMAS HORTON, present proprietor.

Arms.—Gules a lion rampant, arg. charged on the shoulder with a boar's head couped az. within a bordure engrailed of the second.

Crest---A red rose, seeded, barbed, and surrounded by two laurel branches, ppr.

Motto—Pro rege, etlege.

Estates---In Yorkshire and Lancashire.

Seat---HOWROYDE, near Halifax.

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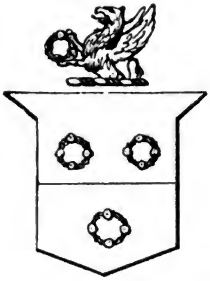
DUKE, OF LAKE.

DUKE, The Reverend EDWARD, of Lake, in the county of Wilts, *b.* in 1779, *m.* in 1813, Harriet, daughter of Henry Hinxman, esq. of Ivy Church, and had issue

Edward, *b.* in 1814.
Henry-Hinxman.
Robert-Rashleigh.
George-Frederic.

Harriet-Hinxman.
Caroline, } Twins
Mary, }
Charlotte-Maria.

Lineage.



This, according to the visitation made by the herald St. George, in 1623, is a branch of the ancient family of Duke, of Power Hayes, in the county of Devon.

John Duke, son of Michael Duke, a cadet of the Devonshire house, was father of

George Duke, esq. who purchased, in 1578, for one thousand marks, the estate and manor of Lake, in Wiltshire. This gentleman wedded Dorothy, daughter of Philip Poor, esq. and had three sons, namely, John, his heir, George, and Andrew, progenitor of the Dukes of Bulford. Mr. Duke *d.* in 1610, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

John Duke, esq. of Lake, high sheriff of the county of Wilts in 1640, who *m.* Maria, daughter of John Young, esq. of Dunford, and had issue,

I. George, who died in the lifetime of his father, anno 1655, leaving by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of Sir George Ayliffe, knt. of Robson, two sons, viz.
  1. John, who pre-deceased his grandfather (1657).
  2. George, heir to that gentleman.

II. John, of Sarson, in Hampshire, who had an only son,
  George, *m.* to Cecilia, daughter of Robert Newman, esq. of Queen's Camel, and was *s.* by his son,
    John, who wedded Mary, daughter of the Very Rev. Dr. Harlow, dean of Chichester, and dying in 1743, was *s.* by his son,
      John, who *m.* Miss Frances Bankes, and had surviving issue (Mrs. Duke *d.* in 1806),
        1 George, lieut.-col. in the army, *m.* Emily, third daughter of John Freeman, esq. of Chute Lodge, by whom (who *d.* in 1819) he has no issue.
        2. Charles, lieut.-col. in the army, *b.* in 1769; *m.* in 1793, Miss Mary Nash, and left at his decease, in 1818,
          Edward, lieutenant R.N. *d.* in 1825.
          William-Thomas, *b.* in 1801.
          Thomas, *b.* in 1804.
          Charles, *m.* Miss Josephine-Isabella Douglas, and has issue.

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Selina-Mary.
Emma.
3. Frances.
4. Selina.

III. Edward, of Winterborne-Stoke. This gentleman *d.* in 1705, and leaving no *male* issue, the estate of Scotland, in the parish of Winterborne, became vested in his grandaughter,

REBECCA DUKE, who wedded in 1709, George Hely, esq. of the county of Kilkenny, and the descendant of that marriage now enjoys the property.

Mr. Duke and his eldest son, George Duke, were involved, with Colonel John Penruddocke, Hugh Grove, and several other eminent royalists, in the unsuccessful attempt made in 1655 to restore the exiled monarch to the throne, and were forced to surrender to Captain Croke, at South Moulton, having obtained conditions from that officer, unsanctioned, however, by CROMWELL, for the preservation of their lives and estates. Of these faithful cavaliers, Wagstaff, Mompesson, and Mason, were fortunate enough to effect their escape, the others having been convicted under a special commission, Penruddocke and Grove suffered decapitation, and eight died upon the gallows; but the Dukes obtained a pardon. The father, as stated above, outlived the son, and dying in 1671, was *s.* by his grandson,

GEORGE DUKE, esq. of Lake, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Richards, esq. of Yeoverland, in the Isle of Wight, and had a son ROBERT, his heir, with a daughter Susannah, the wife of John Worden, esq. He *d.* in 1690, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT DUKE, esq. of Lake. This gentleman espoused in 1692, Jane, daughter of Thomas Freke, esq. of Wyck, in the county of Dorset, and had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

George, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of Edward Hanson, esq. of Abingdon, and left at his decease in 1731,

George, *d.* unmarried, in 1747.
Robert, *d.* unmarried, in 1742.
Thomas, *d.* unmarried, in 1759.
EDWARD, of whom hereafter as heir to his cousin, ROBERT DUKE, of Lake.
Jane, *m.* to Captain Lawrence Boyd, R.N.
Sarah.

Thomas-Freke, *m.* Miss Lucy Dalicourt, and had issue,

Richard.
Mary, *m.* to John Bowles, esq. of Burcombe.
Elizabeth, Susanna, } both *d.* unmarried.
Jane, *m.* to Samuel Andrews, esq. of Porton.

Mr. Duke *d.* in 1725, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT DUKE, esq. of Lake, *b.* in 1696, who *m.* in 1723, Frances, daughter of Henry Blake, esq. of Bristol, and dying in 1749, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT DUKE, esq. of Lake, who wedded Jane, daughter of Jonathan Rashleigh, esq. of Menabilly, in Cornwall, but dying issueless in 1793, the estates devolved upon (the only surviving son of his uncle George) his cousin,

EDWARD DUKE, esq. *b.* in 1731, who thus became "of Lake." He *m.* in 1771 Fanny, daughter of John Field, esq. of Islington, and had issue,

George, who *d.* in his father's lifetime, Anno 1794.
EDWARD, in holy orders, present LORD OF THE MANOR.
Sarah.
Jane, *m.* to John Westall, esq. and *d.* in 1806.
Mary.
Lucy, *m.* to William Blandy, esq.
Fanny.
Susannah, *m.* to James Prince, esq.

Mr. Duke was *s.* at his decease, by his only surviving son, the Rev. EDWARD DUKE.

Arms—Per fesse, arg. and az., three chaplets, two and one counterchanged.

Crest—A demi Griffin, or, holding between the claws a chaplet, az.

Estate—The manor of Lake. This anciently formed part of the possessions of the Guild or Fraternity of Carscombe, in the county of Somerset. At the dissolution of that Guild in the 1st of EDWARD VI. it reverted to the crown, and was granted in about five years afterwards to Robert Thomas, and Andrew Salter, Merchant Taylors, in London, who transferred it to John Capelyn, of Southampton, by whom it was sold in 1578, to GEORGE DUKE.

Seat—Lake House, near Amesbury.

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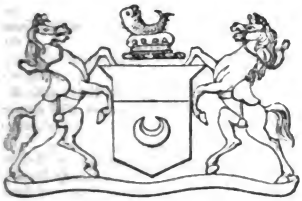
DURHAM, OF LARGO, N.B.

DURHAM, JAMES, esq. of Largo, in the county of Fife, a general officer in the army, *b.* 14th January, 1754, *m.* first, 1779, Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Shelden, of Flitwick, in the county of Bedford, by whom he had no issue. General Durham espoused, secondly, in 1827, Margaret, eldest daughter of Colonel John Anstruther Thomson, of Charlton, in Fifeshire.

Lineage.



The surname of DURHAM, although supposed to have originated in England, has long been established upon the southern borders of Scotland.

SIR WILLIAM DURHAM, a personage of rank, and highly distinguished in the reign of ROBERT BRUCE, had a grant in 1322, from that monarch of the lands of Grange. He died *temp. King* DAVID, and from him lineally descended,

ALEXANDER DURHAM of Grange, living in 1525, who married Janet, daughter of John Erskine, baron of Dun, and had three sons,

WILLIAM, his successor at Grange, who continued the senior line of the family.

JOHN.

James, the ancestor of the DURHAMS, of Duntarvie

The second son,

JOHN DURHAM, having realized a fortune by commercial pursuits, acquired a considerable estate, including the lands of Pittkerrow, Omachie, &c. He wedded Isabel, daughter of Kyd, of Craigie, in the county of Forfar, and dying *temp.* MARY OF SCOTLAND, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES DURHAM, of Pittkerrow, who *m.* Janet, daughter of Sir James Wishart, and dying in the reign of JAMES VI., was *s.* by his son,

ALEXANDER DURHAM, of Pittkerrow, living in 1620, who *m.* Jean, daughter of David Ramsay, of Balmain, and had with several other children, a son and successor,

SIR JAMES DURHAM, who received the honor of knighthood from *King* CHARLES I. He *m.* Janet, daughter of James Durham, of Duntarvie, and had (with two daughters) four sons, viz.

JAMES, his heir.

William, who acquired lands in Lenlithgow.

John, Robert, } These gentlemen, with many other natives of Scotland, entered into the service of GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS, *of Sweden.*

Sir James *d.* in 1633, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JAMES DURHAM, knt. of Pittkerrow, an eminent lawyer, and constituted by *King* CHARLES I. clerk of the exchequer, and director of the rolls, from which offices he was removed during the usurpation; but reinstated after the restoration of the monarchy, when he received the honor of knighthood from *King* CHARLES II. Sir James wedded a daughter of Hepburn, of Humbie, and had issue,

1. JAMES, his successor.
2. Adam, from whom descended the DURHAMS of Luffness.
3. ALEXANDER (Sir) who for his eminent services in the royal cause received the honor of knighthood from *King* CHARLES II., and was constituted LORD LYON, KING OF ARMS, immediately after the restoration. Sir Alexander was likewise colonel of a regiment, and receiver of the land tax in Scotland. He died unmarried, when he bequeathed the lands of LARGO, which he had acquired, to (the son of his eldest brother James of Pittkerrow) his nephew, FRANCIS DURHAM.
4. Adolphus, who *d. s. p.*
5. Grizel, *m.* to John, first EARL OF MYDDLETON, and had issue,

   Charles, second EARL OF MYDDLETON.

   Grizel, *m.* to William, fourth EARL OF MORTON.

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Helen, *m.* to Patrick, EARL OF STRATHMORE.

Sir James was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES DURHAM, of Pittkerrow. This gentleman commenced his career, as a captain in his brother's regiment, then actively engaged in supporting the royal cause, but he subsequently directed his enthusiastic mind to the study of theology, and became an eminent and learned divine. He was one of the ministers of Edinburgh, and chaplain to the King; in which latter capacity he attended his majesty at the battle of Dunbar. He wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir — Mure, of Glanderston, (relict of the celebrated Zacharias Boyd), and was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

FRANCIS DURHAM, esq. who inherited the estate of LARGO, from his uncle Sir Alexander Durham. He *m.* Jean, daughter of Sir James Scott, of Ardross, but dying issueless, was *s.* by his only brother,

JAMES DURHAM, esq. of Largo. This gentleman espoused Margaret,* daughter of Sir Thomas Rutherford of Hunthill, by whom he had (with four daughters) three sons, viz.

JAMES, his heir.

David, M.D. *d. s. p.*

Alexander, an officer in the army, *d. s. p.*

The Laird was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES DURHAM, esq. of Largo, who *m.* twice, but had issue only by his second wife, Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Anstruther, bart. *inter alios*, a son and heir,

JAMES DURHAM, esq. of Largo, who wedded Anne, daughter of Thomas Calderwood, esq. of Polton, (son and heir of Sir William Calderwood, one of the senators of the College of Justice, by Margaret, his wife, daughter of Sir James Stewart, bart. of Goodtrees,) and had issue,

JAMES, present LAIRD OF LARGO.

Thomas.

Philip-Charles (Sir), admiral R.N. and late M.P.

William. Margaret.

The Laird was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son, the present *General* DURHAM.

Arms—Arg. a crescent gules, and a chief, az.

Crest—A dolphin ppr.

Motto—Victoria non prada.

Quartering the arms of the Lords Rutherford.

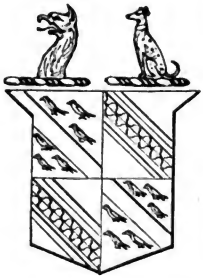
Estate — BARONY OF LARGO, in the county of Fife, acquired by Sir Alexander Durham, in 1663.

Seat—LARGO HOUSE, in Fifeshire.

* This lady became heir of line to the honors of Lord Rutherford upon failure of issue of her father and brother, upon which account General Durham quarters the arms of Rutherford with his own, and the family claims the peerage of Rutherford.

PLUMBE-TEMPEST, OF TONG.

TEMPEST-PLUMBE, JOHN, esq. of Tong Hall, in Yorkshire, and of Aughton, in the county of Lancaster, colonel of the first Royal Lancashire militia, and a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of both shires, espoused Sarah, second daughter of the Rev. William Plumbe, rector of Aughton, and has had issue,



THOMAS-RICHARD, major of the 60th, or Duke of York's Own rifle corps, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for Lancashire and the West Riding of the county of York.

Catharine-Elizabeth.

Tempest, *d.* in 1811.

Sarah-Anne.

Henrietta-Townley, *d.* in 1808.

Frances-Penelope, *m.* 26th July, 1824, to Thomas, son of Benjamin Rawson, esq. of Darley Hall, in Lancashire, and *d.* 4th May, 1825, leaving an only daughter,

Frances Penelope Rawson.

Henrietta.

This gentleman, whose patronimic is PLUMBE, assumed by sign manual in 1824 the additional surname and arms of "TEMPEST."

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Lineage

The family of TEMPEST has maintained a leading position in the county of York from a remote period, and many of its members held places of great trust upon the Scottish Border, in the reigns of the EDWARDS and the HENRIES.

ROGER TEMPEST, lord of the manor of Bracewell, living *temp.* HENRY I. and witness to several charters cited in the Monasticon, was father of

RICHARD TEMPEST, whose name is attached to the charter of Silsden Mill, in the 18th of *King* STEPHEN. He was *s.* by his son,

ROGER TEMPEST, who paid, in the 14th of HENRY II. half a mark into the treasury, as appears by the pipe roll of that date. This Roger was father of

RICHARD TEMPEST, of Bracewell, who gave, in 1223, the advowson of the church of that place to the abbot of Kirkstal. His grandson,

SIR ROGER TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, living temp. EDWARD I. espoused Alice, daughter and heiress of Walter de Waddington, Lord of Waddington, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD TEMPEST, of Bracewell, who *d.* in 1305, leaving two sons,

JOHN, his heir.

Richard (Sir), knight, governor of Berwick upon Tweed, in the reign of EDWARD III. Sir Richard *m.* Johanna, daughter and heiress of Thomas de Hertford.

The elder son,

JOHN TEMPEST, Lord of Bracewell and Waddington, was one of the partisans of Thomas Plantagenet, Earl of Lancaster, in removing Piers Gaveston from the councils of EDWARD II. He wedded Maria, daughter of Sir Hugh Clitheroe, knt. and had two sons,

I. JOHN (Sir), his heir.

II. Richard (Sir), who *m.* Isabel, only daughter and heiress of Sir John Graas, of Studley, and relict of Sir Hugh Clitheroe, and had a son,

SIR WILLIAM TEMPEST, of Studley, M. P. for the county of York, in the 2nd of HENRY IV. He espoused Eleanor, daughter and sole heiress of Sir William Washington, of Washington, knt. by whom (who *d.* in 1451) he had two sons,

1. WILLIAM, of Studley, who, dying in 1444, left two daughters, his co-heirs, namely,

ISABELLA, *m.* to Richard Norton, of Norton Conyers, in Yorkshire.

DIONYSIA, *m.* to William Mallorie, to whom she conveyed the manor of Studley; and from this marriage the present MRS. LAWRENCE, OF STUDLEY, derives.

2. Rowland (Sir), of Holmeside, which he acquired by gift of Sir Robert Umfraville; and in the 18th of HENRY VI. he also obtained lands from his brother. He *m.* Isabella, daughter and co-heir of Sir William Elmdon, knt. by Elizabeth, sister and co-heir of Gilbert Umfraville, (great grandson of Robert Umfraville, Earl of Angus.) From this Sir Rowland Tempest descended the TEMPESTS of Holmeside, Stella, Brancepeth, WYNYARD, &c. in the county of Durham, and the TEMPESTS of Cranbrook, in Kent.

John Tempest died in 1351, and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR JOHN TEMPEST, of Bracewell, who had a military summons in the 17th of EDWARD II. He wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Holand, knt. and sister of Thomas Holand, Earl of Kent, K.G. (the husband of JOAN PLANTAGENET, the celebrated "FAIR MAID OF KENT," who *m.* subsequently, the BLACK PRINCE) and had issue,

RICHARD (Sir), his successor.

Margaret, *m.* to Sir James Ratcliffe, ancestor of the Ratcliffes, Viscounts Fitz Walter, and Earls of Sussex.

Sir John was *s.* by his only son,

SIR RICHARD TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, living temp. RICHARD II. who *m.* Isabel, daughter and heiress of Sir John Leggard, knt. and widow of John Graas, of Gemelyne, and had issue,

1. PIERS (Sir), his heir.
2. Roger, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Piers Gilliott, Lord of Broughton, Burnsall, and Thorp, and from this marriage descend the TEMPESTS, of Broughton, now the *only male* branch of the family remaining, (see TEMPEST, of Broughton.)
3. Peter. 4. Robert (Sir).

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR PIERS TEMPEST, of Bracewell, who

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accompanied HENRY V. into France, and shared in the glories of AZINCOURT, upon which celebrated field he received the honor of knighthood. He wedded the daughter and heiress of Sir Nicholas Hebdon, of Hebdon (by his wife, the heiress of the ancient family of Rie), and had, with two daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Sir Thomas Holland, and Margaret, of Richard Banks, of Bank Newton, in Yorkshire, a son and successor,

SIR JOHN TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, who served the office of sheriff for the county of York, in the 18th and 37th of HENRY VI. and of Lincolnshire in the 34th of the same reign. Sir John, who was zealously devoted to the house of Lancaster, afforded a place of concealment at one period to its royal chief, the unfortunate *King* HENRY, at Bracewell. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Sir Robert Sherburne, of Stonyhurst, in Lancashire, and had *inter alios*,

- NICHOLAS, his successor.
- Thomas (Sir), who received the honor of knighthood in the 22nd of EDWARD IV. He had a daughter,
  - MARGARET, *m.* to Sir Thomas Tempest, of Bracewell.
- Alice, *m.* to Sir Thomas Talbot, of Bashall, in the county of York.
- Anne, *m.* to Sir Thomas Metham.
- Agnes, *m.* to William Calverley, esq.
- Maria, *m.* to John Sherburne, esq.
- Isabel, *m.* to L. Hamerton, esq. of Wigglesworth.
- Jane, *m.* to William Ratcliffe, esq. of Rillstone.

Sir John was *s.* by his elder surviving son,

NICHOLAS TEMPEST, esq. of Bracewell, who espoused Margaret, daughter of John Pilkington, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, who had a command (and fought gallantly) under the Earl of Surrey, at Floddenfield. He wedded Rosamond, daughter and heiress of Tristram Bolling, esq. of Bolling Hall, in the county of York, and acquired thereby that estate. He had with other issue,

1. THOMAS (Sir), sheriff of Yorkshire in the 34th of HENRY VIII. He served under the Earl of Surrey, and burnt Jedburgh. Sir Thomas was also one of the council of the north in the same reign. He *m.* first Margaret, daughter and heiress of William Bosville, esq. of Chevit, and sesondly Margaret, daughter of his great uncle, Sir Thomas Tempest, knt. but *d. s. p.*
2. JOHN (Sir), who inherited Bracewell. This gentleman was sheriff of Yorkshire in 1546. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Mr. Speaker Lenthall, but *d.* issueless.
3. NICHOLAS, of Bracewell and Bolling. This gentleman was involved with Lord D'Arcy in the *Pilgrimage of Grace* temp. HENRY VIII. He *m.* Beatrice, daughter and heiress of John Bradford, esq. of Bradford, and had issue,
   - Richard, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of T. Wentworth, esq. of North Empsal, but *d. s. p.* 23rd ELIZABETH.
   - ROBERT, *m.* Anne, daughter of Richard Pigot, esq. of the county of Derby, and had an only son,
     - RICHARD (Sir), of Bracewell and Bolling, sheriff of Yorkshire temp. JAMES I. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Francis Rodes, knt. one of the judges of the Common Pleas, and had, with two daughters, TROTH, wife of Sir Thomas Tempest, bart. of Stella, and FRANCES, wife (first) of John Osbaldeston, esq. of Osbaldeston, and afterwards of John Ward, M.D., a son and successor,
     - RICHARD, of Bracewell and Bolling, who commanded a regiment of horse in the service of *King* CHARLES I. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Gervase Clifton, and grandaughter of Francis Earl of Cumberland, and left at his decease, 30th November, 1657, an only daughter and heiress,
       - ELIZABETH, *m.* to JOHN SOUTH, esq.
4. Tristram, *m.* to Joan Methley, an heiress, and had issue.
5. HENRY, of whose line we are about to treat.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Peter Fretchvile, knt.
7. Jane, *m.* to Sir Thomas Waterton, knt. of Walton, in Yorkshire.
8. Anne, *m.* to John Lacy, esq.
9. Beatrice, *m.* to Wm. Gascoigne, esq.

The youngest son,

HENRY TEMPEST, esq. espoused Ellinor, daughter and heiress of Christopher Mirfield, esq. of Tong Hall,* by whom he acquired that estate, and dying in 1591, was *s.* by his eldest son,

* RICHARD DE TONG held the manor of Tong in 1194, of Hugh Neville, of Brearly, as lord of the fee, and it continued in his family until the reign of HENRY VI., when HUGH DE TONG left an only daughter and heiress, MARGARET, who conveyed the lordship of TONG to her husband Robert, son and heir of William Mirfield, esq.

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RICHARD TEMPEST, esq. of Tong Hall, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Savile, esq. of Overthorpe, and was *s.* at his decease in 1607, by his only son,

RICHARD TEMPEST, esq. of Tong Hall. This gentleman *m.* Alice, daughter of William Mauliverer, esq. of Arncliffe, and dying in 1613, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN TEMPEST, esq. of Tong Hall, who espoused Katherine, daughter of Robert Duckenfield, esq. of Duckenfield, in the county of Chester, by whom (who *m.* after Mr. Tempest's death, Henry Fairfax, esq. of Bolton Percy), he left at his decease in 1623, a son and successor,

HENRY TEMPEST, esq. of Tong Hall, baptized in September, 1621, elected knight of the shire for the county of York, in 1654 and 1656. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Nicholas Bushall, esq. of Bagdall Hall, and dying in 1657, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN TEMPEST, of Tong Hall, who was created a BARONET in 1664. This gentleman by the decease of Richard Tempest, esq. of Bracewell, without *male* issue, in 1657, became chief of the family of TEMPEST. He *m.* Henrietta, daughter and heir of Sir Henry Cholmley,* of Newton Grange, and had issue,

1. HENRY, who inherited NEWTON GRANGE, at the decease of his mother in 1680. He *m.* Alathea, daughter of Sir Henry Thompson, of Marston, in the county of York, and had two daughters, who both died unmarried. He died himself, (before his father), in 1685.
2. GEORGE, heir to his father.
3. Catherine, *d.* unmarried.
4. Henrietta, *m.* to Ferdinando Latus, esq. of the county of Cumberland.

Sir John Tempest was *s.* by his only surviving son,

SIR GEORGE TEMPEST, of Tong Hall, second baronet, who wedded Anne, daughter and heiress of Edward Frank, esq. of Campsal, by whom (who *d.* in 1746), he had issue,

1. HENRY, his heir.
2. Nicholas, who *m.* Miss Ellen Galley, of Newcastle, but *d. s. p.* in 1756.
3. John of Nottingham, Captain in Churchill's dragoons, now the 10th Huzzars; *m.* Elizabeth, fourth dau. of William Scrimshire, esq. of Cotgrave, Notts, and had issue,
   - John, major in the Royal Horse Guards, *d.* unmarried, in 1786.
   - ELIZABETH, who became representative of the family at the decease of her cousin, SIR HENRY TEMPEST, bart.
   - Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Nathan Haines, D.D. vicar of Nottingham, and dying in 1811, left an only child,
     - Nathan Tempest Haines.
   - Henrietta, *d.* unmarried in 1823.

Sir George *d.* in 1745, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR HENRY TEMPEST, third baronet, who wedded Maria, eldest dau. of — Holmes, esq. of Wegston, in the county of Leicester, and was *s.* by his only son,

SIR HENRY TEMPEST, fourth baronet, of Thorpe House, near Staines, in the county of Middlesex. This gentleman *m.* Sarah Pritchard, only child of — Lambert, esq. of Hope End, in Herefordshire, and acquiring that estate, served the office of sheriff for the county, in 1799. But dying *s. p.* in 1819, the baronetcy became EXTINCT, and the representation of the family devolved upon his cousin,

ELIZABETH TEMPEST, of Tong Hall, granddaughter of Sir George Tempest, the second baronet. This lady became likewise representative of the very old families of TONGES and MIRFIELDS, of TONG. She espoused THOMAS PLUMBE, son and heir of WILLIAM PLUMBE, esq. of Wavertree Hall, and of Aughton, both in the county of Lancaster, (see family of Plumbe at foot), and had issue,

- Thomas Plumbe, *d.* in 1780, unmarried.
- JOHN PLUMBE, who has assumed the additional surname and arms of TEMPEST, and is the present *Colonel* PLUMBE-TEMPEST, of Tong Hall.
- Elizabeth-Sarah Plumbe.
- Frances Plumbe.
- Henrietta-Mildred Plumbe.
- Tempest Plumbe, *d.* unmarried.
- Catherina-Townley Plumbe, *m.* to Henry Dixon, esq. of Liverpool, youngest son of Jeremiah Dixon, esq. of Gledhow, in the county of York, and dying in 1819, left
  - Henry Dixon, captain in the 81st regiment, *m.* Miss Harriet Frazer, of Halifax, in Nova Scotia.
  - Thomas Dixon.
  - William Dixon, in holy orders.
  - George Dixon, an officer in the army.
  - Edward Dixon, lieutenant R.N.
  - Frances-Elizabeth Dixon.
  - Georgiana-Charlotte Dixon.
  - Henriana-Annabella Dixon.

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of Houley Hall, in the county of York. The great great grandson of this marriage,

CHRISTOPHER MIRFIELD, esq. of Tong Hall, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Arthur Pilkington, esq. of Bradley, and dying in 1557, left an only daughter and heiress,

ELLINOR MIRFIELD, the lady mentioned in the text.

* Sir Henry Cholmley was grandson of Henry Clifford, first Earl of Cumberland, and his wife, daughter of Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*)

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Mrs. Plumbe *d.* in September, 1823, and was *s.* by her only surviving son, JOHN-PLUMBE TEMPEST, esq.

FAMILY OF PLUMBE.

The PLUMBES were originally of Norfolk, afterwards of Leicestershire, whence, one of them, THOMAS PLUMBE, during the troubles of *King* CHARLES's time, retired with the remnant of his property to the neighbourhood of Prescot, in Lancashire.

JOHN PLUMBE, esq. of Whiston, near Prescot, died in 1727, having had by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of William Lyme, esq.

1. William, of Stepney, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Lyme, of London, and was father of
   - William, who died in the East Indies, leaving two daughters.
2. Thomas, of Madras, *m.* Mrs. Violante Rogers, and *d. s. p.* in 1712.
3. JOHN, of Wavertree Hall, near Liverpool, and of Aughton, near Ormskirk.
4. Edward, *d. s. p.*
5. Abraham, of Stepney.

The third son,

JOHN PLUMBE, esq. of Wavertree Hall, and Aughton, espoused Miss Sarah Marsh, niece and co-heiress of James Vernon, esq. of Vernon's Hall, near Liverpool, by whom (who *d.* in 1741) he had two sons, viz.

1. WILLIAM, who died in the lifetime of his father (in 1761) leaving by his wife, Sarah, daughter of Thomas Townley, esq. of Royle,*
   - THOMAS, successor to his grandfather.
   - William, in holy orders, rector of Aughton, *m.* Catherina, daughter of Samuel Kirk, esq. (by Anne, daughter of William Tatton, esq. of Withenshaw, in Cheshire) and dying in 1786, left two daughters,
     - ANNE, *m.* to Colonel William Thomlinson, of the 18th foot, who *d.* in 1810, leaving two daughters.
     - Sarah, *m.* to Colonel Tempest.
   - Sarah, *m.* to Sir Rob. Hesketh, bt.
   - Frances, *d.* unmarried.
2. Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Aughton, *m.* Miss Anne Wath, of Windsor.

Mr. Plumbe died in 1763, and was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS PLUMBE, esq. of Aughton, who espoused, as stated above, the heiress of the TEMPESTS, of TONG.

Arms—Quarterly: first and fourth, arg. a bend between six martlets sa. for TEMPEST. Second and third erm. a bend vairé between two cottoises sa. for PLUMBE.

Crests—*First*, a griffin's head erased, party per pale arg. and sa. for TEMPEST. *Second* a greyhound sejant arg. collar gules, spotted or.

Motto—Loywf as thow fynds.

Quartering the arms of Tong, Mirfield, &c. &c.

Estates—In Lancashire, and the West Riding of Yorkshire.

Seats—Tong Hall, near Leeds; and Aughton, near Ormskirk.

* This Thomas Townley's wife was Anne, daughter of Thomas Legh, esq. of Adlington, by Joanna, daughter of Sir John Maynard, serjeant-at-law.

GREENLY, OF TITLEY COURT.

GREENLY, WILLIAM, esq. of Titley Court, in the county of Hereford, *b.* 9th February, 1741, *m.* 5th July, 1770, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of John Brown, esq. of Little Leinthall, in the same shire, (by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Benjamin Goodison, esq. of London), and has an only daughter,

ELIZABETH-BROWN, who *m.* 4th April, 1811, Sir Isaac Coffin, bart. admiral of the white, who thereupon assumed the additional surname and arms of GREENLY.

Mr. Greenly is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of Herefordshire, and was sheriff for the county of Brecon in 1805.

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Lineage.

The GREENLYS have been resident at Titley, and at Mowley, in the adjoining parish of Stanton on Arrow for many centuries, their names occurring in deeds and parchments as far back as the reign of EDWARD IV.

JOHN GRENELEYE, of Mouldly, had the manor of Woodhallhill, in Stanton on Arrow, granted to him by Margery Nokes, in 1525. He *d.* 21st April, 1592, leaving, *inter alios*, by his wife Anne, a son and successor,

EDWARD GRENELEYE, esq. of Tyttley, who wedded in 1610, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Burton, esq. of Shropshire, and had issue,

ANDREW, his heir.
John, who *d.* in 1637.
Dorothea, *m.* in 1645 to George Dodd, esq.

Edward Greneleye *d.* 10th June, 1646, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ANDREW GREENLYE, esq. of Tyttley, *b.* in 1611, who espoused first, Alice —, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
Andrew, who *d.* unmarried in 1666.
Elizabeth.
Abigail.

Mr. Greenlye *m.* secondly, in 1646, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Davies, gent. of Wigmore, in the county of Hereford, by whom he had two daughters; Margaret, *m.* to Mr. Harris, of Abergavenny, and Dorothine, who died unmarried. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GREENLY, esq. of Titley. This gentleman *m.* first, in 1671, Barbara, daughter of John Walsham,* esq. of Knill Court, in the county of Hereford, by Joan, his wife, daughter of John Jones, esq. of Llandetty, in the county of Brecknock, and had no surviving issue. He wedded secondly, in 1677, Phœbe, daughter of — Hyde, esq. of Shropshire, by whom he had two sons and a daughter, viz.

JOHN, his heir.
Edward, *b.* in 1680, who *m.* Anne, daughter and co-heiress (with Mary, the lady of Sir John Philipps, bart. of Picton Castle, and another daughter, who espoused John Richards, esq. of Cardiff), of Henry Shepherd, of London, merchant, and had issue,
1. Edward, who *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of John Greenly, esq. of Titley.
2. Elizabeth, *m.* to Christopher Lake-Moody, LL.D. but had no issue.
3. Charlotte, *m.* to Edmund Bull, esq. and had a daughter, who espoused James Greene, esq. of Kingston, Surrey.
4. Anne, *m.* to Peregrine Furye, esq. and *d.* issueless.

Elizabeth.

Mr. Greenly espoused thirdly, in 1682, Dorothy, relict of Thomas Hopwood, esq. of Milton, in the county of Hereford, and had four other daughters, viz.

Dorothy, *m.* to Nicholas Taylor, esq. of Broadheath, in Herefordshire, by whom she had an only child, who *m.* the Rev. John Ingram of Burford, and had two daughters, MILBOROUGH, the wife of Edmund Burnam-Pateshall, esq. of Allensmore, and FRANCES-ELIZABETH, *m.* to Dansey Richard Dansey, esq. of Easton Court.
Rose, *m.* to the Rev. John Browne, D. D. vice-chancellor of Oxford, and their grandson left issue, a daughter, Mary, *m.* to Thomas Dickenson, esq. of Abbotsmoss, in Cheshire, and two sons, one of whom died a bachelor, the other marrying Catharine, dau. of the Right Hon. Isaac Corry, was father of a daughter, who wedded Captain Burdett, R. N.
Alice, *m.* to — Howarth, esq. of Cabalva, Radnorshire, and had issue,
HARRY HOWARTH, *d.* unmarried.
Humphrey Howarth, a colonel in

* This JOHN WALSHAM, of Knill Court, was sheriff of Radnorshire in 1653. He wedded, as stated above, Joanna Jones, and was great-great-great grandfather of the present

SIR JOHN-JAMES GARBETT-WALSHAM, bart. of Knill Court. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

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the army, and M. P. for Eversham, who *d. s. p.*

Edward Howarth, (Sir) who *d. s. p.*

Maria Howarth, } both *d.* unm.
Mary Howarth, }

Charlotte Howarth *m.* to Henry Allen, esq. of the Lodge, Breconshire.

Anne, *m.* to --- Downes, esq.

Mr. Greenly died 25th May, 1729, at the advanced age of ninety, having been for many years a useful and active magistrate of the county of Hereford. In 1679 he had purchased the lease of the manor of Titley, and copyhold lands, held at a yearly rent, and fine on renewal of lease under the college of Winchester. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GREENLY, esq. of Titley, who *m.* first, in 1708, Frances, daughter of --- Atkinson, esq. of Shropshire, by whom he had an only child, Frances, *m.* to the Rev. Herbert Bradford, of Shobdon, in Herefordshire, and *d.* without issue, in 1763. Mr. Greenly wedded secondly, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress (with her sister Blanch, the wife of John Floyer, esq. of Whitehouse, in the county of Monmouth) of John Boutcher, esq. and Elizabeth, his wife, sole heiress of John Williams, esq. of Cwmdû, in the county of Brecon, by whom he had issue,

JOHN, who *d.* in 1752.

Edward, } both *d.* in infancy.
Andrew, }

WILLIAM, present propietor.

Elizabeth, married to her cousin Edward Greenly, esq. of Norbiton Hall, Surrey, and had issue,

Edward, who *d.* unmarried, in 1823.

Elizabeth.

Catharine, *m.* first to John Muscott, esq. and had one son, who died issueless. She wedded secondly, Edmund Maskelyne, esq. of Basset Down, in Wilts, brother to Viscountess Clive, and thirdly, William Halhed, esq.

Arms—Vert. a chev. between three stags trippant, all party per pale erm. and erminois.

Crest—A demi stag rampant, party per fess erm. and erminois, on the shoulder an escallop shell az.

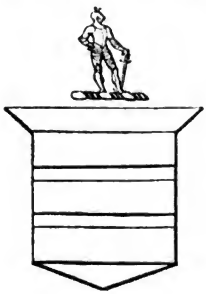
Motto—Fal-y-Gallo, (Anglicè) As I can; the device of Mr. Greenly's maternal ancestors, the Williamses of Curndû.

Estates---At Titley, Mowley, Comburton, and Little Leinthall, in the county of Hereford. Cwmdû, in the county of Brecon, and Whitehouse, in Monmouthshire.

Seat—Titley Court, near Kington, Herefordshire.

MARSHALL, OF HEADINGLEY.

MARSHALL, JOHN, esq. of Headingley, in the county of York, a deputy lieutenant of the West Riding, and elected knight of the shire, in 1826, *b.* 27th July, 1765, *m.* 5th August, 1795, Jane, fifth daughter of William Pollard, esq. of Halifax, and has issue,



WILLIAM, of Patterdale Hall, in Westmorland, M.P. *b.* 26th May, 1796, *m.* 17th June, 1828, Georgiana-Christiana, seventh daughter of George Hibbert, esq. of Munden, Hertfordshire.

John, *b.* 28th December, 1797, *m.* 18th Nov. 1828, Mary, eldest daughter of the late Joseph Dykes Ballantine Dykes, esq. of Dovenby Hall, Cumberland.

James-Garth.

Henry-Cowper.

Arthur.

Mary-Anne.

Cordelia.

Jane-Dorothea, *m.* 29th July, 1828, to John, second son of Sir Grenville Temple, bart.

Ellen.

Julia-Anne.

Susan-Harriet.

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Lineage.

The father of this gentleman was the second son of JOHN MARSHALL, esq. of Low Hall, in the county of York. The estate having passed with the elder branch of the family, the principal landed property of Mr. Marshall is situated in Cumberland, of which county he served the office of high sheriff in 1821.

The affluence which Mr. Marshall has attained, has been chiefly acquired by his successful introduction of mechanical improvements into a branch of the linen manufactory, the spinning of flax, in which he has formed extensive establishments, at Leeds and at Shrewsbury.

Arms—Arg. three bars sa.

Crest—A man in armour, ppr.

Town Residence—Hill Street, Berkeley Square.

Seats—Hallsteads, near Penrith, Cumberland; Headingley, near Leeds, Yorkshire.

MARGESSON, OF OFFINGTON.

MARGESSON, WILLIAM, esq. of Offington, in the county of Sussex, and of Ockley, in Surrey, *b.* 12th November, 1757, espoused 7th May, 1790, Mary, daughter of Hughes, esq. by whom (who *d.* 21st July, 1826), he has issue,

WILLIAM, *b.* 7th February, 1792, *m.* 8th June, 1818, Mary-Frances, daughter of Bryan Cooke, esq. of Owston, (of the family of Sir William Cooke, bart.) and has five sons and five daughters, viz.

WILLIAM-GEORGE, *b.* 6th June, 1821.
Henry, *b.* 1st September, 1822.
John-James, *b.* 31st August, 1825.
Philip, *b.* 20th September, 1826.
Reginald, *b.* 5th December, 1827.
Frances.
Mary-Anne-Harriet.
Emily-Charlotte.
Julia-Helena.
Helena-Adelaide.

John, *b.* in 1794.

Mr. Margesson was high sheriff of the county of Sussex in 1805. He succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father, 19th May, 1785.

Lineage.

The surname of MARGESSON is presumed to be of Norman French origin; according to tradition, it was, in early times, "ARGENSON," a name of some distinction still in France. In a pedigree in the Herald's College, the mode of spelling it varies. It seems to have been written, indifferently, Margesson, Margetson, and Margeston; and we find it so varied in some MS. writings in the British Museum. Whittaker, in his History of Richmondshire, calls the Archbishop of Armagh (of this family) Margerison, while in Thoresby's Diary, he is styled Margaretson. The family held lands in the county of York, towards the close of the reign of RICHARD II. or in the beginning of HENRY IV. before the year 1400.

JOHN MARGETSON, or MARGESSON, of Wakefield, living in 1400, was father of

RICHARD MARGETSON, of Rotherham, living in 1430, who had two sons, viz.

1. Thomas, whose great-great-grandson, JAMES, having taken holy orders, became eventually ARCHBISHOP of ARMAGH, and PRIMATE OF ALL IRELAND. He was born in 1600, at Drighlington, in Yorkshire, and

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educated at St. Peter's College, Cambridge. His first preferment was the living of Watlass, in his native county; but he soon afterwards became chaplain of the celebrated EARL OF STRAFFORD, and went over to Ireland with that nobleman, then constituted lord lieutenant, when he was made Dean of Christ Church, Dublin. Dr. Margesson lived in seclusion during the usurpation. He was consecrated Archbishop of Dublin in 1660, and translated to Armagh in 1663. His grace founded a free-school at his native place; and dying in 1678, was buried in Christ Church, Dublin. He left several children.

2. RICHARD.

The second son,

RICHARD MARGETSON, of Rotherham, *m.* about the year 1480, a daughter of William Newdigate, with whom, acquiring considerable estates in Surrey, he settled in that county. The family of Newdigate possessed the greater part of Leith Hill, with the manor of Wootton; and a large proportion of the lands upon this hill belonged, within these few years, to the Margessons. The manor has passed to another proprietor, but some part of the landed property still remains in the adjoining manor of OCKLEY. The great-great grandson of this Richard,

JOHN MARGETSON, espoused, 7th September, 1636, Katharine, daughter of — Parker, and had, with other issue,

WILLIAM, *b.* in 1655.

Anne, *m.* to — Wycker, esq. of Knep, and Horsham Park, Sussex, and was mother of

JOHN WYCKER, esq. of Knep, and Horsham Park, M.P. for Shoreham, in 1706, who was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WYCKER, who left an only child and heiress,

MARY WYCKER, who became first wife of the Reverend Sir Thomas Broughton, bart.

The above

WILLIAM MARGETSON, esq. *m.* at Lewisham, in Kent, Anne, daughter of — Wyatt, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM MARGESSON, esq. who espoused, in 1712, Mary, sister and heir of William Whitebread, esq. of Offington, in Sussex, by whom he acquired extensive estates in that county, and had, with two younger sons and three daughters, none of whom appear to have married, his successor at his decease, in 1763,

JOHN MARGESSON, esq. of Offington, in the county of Sussex, *b.* 31st March, 1716, espoused Miss Mary Pinfold, by whom (who *d.* in 1787) he had issue,

WILLIAM, *present proprietor.*

Mary, *m.* 16th April, 1779, to William Richardson, esq. of Finden Place, and *d.* 10th April, 1828.

Frances, *m.* 26th March, 1787, Thomas Richardson, esq. of Warminghurst Park, by whom (who *d.* 29th August, 1797) she left at her decease, in 1824,

William Westbrooke Richardson, of Finden Place, *b.* at Warminghurst Park, 8th August, 1788.

John Richardson, *b.* 10th March, 1790, *d.* 20th July, 1825.

Thomas Richardson, *b.* 7th December, 1791, captain in the 20th Light Dragoons, deputy lieutenant of the county of Sussex.

Mr. Margesson, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Sussex, in 1759, *d.* at Offington, 19th May, 1785, and was *s.* by his son, the present WILLIAM MARGESSON, esq.

Arms—Sa. a lion, passant, arg. a chief indented, or.

Crest—On a ducal coronet, or, a lion, passant, gardant, sable, gorged with a ducal coronet, or.

Motto---Loyalté me lie.

Quartering the arms of WHITEBREAD, arg. a chevron, sa. between three hinds' heads, erased gules.

Estates—In Sussex and Surrey.

Seats—Offington, in the county of Sussex, and Ockley, in Surrey.

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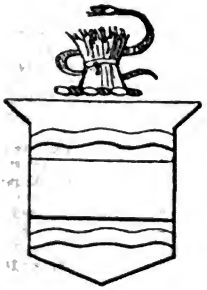
DOD, OF CLOVERLEY.

DOD, JOHN-WHITEHALL, esq. of Cloverley, or Calverhall, in the county of Salop, *b.* in 1797, *m.* in 1822, Elizabeth, daughter of the Reverend George Allanson, of Yorkshire, and has an only son,

WHITEHALL, *b.* in 1823.

Mr. Dod inherited the estates at the decease of his father in 1805.

Lineage.



This family was founded about the time HENRY II. by

CADWGAN DOD, whose son,

HOVA DOD, *m.* the daughter and heiress of the Lord of EDGE, in the county of Chester, and settled there. The son and heir of this marriage,

KENRIC DOD, of Edge, had two sons,

1. CADWGAN, his successor.
2. Stephen, ancestor of the DODS *of Bronton*, whose line terminated in an heiress, the wife of Edward Tannat.

The eldest son,

CADWGAN DOD, of Edge, was lineal ancestor of,

ROGER DOD, of Edge, living in the time of EDWARD III. who *m.* Mabel, daughter of David Mere, and had issue,

1. THOMAS, whose grandson,

SIR ANTHONY DOD, received the honor of knighthood from *King* HENRY, on the glorious field of AZINCOURT. He *d.* in returning homewards. This chief branch "of EDGE" continued through a long line to hold a prominent station in the palatinate, and to intermarry with the most eminent houses there. It terminated at length in co-heiresses, four daughters of the last proprietor, who *d.* 18th May, 1827, viz.

CHARLOTTE, } residing at Edge
ANNE, } Hall.
FRANCES-ROSAMOND, *m.* to the Rev. P. Parker.
SOBY-REBECCA, *m.* to Henry-Ralph Sneyd, esq.

2. JOHN, of whose line we are about to treat.

The younger son,

JOHN DOD was living in the reign of RICHARD II. He *m.* Johanna, daughter and heiress of John Warren, of Ightfield, in the county of Salop, and was *s.* by his son,

HUGO DOD, who espoused Agnes, daughter and co-heiress of Roger de Cloverley. This Hugo was living in the 14th of HENRY IV. and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM DOD, of Calverhall, living in the 33rd of HENRY VI. and father of,

JOHN DOD, of Calverhall, who *m.* Matilda, daughter of Ludovico Eyton, of Eyton, in Shropshire, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DOD, esq. of Calverhall, living in the 15th of HENRY VII. who *m.* first Alicia, daughter of Robert Aston, esq. of Tixhall, in the county of Stafford, and had an only son, JOHN, his successor. He espoused secondly Elizabeth Egerton, by whom he had seven daughters, viz.

1. Jane, *m.* to Hugh Sandford, of Sandford.
2. Margaret, *m.* to Jacob Harleston, of the county of Chester.
3. Eleanor, *m.* to Richard Steventon, of Dothil, in Shropshire.
4. Amicia, *m.* to Griffin Hinton, of Hinton, Salop.
5. Agnes, *m.* to George Colclough.
6. Margaret, *m.* to Robert Corbet, of the county of Chester.
7. Alicia, *m.* to John Hill, of Buntings.

Mr. Dod was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN DOD, esq. of Calverhall, who espoused Margaret, daughter of John Mainwaring, esq. of Ightfield, and was father of

Richard, who *m.* first Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Aston, esq. of Aston, in the county of Chester, and secondly, Margaret, daughter of J. Gibbons,

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and relict of R. Kynaston, but *d. s. p.* in 1610.

ROBERT, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of John Norwich, of Brampton, in the county of Northampton, and had,

Richard, who *d.* unmarried.

CHARLES, who eventually carried on the line of the family.

Norwich, *m.* to Francis Mansfield, esq. of the county of Nottingham.

Anne, *m.* to Martin Wadcock, esq. of Sheldon, in the county of Warwick.

Margaret, *m.* to Richard Ball, esq. of Pipe, in Staffordshire.

Susanna, *m.* to — Walker, esq.

Jane, *m.* to J. Cotton Atkinton, esq. of Shropshire.

Mr. Dod, *d.* in the 21st of ELIZABETH, and the representation of the family devolved eventually upon, the son of his second son, his grandson,

CHARLES DOD, esq. of Calverhall. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, daughter of Robert Lee, esq. of Brinfield, in the county of Berks, and had a numerous family, of whom,

ROBERT, inherited the estates.

Charles, living in Ireland in 1687, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John King, esq. son of John, Bishop of Elphin, and had two sons and a daughter, viz.

1. JAMES, who *m.* in Ireland, and left a son,

JOHN DOD, of whom hereafter as inheritor of the estates from his kinswoman CATHERINE KERR

2. John, who also *m.* in Ireland, and left a son and daughter, namely,

Charles Dod.

Judeth Dod, who *m.* her cousin John Dod, the eventual representative of the family.

John, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Rodulph Allen, esq. of the county of Chester, and *d.* in 1680.

George, *m.* MARGARET, daughter of SIR WILLIAM DUGDALE, knt. Garter king of arms, the celebrated genealogist.

William, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of J. Coppinger, esq.

Philip, *m.* Anna, dau. of — Bowen, esq

Jocosa, *m.* J. Taylor, esq. of Fletchamstead, in the county of Warwick.

Arden, *m.* Rowland Brograve, esq. of Wapenham, in the county of Northampton.

Bridget, *m.* Robert Bignett, esq. of Euston, in the county of Oxford.

Maria, *m.* William Bonel, esq. of the county of Warwick.

Elizabeth, *m.* L. Brockhurst of Sheldon, in Warwickshire.

Charles Dod, was *s.* at his decease in 1658, by his eldest son,

ROBERT DOD, esq. of Calverhall, who wedded Lucy, daughter of Humphrey Frodsham, esq. and relict of Thomas Greaves, esq. and had issue,

JOHN, who *d. s. p.*

Lucy.

CATHERINE, *m.* to *the Hon.* WILLIAM KERR.

Mary, *m.* to Admiral Sir David Mitchel.

Mr. Dod, died in May 1686, and his estates passed eventually to his eldest surviving daughter,

CATHERINE, wife of the *Hon.* WILLIAM KERR, at whose decease they devolved upon her kinsman,

JOHN DOD, esq. (grandson of Charles Dod, who settled in Ireland, and his wife Elizabeth King.) This gentleman became thus "of Calverhall," and representative of the family. He *m.* his cousin Judeth, daughter of his uncle, John Dod, and had two sons,

1. ROBERT, his heir.

2. John, *m.* to — daughter of Charles Sandford, esq. and had issue.

He *d.* in 1776, and was *s.* by the elder,

ROBERT DOD, esq. of Calverhall, *b.* in 1724, *m.* Mary, daughter of Broughton Whitehall, esq. of Broughton, in the county of Flint, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Broughton.

Mary.

Elizabeth, *m.* the Rev. D. Jenks, and *d.* in 1800.

Susan.

Letitia.

Anne, *d.* in 1812.

Mariana, *m.* to the Rev. William Kent.

Jane, *m.* to John Clay, esq.

He *d.* in 1801, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN DOD, esq. of Calverhall, *b.* in 1753. This gentleman espoused first, Anne, daughter of Thomas Pares, esq. of Leicester, and had a daughter Mary-Anne, who *m.* Samuel Miles, esq. of Narborough, in the county of Leicester. He *m.* secondly, Eleanor, daughter and co-heir of John Woodycare, esq. of Crookhill, in the county of York, and had issue,

JOHN-WHITEHALL, his heir.

Charles, who *d.* in 1825.

Eleanor.

Mr. Dod *d.* in 1805, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present JOHN-WHITEHALL DOD, esq. of Calverhall.

Arms—Arg. a fesse gu. between two cotices wavy, sa.

Crest—A serpent vert, issuing from and piercing a garb.

QUARTERINGS:

CLOVERLEY.	WOODYCARE.
WARREN.	ALLANSON.

Estates—In the parishes of Prees and Hodnett, in the county of Salop, and in the parish of Malpas, Cheshire.

Seat—Cloverley, or Calverhall.

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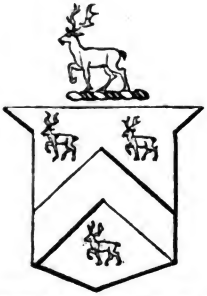
ROGERS, OF PENROSE.

ROGERS, THE REVEREND JOHN, of Penrose, in the county of Cornwall, Canon Residentiary of Exeter Cathedral, and Rector of Mawnan, *b.* in July, 1778, *m.* 14th June, 1814, Mary, only daughter of the Reverend John Jope, Vicar of St. Clere, and has issue,

JOHN, *b.* 16th February, 1816.
William, *b.* 13th June, 1817.
Reginald, *b.* 31st January, 1819.
Saltren, *b.* 8th April, 1823.
Henry, *b.* 24th December, 1824.
Mary.

Mr. Rogers, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father in February, 1832.

Lineage.



This family is presumed to be a younger branch of a house of the same name, formerly resident at Lank, in the parish of St. Breward.

JOHN ROGERS, esq. of Treassowe, in Cornwall, died about the close of the seventeenth century, leaving issue, by Florence, his wife, a son,

JOHN ROGERS, esq. who *m.* Thomasine, daughter of Hugh Bawden, esq. of Guddern, and had, inter alios, a son,

JOHN ROGERS, esq. who espoused his cousin Aurelia, daughter of Hugh Bawden, esq. of Guddern, and left by her a son,

HUGH ROGERS, esq. who by his wife Anne, daughter of James Bishop, of St. Columb, had issue,

JOHN ROGERS, esq. who married Margaret, daughter of Francis Basset, esq. and sister of the Right Hon. Lord de Dunstanville, by whom he left a numerous family.

Mr. Rogers represented the boroughs of Penryn and Helston, in several parliaments. He *d.* in 1832, and was *s.* by his eldest son the Rev. JOHN ROGERS, of Penrose, the present representative of the family.

Arms—Arg. between three stags trippant, a chevron sa.

Crest—A stag, as in the arms.

Estates—Manors of PENROSE,* HELSTON, CARMINOW, and Winnianton, besides various other estates in divers parishes, in the county of Cornwall.

Town Residence.—Cathedral Close, Exeter.

Seat—Mawnan, near Falmouth; Penrose, near Helston; and Treassowe, near Penzance.

* This manor was purchased from the heiress of Penrose. The ancient family of that name is now represented by Sir William Cumming Gordon, bart. of Gordonston; whose grandmother was the heiress of Penrose

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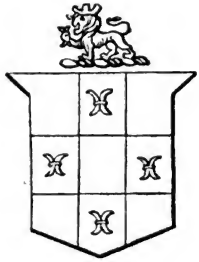
TURNOR, OF STOKE-ROCHFORD.

TURNOR, CHRISTOPHER, esq. of Stoke Rochford, and of Panton House, both in the county of Lincoln, inherited the estates at the decease of his father, 19th March, 1829.

Lineage.



CHRISTOPHER TURNOR, esq. living *temp.* HENRY VIII. a member of the family of Turnour, of Haverhill, now represented by the Earl of Winterton, married Isabel, dau. and heiress of Sir Walter Erneys, of MILTON ERNEYS, in the county of Bedford, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

EDMUND TURNOR, esq. of Milton Erneys, who espoused Alice Estwick of Milton Grange, and *s.* by his son,

CHRISTOPHER TURNOR, esq. of Milton Erneys. This gentleman wedded Ellen, daughter of Thomas Samm, esq. of Pirton, by whom he left at his decease in 1619, three sons and two daughters, viz.

I. CHRISTOPHER (Sir), one of the barons of the exchequer, in 1660, who *m.* Joice, sister of Sir Philip Warwick, by whom (who *d.* in 1707, at the advanced age of one hundred,) he left at his decease in 1675,
   1. EDMUND, who *m.* Lucy, dau. of — Byron, esq. and relict of J. Crewe, esq. of Crewe. He *d.* in 1679, leaving an only son,
      EDMUND, Capt. in the Guards, who espoused his cousin Dorothy, daughter of John Turner, esq. of Stoke Rochford, and had a son,
         EDMUND, who *d. s. p.* at Grantham, in 1764.
   2. Joyce, *m.* to James Master, esq. and from this marriage descend maternally, the families of Byng and Pocock.

II. Thomas.
III. EDMUND (Sir), of whom presently.
IV. Ellen.
V. Cecilia.

The youngest son,

SIR EDMUND TURNOR, was *b.* on the 14th May, 1619. This gentleman, a staunch and devoted royalist, remained ever most faithfully attached to the cause he had espoused. When Bristol fell into the hands of *Prince* RUPERT, he was constituted treasurer and paymaster to the garrison there, but was made prisoner in 1641, at the fatal battle of Worcester. In recompence of these eminent services, he was named one of the knights of the Royal Oak, but that ORDER never taking place, he received the honor of knighthood in 1663: at which time he was a commissioner of the alienation office, surveyor-general of the Outports, and one of the chief farmers of the Customs. Sir Edmund Turner's benevolence and public spirit were exemplary, and several acts of munificence remain lasting monuments of his character. He endowed the vicarage of Milton Erneys (the place of his birth,) with the impropriate tithes of the parish, while at the same time he rebuilt the vicarage house and offices. And as Bishop Kennet expresses himself, "that his piety to the church might the better be consecrated by his charity to the poor," he erected an hospital for six poor persons, and endowed it with lands to the value of twenty pounds per annum. At Stoke Rochford he built the alms house, and at Wragley, in Lincolnshire, an hospital for twelve poor persons, whereof six were to be the widows of clergymen, and the remainder poor men and women of that town. After performing various other acts of munificence, this eminent and excellent person *d.* in 1707, leaving by his wife, Margaret, daughter of Sir John Harrison,* knt. of Stoke

* SIR JOHN HARRISON gave the whole of the manor of Stoke Rochford as a marriage portion with his daughter Margaret, to Sir Edmund

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Rochford, a daughter Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Justinian Isham, bart. and a son, his successor,

JOHN TURNOR, esq. of Stoke Rochford, who wedded Diana, only child of the Hon. Algernon Cecil, son of William, Earl of Salisbury, and had with other issue, who *d.* unmarried,

EDMUND, his successor.
Dorothy, *m.* to her cousin, captain Edmund Turnor, of the Guards.
Diana, *m.* first, to Robert Ferne, esq. and secondly, to Thomas Bramston, esq.

Mr. Turnor *d.* at Bath, in 1719, and was *s.* by his son,

EDMUND TURNOR, esq. of Stoke Rochford, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Ferne, esq. and co-heir of her brother, by whom he had,

EDMUND, his heir.
John, captain in the Dragoon Guards.
Diana, *m.* to Bennet Langton, esq. of Langton.
Isabella, *m.* to Lieutenant-General Alexander Drewry.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Andrews, esq.

He *d.* in 1769, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDMUND TURNOR, esq. of Stoke Rochford, and of Panton House, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Disney, esq. of Lincoln, and had issue,

EDMUND, his successor.
George, *m.* to Miss Eleanor Hanmer, and has issue.
John.
Charles.
Elizabeth-Frances, *m.* to Samuel Smith, esq. of Woodhall Park, Herts.
Mary, *m.* to Sir William Foulis, bart.
Diana, *m.* to Sir Thomas Whichcote, bart.
Frances.

Mr. Turnor died in 1805, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDMUND TURNOR, esq. of Stoke Rochford, and of Panton House, F.R.S., F.A.S., and member of parliament for Midhurst. This gentleman espoused first, Elizabeth, daughter of Philip-Bowes Broke, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1801,) he had an only daughter,

ELIZABETH-EDMUNDA, *m.* to Frederick Manning, esq.

He *m.* secondly, Dorothea, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel Tucker, and had,

CHRISTOPHER, his heir.
Cecil.
Algernon.
Henry-Martin.
Philip-Broke.
Charlotte.
Harriot.

Mr. Turnor, an eminent antiquary, and the author of a History of Grantham, *d.* 19th March, 1829, aged seventy-four, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CHRISTOPHER TURNOR, esq. of Stoke Rochford.

Arms—Ermines on a cross quarter, pierced arg. four fer-de-moulins, sa.

Crest—A lion passant, arg. crowned or, with a fer de moulin in his paw.

QUARTERINGS:

ERNEYS, CECIL, NEVILE, FERNE, and DAYREL.

Estates—Stoke Rochford, purchased from the Rochfords, by Sir John Harrison, in 1637, and given with his dau. Margaret, in marriage, to Sir Edmund Turnor, who made Stoke his residence, and purchased other estates in the county of Lincoln.

Seats—Stoke Rochford and Panton House, both in the county of Lincoln.

Turnor. His other children were, by his first wife,

Anne, *m.* to Sir Richard Fanshawe, ambassador to the court of Spain. This gentleman, a scholar and a poet, represented the University of Oxford in parliament.

By his second wife,

Richard, who *m.* Audrey, daughter of George, Lord Grantham, and had, inter alios, a son and successor,

EDWARD, governor of Fort St. George, and joint post-master general, whose only daughter and heiress,

AUDREY, *m.* in 1723, Charles, third Viscount Townshend.

Mary, *m.* to Sir William Lytton.

GOSSELIN, OF BENGEO HALL.

GOSSELIN, THOMAS LE MARCHANT, esq. of Bengeo Hall, in the county of Hertford, vice admiral of the blue, *b.* 7th May, 1765, *m.* 18th March, 1809, Sarah, daughter of Jeremiah Rayment Hadsley, esq. of Ware Priory, in the same county, and has issue,

MARTIN-HADSLEY.
Emma.
Mary.
Charlotte.

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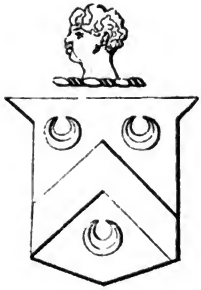

The family of GOSSELIN, of Norman origin, has long been domiciled in the island of Jersey, but the date of its first settlement there cannot now be accurately ascertained.

ROBERT GOSSELIN, a distinguished soldier, did eminent service to *King* EDWARD III at the rescue of Mont Orgueil, from the French, and was in consequence appointed governor of that castle, having had at the same time a grant of the armorial ensigns, since borne by the family. From this Robert, we pass to his descendant,

THOMAS GOSSELIN, a jurat of the royal court of Jersey in 1521, whose son,

HELLIER GOSSELIN, removing into Guernsey, *m.* first, Perotine, daughter of Francis Henry, of that island, and had issue,

NICHOLAS, his successor.

Collette, *m.* first, to Thomas le Marchant, esq. and secondly, to Peter Pelley, esq. This lady *d.* in 1621.

Hellier Gosselin wedded two other wives, but had no other children. He was sworn in September, 1546, KING'S PROCUREUR for Guernsey, was bailiff of the island during the reigns of HENRY VIII. EDWARD VI. MARY and ELIZABETH, and was elected in 1564, a jurat of the royal court. He *d.* in 1579, and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS GOSSELIN, esq. one of the clerks of the council to *Queen* ELIZABETH, and sworn in 1565, a jurat of the royal court of Guernsey. He *m.* Peronelle, daughter of Louis Lempriere, bailiff of Jersey, and had issue,

HELLIER, his successor.

John, king's comptroller, and procureur, sworn a jurat in 1622. *d.* unmarried in 1626.

Susannah, *m.* to John de Quetteville, and had with other issue,

JOHN DE QUETTEVILLE, bailiff of Guernsey.

Esther, *m.* to Nicholas Guillemotte, and had issue.

The elder son,

HELLIER GOSSELIN, esq. was sworn in 1588 king's comptroller, or solicitor general for Guernsey, and in three years afterwards, procureur or attorney general for the same island. He wedded first, Laurence, daughter of Nicholas Etur, and had, with several daughters, four sons,

I. PETER, *b.* in 1584, sworn *greffier* of the royal court, in 1610, and jurat in 1627. He *m.* in 1613, Jane, daughter of William de Beauvoir, bailiff of Guernsey, and had issue,
   1. PETER, *b.* in 1622, greffier and advocate of the royal court, *m.* Bertranne, daughter of Michael de Saumarez, a jurat, and had several children.
   2. Nicholas, *d.* in 1666.
   3. Jane, *m.* to Peter de Beauvoir, son of Peter de Beauvoir, of the Bosq.
   4. Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Nicholas Noe.
   5. Susannah.
   6. Mary, *m.* first, to — Chandler, esq. and secondly, to Samuel White, esq.
   7. Laurence.
   8. Esther, *m.* to Benjamin Guillaume.
   9. Anne.

II. NICHOLAS, of whose line we are about to treat.

III. Elie.

IV. Hellier.

Mr. Gosselin espoused secondly, in 1606, Mary Buadain, and had two other sons, Joshua and Hellier, and three daughters. His second son by his first wife,

NICHOLAS GOSSELIN, esq. was sworn procureur of the royal court, in 1632. He *m.* in 1626, Mary, daughter of Hellier le Pelley, a jurat, and dying in 1663, was *s.* by his eldest son,

PHILIP GOSSELIN, esq. who *d.* unmarried in 1670, and was *s.* by his brother,

PETER GOSSELIN, esq. *b.* in 1638, sworn advocate of the royal court in 1659, *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Tranalier, and had, with younger children,

1. PETER, *b.* in 1660, *m.* Mary, daughter of Peter Mauger, and had one son, and four daughters.
2. Thomas.

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The second son,

THOMAS GOSSELIN, esq. *b.* in 1667, *m.* in 1691, Catherine, daughter of Peter Mauger, and left at his decease, in 1732,

JOSHUA, his successor.

Nicholas, *d.* unmarried in 1781.

Catherine, *m.* first to Daniel Thomas, esq. and secondly to John Percherd, esq. but *d. s. p.* in 1772.

Rachel, *m.* to Peter de Jersey, son of Nicholas de Jersey, of Touillets, colonel of the militia artillery of Guernsey, and had issue.

Mary, *m.* to James Carey, esq. advocate.

Mr. Gosselin was *s.* by his elder son,

JOSHUA GOSSELIN, esq. *b.* in 1696, sworn Greffier in 1737, and subsequently appointed major of the militia of the island. He *m.* in 1731, Anne, daughter of John Guille, of St. George, a jurat of the royal court, by whom he left at his decease, in 1775, an only surviving son,

JOSHUA GOSSELIN, esq. *b.* in 1739. This gentleman was sworn Greffier, in 1768, which office he resigned in 1792. He was colonel of the north regiment of militia. He *m.* in 1761, Martha, daughter of Thomas le Marchant, esq. son of William le Marchant, a jurat of the royal court) by whom (who died 1813) he had issue,

JOSHUA, *b.* in 1763, *m.* in 1787, Mary, daughter of Thomas Priaulx, esq. and had two sons,

THOMAS-WILLIAM, *b.* in 1788, *m.* in 1811, Elizabeth-Sophia, daughter of James le Marchant, esq. of Rotterdam.

Joshua-Carteret, of the R.N. *b.* in 1789.

He *d.* in 1789.

THOMAS-LE-MARCHANT, possessor of Bengeo Hall.

Gerard, of Mount Ospringe, (see Gosselin of that place.)

William, died young.

Corbet, lieutenant R.N. died at Trinidad in 1803.

Charles, lieutenant in the army, and aide-de-camp to General Sir Thomas Trigge, commander in chief in the West Indies. He *d.* at Trinidad, in 1803, where the officers of his regiment (the 14th) erected a monument to his memory.

Catherine, *m.* to George Lamb, esq. son of George Lamb, esq. of Rye, in Sussex.

Martha, *m.* to George Lebfevre, esq. greffier of the royal court, and *d.* in 1809.

Elizabeth-Charlotte, *d.* in 1789.

Sarah-Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Nicholas Carey, rector of St. Martin's, Guernsey, and *d.* in 1801.

Emilia-Irving, *m.* to William Carleton Smythies, esq. of the army.

Charlotte-Alice.

Arms---Gu. a chevron between three crescents ermine. (Granted by EDWARD III. in 1339.)

Crest—A negro's head.

Estates—In the counties of Hertford and Essex.

Seat—Bengeo Hall, near Ware.

GOSSELIN, OF MOUNT OSPRINGE.

GOSSELIN, GERARD, esq. of Mount Ospringe, in the county of Kent, a lieutenant general in the army, *b.* 4th February, 1769, *m.* 21st December, 1791, Christian, second daughter of Bonick Lipycatt, esq. of Faversham, by whom (who *d.* in October, 1824) he has had issue,

GERARD-LIPYCATT, *b.* 9th May, 1795.
George, an officer of rank in the army, *b.* 10th March, 1797.
Christian.
Caroline, *d.* in 1826.

General Gosselin is a deputy lieutenant and magistrate of Kent.

Lineage.

This gentleman is a younger brother of *Admiral* GOSSELIN, of Bengeo Hall, in Hertfordshire, and his lineage and armorial bearings are, of course, the same (see that article).

Estates—In Kent.

Seat—Mount Ospringe.

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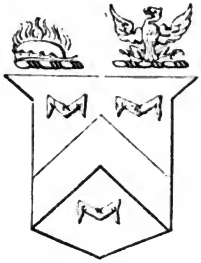
MAUNSELL, OF PLASSY.

MAUNSELL ROBERT, esq. of Bank Place, in the city of Limerick, late chief of Gangam, and first member of the supreme council of Madras, *m.* in 1782, Anne, only daughter and heiress of the Honorable John Maxwell Stone, governor of the presidency of Madras, grandson of the most Reverend William Stone, D.D. lord archbishop of Armagh, and primate of all Ireland, by whom he has issue,



1. ROBERT-GEORGE, who *m.* Mabella, second daughter and co-heiress of Standish Grady, esq. of Elton Hall, in the county of Limerick, and had issue by her, (who *d.* 9th April, 1828.)
   - Robert-Thomas.
   - Standish.
   - George.
   - Anne.
   - Louisa.
   - Maria.
   - Georgiana.
   - Mabella.
   - Emma.
   - Eliza-Grace.
2. George, major in the 3rd dragoon guards.
3. Henry, A.M. barrister-at-law, *m.* 29th March, 1821, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Pryce Peacocke, esq. and has issue,
   - Robert. Pryce-William.
4. Frederick, major in the 85th regiment.
5. Septimus.
6. Anna, *m.* 20th March, 1805, to Eyre Evans, esq. of Ash Hill, in the county of Limerick, nephew of George, first Lord Carbery, and has issue.
7. Maria, *m.* 16th June, 1817, to the Hon. John Massy, youngest son of Hugh, second Lord Massy, and has issue.
8. Eliza.
9. Grace.

This gentleman became the representative of the MAUNSELLS of PLASSY, at the decease of his elder brother, THOMAS MAUNSELL, esq. without male issue.

Lineage.

The family of MAUNSELL claims ancient descent and high alliances. It was founded in England by one of the companions of the CONQUEROR, whose name,

SIR PHILIP DE MAUNSELL is subscribed to the roll of Battel Abbey. This gallant knight was nephew of Sir Henry Harley, who conferred upon him the manor of Oxwick, or Oxmuche, in Glamorganshire. He *m.* a daughter of — Mountsorrel, by whom he had five sons, and was *s.* by the eldest,

HENRY MAUNSELL, who was father of

SIR JOHN MAUNSELL, knt. who was constituted lord chief justice of England in the reign of HENRY III. He *m.* Joan Beaucamp, daughter of Simon Baron, of Bedford, and left an only son,

SIR THOMAS MAUNSELL, knight banneret. This gallant soldier fell in the Baron's wars, at Northampton, in the 48th HENRY III. and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY MAUNSELL, who took up his abode in the county of Glamorgan, temp. EDWARD I. and left a son,

WALTER MAUNSELL, whose sons are represented as benefactors to the priory of Tichford, Bucks, and to the monastery of Newport. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR WALTER MAUNSELL, knt. father of

SIR PHILIP MAUNSELL, knt. who *m.* the daughter of Sir John Atthylle, knt. of Geystwick, in the county of Norfolk, and was *s.* by his elder son,

RICHARD MAUNSELL, esq. This gentleman espoused Lucy, daughter and sole heiress of Sir Philip Scullage, lord of Cas-

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de Scullage, in the county of Glamorgan, by whom he left,

SIR HUGH MAUNSELL, knt. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Penrice, knt. lord of Penrice, and other large estates in Glamorganshire, by whom he had a son and successor,

RICHARD MAUNSELL, esq. who was father of

JOHN MAUNSELL, esq. of Oxmuch, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR PHILIP MAUNSELL, knight banneret. This gallant person *m.* Margaret, daughter of Nicholas Griffith, esq. of Newton Castle, Carmarthenshire, and falling in the war of the Roses, was *s.* by his son,

JENKIN MAUNSELL, esq. who *m.* Edith, daughter and heiress of Sir George Kyme, knt. and had two sons,

RICE (Sir), his successor.

Hugh, whose son,

SIR ROBERT MAUNSELL, knt. was groom of the chamber to *King* HENRY VIII.

The elder son,

SIR RICE MAUNSELL, knt. *m.* Cicely, daughter of William Daughbidgecourt, esq. of Daughbidgecourt, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR EDWARD MAUNSELL, knt. of Margam, in the county of Glamorgan, chamberlain of the county palatine of Chester, in the reign of Elizabeth. This gentleman wedded the Lady Jane Somerset, daughter of Henry, Earl of Worcester, and had issue,

1. THOMAS (Sir) his successor, created a BARONET in 1611.
2. FRANCIS (Sir), of Ischoed, in the county of Carmarthen, created a BARONET, 14th of July, 1621. This gentleman was ancestor of the present Sir William Maunsell, bart. and of the Maunsells, barts., of Trimsanan, (created in 1697, extinct in 1788).
3. Robert (Sir), who for his bravery was appointed vice admiral of the fleet, temp. CHARLES I.
4. Philip, an officer in the royal army.

The eldest son,

SIR THOMAS MAUNSELL, knt. and bart. *m.* Mary, daughter of Lewis, Lord Mordaunt, and had issue,

1. LEWIS (Sir), second baronet, who espoused the Lady Elizabeth Montague, daughter of Henry, first earl of Manchester, and his grandson, THOMAS, was created LORD MAUNSELL.
2. Thomas. 3. Henry.

The second son is stated to have been

THOMAS MAUNSELL, esq. the first of the family that settled in Ireland, where he *m.* and had two sons, Richard and John. The elder,

RICHARD MAUNSELL, esq. a colonel in the royal army, distinguished himself by his gallant defence of Macollop Castle, in the county of Waterford, against the forces of CROMWELL. He *m.* —— and had issue,

1. Thomas, who *d.* young.
2. Joseph, who *m.* first, Miss Tierney, and secondly, Miss Fitzgerald, daughter of — Fitzgerald, esq. of Stone Hall, in the county of Limerick, and had three sons, viz.
   - Thomas, Standish, } *d.* unmarried.
   - Joseph, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of H. Widenham, esq. and had issue; but this male line is now extinct.
3. John, left an only son,
   - Richard, in holy orders, chancellor of the diocess of Limerick, who *m.* a daughter of the right Rev. William Burscough, D.D. bishop of Limerick, and had an only daughter, *m.* to John Waller, esq. of Castletown, in the county of Limerick.
4. RICHARD, of whom presently.
5. William, *d.* unmarried.

The fourth son,

RICHARD MAUNSELL, esq. represented the city of Limerick, for upwards of twenty years, in parliament. He *m.* first, the only daughter of the *Venerable* Archdeacon Twigg, and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Anne, *m.* first to Edward Taylor, esq. of Ballymore, and had a daughter, SARAH, *m.* 7th August, 1774, to Henry-Thomas, second earl of Carrick. Mrs. Taylor wedded, secondly, — Tunnadine, esq.

Mr. Maunsell espoused, secondly, Jane, eldest daughter of Richard Waller, esq. of Castle Waller, in the county of Limerick, and had,

Richard, of Ballywilliam, county of Limerick, *m.* Helena Toler, aunt of the Earl of Norbury.

John, a general officer in the army, *d.* unmarried.

William, in holy orders, D.D. *m.* Miss Lewis.

Eaton, Edward, } *d.* unmarried.

He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS MAUNSELL, esq. LL.D. barrister-at-law, king's counsel, counsel of the commissioners of customs, and M.P. for Kilmallock. This gentleman espoused Dorothea, youngest daughter of Richard Waller, esq. of Castle Waller, and had issue,

1. Richard, who *d.* in America, unmarried.
2. THOMAS, of Plassy, in the county of Limerick, M.P. for Johnstown, *m.* first, in October, 1767, Mary, eldest daughter of John Rochfort, esq. of

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Cloughgrenan, in the county of Carlow, and of Newpark, county Dublin, (uncle of Robert, first earl of Belvedere), but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Dorothea-Grace, daughter of Rev. William Maunsell, D.D. and died leaving two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

ELIZABETH-DOROTHEA, who *m.* her cousin, Major Robert-Hedges-Eyre Maunsell.

DOROTHEA-JANE, *m.* to John Dunlevie, esq.

3. ROBERT, of Bank Place, present representative of the family.
4. George, in holy orders, D.D. late dean of Leighlon, *m.* Helena, daughter of Richard-Hedges Eyre, esq. of Macroom Castle, and Mount Hedges, in the county of Cork, and has issue,

Thomas, in holy orders, A.M. married, and has issue,

Robert-Hedges-Eyre, a major in the army, *m.* his cousin, Elizabeth-Dorothea, daughter and co-heir of THOMAS MAUNSELL, esq. of PLASSY.

Richard, LL.B. barrister-at-law, *m.* in 1808, Lady Catherine Hare, youngest daughter of William, Earl of Listowel, and *d.* in 1818, leaving issue.

George, a captain in the army, *m.* at the Cape of Good Hope, Maria-Wilhelmina-Frederica, daughter of the Baron Von Hardenburg.

Edward-Eyre, in holy orders, A.M. of Fort Eyre, in the county of Galway, *m.* Eliza-Maria, daughter of Richard Studdert, esq. of Bunratty Castle, in the county of Clare, and has issue.

Henrietta-Margaret-Eyre, *m.* in 1805, to the Rev. William Atthill, A.M. of Brandiston Hall, in the county of Norfolk, Prebendary of Clogher, &c.

Emily, *m.* to Henry Watson, esq. eldest son of John Watson, esq. of Ballydartin House, county of Carlow, and has issue.

5. Blanche, *m.* to Maunsell Sargent, esq.
6. Margaret, *m.* to Robert Going, esq. of Traverston Hall, county Tipperary.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry White, esq. of Golden Ville, county of Tipperary.
8. Dorothea, *m.* to Longman Kinsman, esq. and has a daughter,

Emily Kinsman, *m.* to Captain Bingham, R.N. and has issue.

Upon the decease of THOMAS MAUNSELL, esq. of Plassy, leaving daughters only, the representation of the FAMILY OF MAUNSELL devolved upon that gentleman's next brother, the present ROBERT MAUNSELL, esq. of Bank Place.

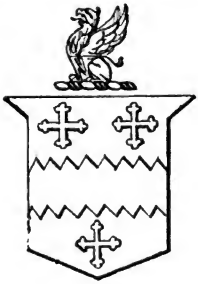
Arms—Arg. a chevron between three maunches sa.

Crests—First, a cap of maintenance inflamed at the top, ppr. Second, an eagle with wings expanded or.

Residence—Bank Place, Limerick.

SANDYS, OF GRAYTHWAITE.

SANDYS, MYLES, esq. of Graythwaite Hall, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* in May, 1762, *m.* in 1790, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Dalrymple Hamilton, bart. of Cousland, and had issue,



MYLES, an officer of dragoons, *m.* Marianne, daughter of Thomas France, esq. of Bostock Hall, in the county of Chester.

John-Dalrymple.

Thomas, in the East India Company's service.

George, captain of dragoons, in the East India Company's service.

William-Travis, in holy orders.

James, in the military service of the East India Company.

Elizabeth-Hamilton.

Ellen.

Harriet.

Agnes.

Jane-Rol

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Mr. Sandys is a captain on the half-pay of the army, and a deputy lieutenant for Lancashire.

Lineage.

The family of SANDYS, or SANDES, was anciently seated at St. Bees, in Cumberland. In 1377 Richard del Sandys and Sir Robert Moubray were returned knights of that shire. And subsequently other members of the house of Sandys enjoyed the same honor.

WILLIAM, or JOHN SANDES, espoused the daughter of Bonham, and was father of a daughter, Margaret, the wife of the Right Hon. Richard Bray, and mother of Sir Reginald Bray, K.G. standard bearer to *King* HENRY VIII. and a son,

WILLIAM SANDYS, who wedded Margaret, daughter and heiress of William Rawson, of the county of York, and had, with two younger, whose issue is now extinct, his successor,

GEORGE SANDYS, who *m.* Margaret Curwen, and was *s.* at his demise, in 1584, by his son,

WILLIAM SANDYS, who espoused Margaret, daughter of John Dixon, and had issue,

1. George, slain fighting against the Scotch in 1547.
2. WILLIAM, who resided at Colton Hall until he removed to the priory of Conishead, which he purchased from the crown, in the 2nd of EDWARD VI. He *d.* in the first year of ELIZABETH, and was *s.* by his only son,
   FRANCIS, in ward to the Queen until the 13th of her majesty's reign, when he sued out livery of his estates in Furness, and elsewhere. He *d. s. p.*
3. EDWIN, in holy orders, D.D. and eventually ARCHBISHOP OF YORK. This very eminent prelate died in 1558, and from him lineally descended
   SAMUEL SANDYS, esq. chancellor of the Exchequer in the reign of GEORGE II., who was elevated to the peerage, as BARON SANDYS, of *Ombersley*, in 1743; a dignity that expired with his son and successor, *Edwin*, LORD SANDYS, in 1797, when the estates of the family devolved upon the last lord's niece,
   MARY SANDYS, then consort of Arthur, second Marquess of Downshire. Her ladyship was subsequently (in 1802) elevated to the peerage herself, as BARONESS SANDYS, *of Ombersley*, (see *Burke's Peerage*).
4. Christopher, of Graythwaite, which estate he removed to in 1555. He *d.* in 1590, and was *s.* by his son,
   ADAM, of Graythwaite, from whom lineally sprang
   MYLES SANDYS, esq. of Graythwaite, High Sheriff for Lancashire in 1708. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of William Knipe, esq. of Fairebank, in Westmoreland, and dying in 1715, left two daughters, viz.
   1. ANNE, *m.* to her kinsman, THOMAS SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite, and had a son,
      MYLES, upon whom his grandfather settled the estate of Graythwaite.
   2. MARY, *m.* to Jeremiah Braithwaite, esq. and *d. s. p.*
5. Myles, ancestor of the LORDS SANDYS, of the Vine, and of the present Sir EDWIN BAYNTUM-SANDYS, bart.
6. ANTHONY.*

The youngest son,

ANTHONY SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite, living about the middle of the sixteenth century, wedded Anne, daughter and heiress of Robert Mann, esq. of Bullinbrook, in the county of Lincoln, and was *s.* at his decease by his only son,

EDWIN SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite. This gentleman espoused Grace, daughter of Robert Wyvell, esq. of Great Burton, in Yorkshire, by whom (who *d.* in 1612) he left an only son, SAMUEL. In 1600, Mr Sandys had a release from Robert, son of George Sandys, the eldest of the six sons, of his grandfather, of all title, claim, and right in the lands of Esthwaite. His will bears date 8th June, 1625, and was proved the second of the ensuing month. His son and successor,

SAMUEL SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite, who was left under the guardianship of his uncle, Solomon Wyvell, wedded Dorothy, daughter of Gavin Braithwait, esq. of Ambleside, in Westmoreland, and had issue,

EDWIN, his heir.
Solomon, *d. s. p.*
THOMAS, successor to his brother.

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* This ANTHONY is called third son by COLLINS, but the present account of the Sandys family differs in many points from that authority.

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William.
Samuel.
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Woodburn, esq.
Grace.
Dorothy, *m.* to Richard Bank, esq.
Bridget, *m.* to Charles Brooke, esq. of Ambleside.

He *d.* 13th February, 1651, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWIN SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite, at whose decease, unmarried, in 1672, the estate devolved upon his surviving brother,

THOMAS SANDYS, esq. of Sion House, in the county of Middlesex, who thus became "of Esthwaite." This gentleman wedded Mary, daughter and co-heir of Nicholas Crisp, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Samuel, died *s. p.*
Edwin, whose line is now extinct.
Dorothy, *m.* to William Taylor, esq.

Mr. Sandys *d.* soon after the year 1680, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS SANDYS, esq. of Esthwaite Hall, who espoused Anne, eldest daughter and, eventually, sole heiress of MYLES SANDYS, esq of *Graythwaite Hall* (refer to issue of Christopher, fourth son of William Sandys and Margaret Dixon). By this lady he had (with younger children), a son,

MYLES SANDYS, esq. who inherited Esthwaithe from his father, and GRAYTHWAITE from his maternal grandfather. He *m.* Isabel, daughter of James Penny, esq. of Pennybridge, in the county of Lancaster, and had issue,

MYLES, his heir.
Thomas, who *m.* Ellen, daughter of Captain Samuel Sandys, of Skirton, in Lancashire, and had a son and daughter,
MYLES, now of Graythwaite.
Jane *d. s. p.*
James, *d. s. p.*
Samuel, in holy orders, B.C.L., rector of Lexden, in Essex, *m.* Miss Dorothy Askew, and *d.* 1st November, 1804.
Edwin, a merchant in London, *m.* to Catherine, daughter of Captain Arthur, and had issue.
John, *d.* unmarried.
George, an officer in the army.
Mary, *m.* to John Harrison, esq.
Anne, *m.* to Richard Robinson, esq. of Fell Fort.
Isabel, *m.* to George Preston, esq. of Ulverston.

Mr. Sandys was for many years in the commission of the peace, and a justice of quorum. In 1713, he was appointed a deputy lieutenant of the county of Lancaster, and the same year received a captain's commission in the militia, and, in three years afterwards (1716) we find him commanding his company under Sir Henry Houghton. He was afterwards (1725) high sheriff of Lancashire. He *d.* in 1766, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

MYLES SANDYS, esq. of Graythwaite, who wedded Margery, elder daughter and co-heir of Robert Pennington, esq. of Seaton Hall, in Cumberland; but dying issueless, the estates devolved upon his nephew, the present MYLES SANDYS, esq. of Graythwayte.

Arms—Arg. a fesse dancettée, between three crosses bottonée fitchée gules.

Crest—A griffin segreant per fesse or, and gules.

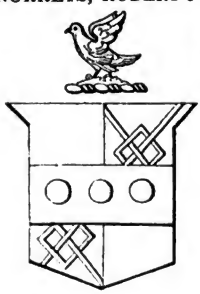
Motto—Probum non pœnitet.

Estates—All in Lancashire, possessed from a remote period.

Seats—Graythwayte Hall, and Tyetup Hall, both in Lancashire.

NORREYS, OF DAVYHULME HALL.

NORREYS, ROBERT-JOSIAS-JACKSON, esq. of Davy Hulme Hall, in the county of Lancaster, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of that shire, *b.* 27th September, 1784, wedded 17th July, 1809, Mary, only daughter and heiress of Henry Norris, esq. of Davy Hulme, and has had issue,



HENRY, *b.* 2nd May, 1810, *d.* 9th May, 1832.
Frederick, *d.* young.
ROBERT-HENRY, *b.* 2nd May, 1812.
Claudius-Henry, *b.* in 1813, *d.* in 1827.
Mary.
Caroline.
Isabella.

This gentleman, whose patronimic was HARRIS, assumed by sign manual upon the marriage the surname and arms of NORREYS only.

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Lineage.

This family of NORREYS has sustained an honorable position in the county palatine of Lancaster for several centuries.

WILLIAM NORREYS, of Sutton, lineally descended from Alain Norreys, living on the same estate, at a very remote era, wedded Joan, daughter of Sir John Molyneux, of Sefton, and by that lady acquired the estate of SPEKE. He was direct ancestor of

SIR HENRY NORREYS, knt. of Speke, in the county of Lancaster, who espoused Alice, daughter and heiress of Roger Ereneis, of Chester, and had two sons,

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. John, of Bray, in Berkshire, living temp. EDWARD III. who *m.* Eleanor, daughter and heiress of — Ravenscroft, esq. of Cotton End, and was *s.* by his son,

ROGER NORREYS, of Bray, who was grandfather of

SIR JOHN NORREYS, knight banneret, master of the wardrobe to *King* HENRY VI. and sheriff of Berkshire. He died in the 6th of EDWARD IV. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM NORREYS, one of the knights of the body to *King* EDWARD IV. In the 2nd of HENRY VII. Sir William had a command in the royal army at the battle of STOKE, and he obtained from the crown, in the 19th of the same reign, the custody of the manor of Langley. He was great-grandfather of

SIR HENRY NORREYS, of Wytham, in Berkshire, who, being sent by *Queen* ELIZABETH ambassador to France, was, in consequence of his good services upon that occasion, and in consideration of the sufferings of his father,* summoned to parliament in 1572, as BARON NORREYS, of Rycote. His lordship was *s.* by his grandson,

FRANCIS, second Lord Norreys, who was created, in 1620, Viscount Thame, and EARL OF BERKSHIRE. His lordship's grandaughter and heiress,

BRIDGET WRAY (daughter of Edward Wray, esq.) *m.* for her second husband, Montagu Bertie, Earl of Lindsey, and had a son,

JAMES BERTIE, who succeeded his mother in the barony of Norreys, of Rycote. He was afterwards created EARL OF ABINGDON (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).

Sir Henry Norreys was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM NORREYS, esq. of Speke, who wedded Perceval, daughter and heiress of John Harrington, esq. of Westby, and had, with several other sons,

THOMAS, his heir.

Catherine, *m.* to Robert Grosvenor, esq. of Eaton.

Agnes, *m.* to John Bunbury, esq. of Cheshire.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Gerard, esq. of Ince.

Margaret, *m.* to Robert Lathom, esq. of Parbold.

Beatrice, *m.* to John Ireland, esq. of Lidiate.

Jane, *m.* to William Worthington, esq. of Worthington.

The eldest son,

THOMAS NORREYS, esq. of Speke, *m.* Lettice, daughter and sole heiress of Thomas Norreys, esq. of Derby, in Lancashire, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM (Sir), of Speke, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Henry Bold, of Bold Hall. The manor of Speke passed from this gentleman, through several gallant and eminent persons,* to his descendant,

THOMAS NORREYS, esq. of Speke, *b.* in 1618, *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Henry Garaway, knt. and dying in 1700, left, with other issue, who died issueless,

1. THOMAS, of Speke, M.P for Liverpool, temp. WILLIAM III. *b.* in 1753, *m.* Miss Aston, dau. of Sir William Aston, bart. and left at his decease an only daughter and heiress,

MARY, who conveyed the manor of SPEKE to her husband, Lord Sydney Beauclerk. She had an only child,

TOPHAM BEAUCLERK, esq. whose son, Charles George Beauclerk, sold the estate of Speke, in 1797, to RICHARD

* HENRY NORREYS, who was unjustly put to death by HENRY VIII. upon the supposition of being involved in the conduct of ANNE BOLEYN.

* *See* Leland's Itinerary, Holinshed's Chronicles, Fuller's Worthies, &c. &c.

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WATT, esq. for seventy-seven thousand pounds.

2. William (Sir) ambassador to Constantinople, and M.P. for Liverpool.

3. Edward, M.D. of Chester, and M.P. for Liverpool, *d.* in 1726, leaving two daughters,

CATHERINE, *m.* to Ralph Leycester, esq. of Toft.

SUSANNA, *m.* to — Warburton, esq.

II. Edmund, of Fifield, in Berkshire, *m.* Alice, daughter and sole heiress of John Fowler, esq. and from this union descended the Norrises of Fifield, now extinct.

III. NICHOLAS.

The third son,

NICHOLAS NORREYS, esq. of Tarleton, was great great grandfather of

NICHOLAS NORREYS, esq. of Middleforth, in Lancashire, *b.* in 1633. who wedded Dorothy, daughter of Edward Farrington, esq. of Wiswell, in the county of Nottingham, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest surviving son,

HENRY NORREYS, esq. of Penwortham, in Lancashire. This gentleman *m.* in 1682, Elizabeth, daughter of — Loxham, esq. of Preston. He *d.* in 1684, and was *s.* by his posthumous son,

HENRY NORREYS, esq. of Penwortham, who wedded Mary, daughter of John Blackledge, esq. of Howick, by whom (who *d.* in 1740) he had issue,

HENRY, his heir.

William, of Withnell, } both *d. s. p.*
Robert, }

Thomas, who *m.* first, Mrs. Cochrane, and had an only son,

Thomas, of Liverpool, *m.* to Jane, daughter of Walter Horton, esq. of Stafford, and had issue,

Thomas-Horton, *b.* in 1797

Walter, *b.* in 1795.

He wedded secondly, Alice, dau. of Richard Winstanley, esq. of Chorley, and had

Robert, *b.* in 1769, *m.* Miss Ellen Ellames, of Liverpool, and has issue.

Henry, *b.* in 1770.

Catherine.

Margaret, *m.* to Adam Saunderson, esq. of Preston.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Harrison, esq. of Bankfield.

Mr. Norreys' will bears date in 1738, and it was proved the next year. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY NORRIS, esq. of Penwortham, who *m.* in 1739, Catherine, daughter of John Shaw, esq. of Anderton, and dying in 1754, left (with a daughter, Catherine) an only son and successor,

HENRY NORRIS, esq. of Davyhulme Hall, and of Penwortham, a justice of the peace for the county of Lancaster; *b.* in 1744, *m.* 1779, Anne, daughter of John Allen, esq. of Mayfield, in the county of Derby, by whom, who *d.* in 1780, he left at his decease an only daughter and heiress,

MARY NORRIS, who espoused the present ROBERT-JOSIAS-JACKSON NORREYS, esq. of Davyhulme Hall.

Arms—Quarterly, arg. and gules; in the second and third a fret or, over all a fesse az. charged with three bezants.

Crest—On a mount vert, a raven, wings elevated sa. (Quartering the arms of Ereneis, Molyneux, Harrington, Cauncefield, Fleming, English, Lathom, &c.)

Estates—Davyhulme, Penwortham, Walton, and in Manchester, all in the county of Lancaster.

Seat—Davyhulme Hall, in the county of Lancaster.

WALKER, (Grand Cross of the Bath.)

WALKER, *Lieutenant General*, SIR GEORGE-TOWNSHEND, G.C.B. and K.T.S. colonel of the 52nd regiment of foot, late commander of the forces at Madras, and lieutenant-governor of Grenada, groom of the chamber to his royal highness the Duke of Sussex, *m.* first, Anna, only daughter of Richard Allen, esq. of Bury, in the county Lancaster, by whom (who *d.* in 1814) he has had two daughters, viz.

Anna-Louisa, who *d.* unmarried, in 1827.

HARRIET-ELIZA.

Sir George espoused secondly, in August,

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1820, Helen, youngest daughter of Alexander Caldcleugh, esq. of Croydon, in Surrey, and has surviving issue,

GEORGE-FERDINAND-RADZIVILL, *b.* in May, 1825.
George-Frederick-Arthur, *b.* in 1827.
George-Edmund-Lushington.
Helen-Louisa-Adelaide.
Anna-Matilda-Catherine.

Lineage.

SIR WALTER WALKER, knt. of Bushey Hall, in Herefordshire, and of Stretham, in the Isle of Ely, LL.D. advocate to KATHERINE, *Queen Consort* of CHARLES II. espoused Mary, daughter of --- Lynne, esq. of Southwick, in the county of Northampton, and had two sons, viz.

I. GEORGE, (Sir) of Bushey Hall, who was created a BARONET in 1679. He *m.* Susannah, daughter and coheiress of John Byne, esq. of Rowdell, in Sussex, and dying in 1690, left issue,
   WALTER (Sir) second Baronet, who died unmarried, in his minority, when the BARONETCY became EXTINCT.

II. WILLIAM.

III. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Edwine Sadlier, bart. of Temple Dinsley, in Herefordshire.

IV. Mary, *m.* first to Henry Beaufoy, esq. of Edmonscott, in Warwickshire, and secondly, to Arthur, son of Sir Arthur Weltden, of Swanscomb, in Kent.

Martha, *d.* unmarried.

The second son,

WILLIAM WALKER, esq. wedded Mary, daughter of --- Price, esq. of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, and was *s.* by his only son,

NATHANIEL WALKER, esq. of the county of Middlesex. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth-Jane, daughter of Peter Pytot, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

NATHANIEL WALKER, esq. a major in the army, who *m.* Henrietta, only daughter and heiress of Captain John Bagster, R.N. of the Isle of Wight, and dying at Hampton Court palace, in May, 1829, left issue,

I. GEORGE TOWNSHEND, the *present lieutenant-general* SIR GEORGE TOWNSHEND WALKER.

II. Frederick, of Bushey, in the county of Herts, a colonel in the army, *m.* Anabella, youngest daughter of Edward Cane, esq. of Donnybrook, in the county of Dublin, and has,
   1. Edward Walter, an officer in the Foot Guards.
   2. Augusta-Eliza.
   3. Isabella-Louisa.
   4. Georgiana-Adelaide.
   5. Amelia-Forestier.
   6. Caroline-Albinea.

III. Charles Montagu, of Hampton Court, in the county of Middlesex, a captain in the royal navy, *m.* Anne Maria, only child and heiress of Walter Riddell, esq. of Glen Riddell, in Scotland, and has issue,
   1. George James, an officer of dragoons.
   2. Frederick-Louisa.
   3. Charles-Montagu.
   4. Arthur de Noe.
   5. Henry-Riddell.
   6. Henrietta-Gertrude.
   7. Florence-Fletcher.
   8. Harriet.

IV. Mary, *m.* to Stawell Chudleigh, esq. of Furze Place Farm, Hampshire.

V. Harriet-Louisa, *m.* to James Grierson, esq. of Purbrook Park, in the county of Hants.

Arms—Erminois on a pile embattled az. a mural crown between two galtraps in pale or.

Crest---A mural crown or, encircled by a wreath of laurel, thereon an ostrich ppr.

Supporters---DEXTER, a lion reguardant ppr. gorged with a ribband gules, fimbriated az. therefrom pendant a representation of the medal presented to Sir George Townshend Walker, by his Majesty's command, for military services. In the mouth a broken flag staff reversed with the eagle and tricoloured flag, also ppr. The latter inscribed with the word "Orthes." SINISTER, an ostrich ppr. supporting the colours of his Majesty's fiftieth, being the regiment commanded by Sir George Walker, in the memorable battle fought on the plains of VIMEIRA, thereon an escroll gules, inscribed with the word "Vimeira" in letters of gold.

Motto---Nil desperandum.

Town Residence---Harley Street, Cavendish Square.

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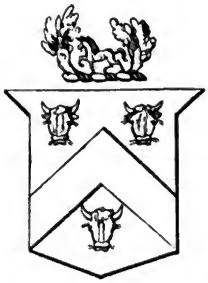
CURTEIS, OF WINDMILL HILL.



CURTEIS, EDWARD-JEREMIAH, esq. of Windmill Hill, and Great Knello, both in the county of Sussex, *b.* 6th July, 1762, *m.* 14th April, 1789, Mary, only daughter of the Rev. Stephen Barrett, of the Bent, in Yorkshire, and rector of Hathfield, Kent, by whom he has had issue,

HERBERT-BARRETT, M.P. for Sussex, in 1830, 1831, and 1832, *m.* in 1821, his cousin Caroline-Sarah, daughter and co-heir of Robert Mascall, esq. of Peasmarsh Place, in Sussex, and Ashford, in Kent, by whom (who *d.* in May, 1825) he has an only son,

HERBERT-MASCALL, *b.* at Florence, in 1823.

Edward-Barrett, captain in the 7th dragoon guards.

Reginald, captain in the 1st or royal dragoons.

Mary-Barrett, *m.* to Stewart-Boone Inglis, esq. and died in childbed of Mary-Barrett-Curteis Inglis, who *d.* in 1827.

Jane-Anne-Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

Laura-Charlotte, *m.* to William-Henry Darby, esq. eldest son of John Darby, esq. of Leap Castle, King's county, Ireland, and of Markley, Sussex.

Anne-Katharine, *m.* to lieutenant colonel Charles-William Elwood, of the East India Company Service.

Caroline-Elinor, *m.* to John Graham, esq. second son of the late Thomas Graham, esq. of Edmond Castle, Cumberland.

Elizabeth-Julia, *m.* to Howard Elphinstone, esq. only son of Sir Howard Elphinstone, bart. C.B.

Mr. Curteis represented the county of Sussex in the parliaments of 1820 and 1826.

Lineage.

STEPHEN CURTEIS, of Appledore, in the county of Kent, descended from an ancient family resident in that shire, was grandfather of

THOMAS CURTEIS, of Appledore, living in 1527, who wedded Joane, daughter and co-heir of Edward Twaights, warden of the Cinque Ports, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM CURTEIS, of Tenterden, in Kent, who *m.* first, Joan Bunting, and had issue,

1. William, bailiff of Tenterden, in 1591, from whom lineally descends
   The Reverend THOMAS CURTEIS, of Seven Oaks, A.M. a magistrate for the county of Kent, who wedded Sarah-Anne, daughter of the Rev, William Liscomb, rector of Wilbury, and has issue,
2. THOMAS, mayor of Tenterden, in 1606.

He espoused, secondly, Joan Pattenden, and had, with three daughters, two sons, viz.

3. George, of Chart Sutton, who was sheriff of Kent in 1651. He *m.* first, Bridget, daughter of Thomas Knatchbull, esq. and secondly, Mary, sister of Sir Edward Hale, bart. and relict of Simon Smith, esq. From this George Curteis derived the CURTEISES, of Otterden Place.
4. STEPHEN.

Mr. Curteis's second son, by his second marriage,

STEPHEN CURTEIS, esq. was mayor of Tenterden in 1622. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Edward Short, esq. of Heronden, and dying in 1654, was *s.* by his son,

SAMUEL CURTEIS, esq. of Tenterden, who wedded Martha, daughter and co-heir of John Porter, esq. of Fairlawn, and was father of

EDWARD CURTEIS, esq. mayor of Tenterden in 1663, whose son

JEREMY CURTEIS, esq. mayor of Tenterden in 1696, espoused Sarah, daughter of Edward Wilmshurst, esq. of Cadborough, in the county of Sussex, and dying in 1725, left issue,

1. SAMUEL, of Tenterden, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter and co-heir of Felix Kadwell, esq. and secondly, Sarah,

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daughter of Richard Haffenden, esq. of Tenterden.

2. Jeremiah, who *m.* first, Miss Sarah Holman, and secondly, Mary, dau. of Thomas Curteis, esq. of Wrotham.

3. Edward.

The third son,

Edward Curteis, esq. of Tenterden, *m.* Sarah, daughter of Richard Beale, esq. of Biddenden, and had two sons,

Richard, of Tenterden, who wedded Mary, daughter and co-heir of Searles Giles, esq. and *d.* in 1814.

Jeremiah, of Rye and Tenterden, of whom presently.

Mr. Curteis *d.* in 1777. His second son,

Jeremiah Curteis, esq. of Rye and Tenterden, *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heir of Searles Giles, esq. of Biddenden, and had issue,

1. Edward Jeremiah, his heir.

2. Martha, *m.* to Robert Mascall, esq. of Ashford.

3. Anne, *m.* to Samuel Russell Collett, esq. of Worcester.

4. Jane, *d.* unm.

5. Catharine-Sarah, *m.* to John Luxford, esq. of Higham.

Mr. Curteis died 31st December, 1806, and was *s.* by his only son, the present Edward Jeremiah Curteis, esq.

Arms—Arg. a chev. sa. between three bulls' heads, cabossed gules.

Crest—A unicorn passant, or, between four trees, ppr.

Estates—In Kent, Sussex, and Middlesex. The Kentish property, and Guldeford, in Sussex, as far back as can be traced.

Seats—Windmill Hill and Great Knello, Sussex.

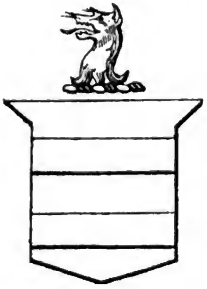
WILBRAHAM, OF DELAMERE.

WILLBRAHAM, GEORGE, esq. of Delamere House, in the county of Chester, *b.* 8th March, 1779. *m.* 3rd September, 1814, Lady Anne Fortescue, third daughter of Hugh, present Earl Fortescue, by whom he has issue,

George-Fortescue, *b.* 4th August, 1815.
Roger-William, *b.* 29th July, 1817.
James-Edward, *b.* 8th October, 1820.
Henry, *b.* 25th July, 1823.
Hugh, *b.* 2nd December, 1827.

Mr. Wilbraham, who *s.* to the estates at the decease of his father, in 1813, represents the county of Chester in parliament.

Lineage.



The house of Wilbraham, one of the most influential and ancient in the county of Chester, derives its name from the manor of Wilbraham, in Cambridgeshire, where a family bearing the local name was settled about the time of Henry II.*

Sir Richard de Wilburgham, Lord of Wymincham, was sheriff of Cheshire in the 43rd of Henry III. He *m.* first, Margery, daughter and co-heiress of Warin Vernon, Baron of Shipbrook, by whom he had one son, who *d. s. p.* and two daughters, the wives of Richard de Lostock, and of Robert de Winnington. These ladies were eventually co-heirs to their mother. Sir Richard espoused secondly, Letitia, second daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Venables, of Kindeston, by whom he had a son, his successor at his decease, in the 2nd Edward I.,

William de Wilburgham, Lord of Radnor, who married twice, but had issue only by his first wife, Christiana, sister and co-heir of Richard Crosley, viz.

* Ormerod's Cheshire.

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W.LLIAM, his heir.
Randulph, from whom the WILBRAHAMS of Brindley, and Worleston, derived.
Robert, living *temp.* EDWARD III.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM DE WILBURGHAM, Lord of Radnor, died in the 26th of EDWARD III. and was *s.* by his son,

RALPH DE WILBURGHAM, of Radnor, who *m.* first, Felicia, daughter of John de Hulme, and had a son THOMAS, his successor. He espoused secondly, Matilda, daughter of Robert Leigh, of Adlington, (by Matilda, his wife, daughter of Sir Thomas de Norley, knt). He *d.* in the 11th of RICHARD II. and by Inquisition of the same year was found to have held a moiety of a sixth part of Leftwich; a sixth part of Shipbrook Watermill, and in joint feoffment with Matilda, his wife, in fee tale, the manor of Radnor, lands in Knight's-hulme, &c. His son and heir,

THOMAS DE WILBURGHAM, of Radnor, was aged twenty-two, and upwards, at the time of his father's decease in 1388. This feudal lord espoused Margery, daughter of Thomas de Leighes, and dying in the 11th of HENRY IV. was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE WILBURGHAM, of Radnor, who wedded Margaret, dau. and heiress of John Golborne, Lord of Woodhey, and thus acquired that manor. By this lady he had issue,

I. THOMAS, his successor in the united manors of Radnor and Woodhey, who *m.* in the time of HENRY VI. Margaret, daughter of Thomas de Swettenham, (by his wife Alice, sister and heiress of Roger de Overton) and dying in the 7th of HENRY VII. was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM WILBRAHAM, esq. of Woodhey, who wedded Helena, daughter of Philip Egerton, esq. of Egerton, and had, with several daughters, two sons,

1. THOMAS, of Woodhey, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir John Mainwaring, knt. of Peover, but dying *s. p.* in 1558, was *s.* by his brother.
2. RICHARD, of Woodhey, M.P. for the county of Chester, master of the jewel house and of the revels, to *Queen* MARY. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Richard Grosvenor, esq. of Eaton, by whom he had a son and successor,

THOMAS WIBRAHAM, esq. of Woodhey and Tilston, who was *s.* at his decease in 1610, by his eldest son, (by his first wife Frances, daughter of Sir Hugh, Cholmondeley, knt. of Cholmondeley)

SIR RICHARD WILBRAHAM, of Woodhey, who was created a baronet in 1621. He *m.* Grace, sister of Thomas Savage, first Visct. Savage, and was *s.* in 1643, by his eldest son,

SIR THOMAS WILBRAHAM, bart. This gentleman was a distinguished cavalier during the civil wars. He died soon after the restoration, and was *s.* by his eldest son,*

SIR THOMAS WILBRAHAM, bart. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Edward Mitton, esq. and dying without male issue in 1668, the baronetcy expired, while his large estates devolved upon his three daughters as co-heirs, namely, ELIZABETH, wife of Sir Thomas Middleton, bt. of Chirk Castle, GRACE of Lionel, Earl of Dysart, and MARY, of Richard, Earl of Bradford.

II. RANDULPH, of whose line we are about to treat.
III. William.
IV. Richard.
V. John.

The second son of Thomas Wilburgham, by the heiress of Woodhey,

RANDULPH WILBRAHAM, esq. wedded Alice, and dying 2nd March, 1548, was *s.* by his eldest son,

RALPH WILBRAHAM, esq. living in the time of HENRY VIII., who espoused Miss Elizabeth Sandford, of the County of Lancaster, and had issue,

1. Randulph, a merchant of Bristol, who *d. s. p.* in 1581.
2. RICHARD, of whom presently.
3. Thomas, barrister-at-law, recorder of the city of London, and attorney of the court of Wards. He *m.* Barbara, dau. of Robert Chudleigh, esq. of the county of Middlesex, and *d.* in 1573.
4. Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Clutter, esq. of Nantwich.

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* Sir Thomas had several other sons, but all died issueless except his successor above mentioned, and Ralph Wilbraham, of Newbottle, in the county of Northampton, who *m.* Christiana, dau. of Edward Leigh, esq. of Baguleigh, and left an only daughter and heiress, ELIZABETH, *m.* to Sackville Tufton, esq. ancestor of the Earl of Thanet.

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Mr. Wilbraham *d.* in 1552, and was buried in Acton church. His second son,

RICHARD WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, *b.* in 1528, *m.* first, Eliza, daughter of Thomas Maisterson, esq. of that place, and secondly, Margaret, widow of Alexander Elerch, esq. He died in 1612, having had issue,

1. RICHARD, barrister-at-law, and common serjeant of the city of London, who *m.* in 1584, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Pulesdon, lord mayor of London, and dying in the lifetime of his father, 13th September, 1601, left with other issue, a son,
   THOMAS, heir to his grandfather.
2. Roger, a lawyer of eminence, who was nominated in 1600 a master of the court of Requests, having previously filled the office of solictor-general in Ireland. He *d.* without male issue, in 1616.
3. Thomas, who *m.* Anne Pyerson, and had issue.
4. Ralph-fædary, of Chester and Flintshire, ancestor of the WILBRAHAMS, OF DORFOLD.

Richard Wilbraham was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, who wedded in 1619, Rachael, daughter and sole heiress of Joshua Clive, esq. of Huxley (by Mary, daughter of Andrew Charlton, esq. of Apsley), and had with other issue, his successor at his decease,

ROGER WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, *b.* in 1623. This gentleman was one of the intended knights of the royal oak, his estate being then valued at £1000 per annum. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Roger Wilbraham, esq. of Dorfold, and grandaughter maternally of Thomas Ravenscroft, esq. of Bretten, by whom (who died of grief for the loss of her two eldest sons) he had, with two daughters, Alice, wife of Ralph Wilbraham, esq. of Dorfold, and Grace, of Sir Thomas Brooke, of Norton, several sons, by the eldest surviving of which he was *s.* at his decease,

RANDLE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, who served the office of sheriff of Cheshire, in 1714. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Brooke, bart. of Norton, (by Francessa-Posthuma, daughter of Thomas, son of Sir Peter Leigh, knight banneret of Lyme), and had issue,

Richard, who died in his father's lifetime.
ROGER, his heir.
Randle, of Rode, barrister-at-law, LL.D. and deputy steward of the university of Oxford, who *m.* Dorothy, only dau. of Andrew Kenrick, esq. and had, with several younger children,
   RICHARD WILBRAHAM, esq. of Rode, who wedded Mary, daughter and sole heiress of Robert Bootle, esq. of Lathom House, and dying in 1796, left with several daughters, two sons, viz.
      EDWARD BOOTLE-WILBRAHAM, now LORD SKELMERSDALE.
      Randle, of Rode.
Thomas, of the city of Westminster, LL. D. and F. R. S. Fellow of All Souls, Oxford, and also of the college of physicians. He *d. s. p.*
Henry-William, in holy orders, M.A. Rector of Shelford, Oxfordshire, *d.* unmarried.
Frances, *m.* to William Wright, esq. of Stockport.
Elizabeth, *m.* to William Falconer, esq. recorder of Chester.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Chetham, esq. of Mellor, in the county of Derby, and had issue.

Mr. Wilbraham was *s.* at his decease in 1732, by his eldest surviving son,

ROGER WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, who *m.* first, in 1731, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Brooke, bart. of Norton, but had no surviving issue. He espoused, secondly, in 1740, Mary, daughter of Thomas Hunt, esq. of Mollington, (by Mary Vere Robartes, sister and heiress of Henry Robartes, earl of Radnor, see *Burke's Extinct Peerage*), and had

GEORGE, his heir.
Roger, of London, F.R.S. and S.A. M.P. for Helston, and afterwards for Bodmin.
Thomas *d.* unmarried.

He died in 1754, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, who removed his abode to DELAMERE HOUSE, an elegant modern stone mansion, erected from the design of Wyatt. This gentleman *m.* in 1774, Maria, second daughter of William Harvey, esq. of Chigwell, in Essex, M.P. for many years for that county, by whom he had issue,

Roger, who *d.* in the lifetime of his father.
GEORGE, his heir.
William, captain R.N. *b.* in 1781.
Maria, *d.* young.
Emma.
Elizabeth.
Louisa, *d.* in infancy.
Anna, *m.* to Gen. Grosvenor.

Mr. Wilbraham, who served the office of sheriff, of Cheshire, in 1791, died in 1813, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son, the present GEORGE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Delamere House.

Arms—Az. two bars arg. Borne usually quarterly with the ancient coat, viz. arg. three bends wavy az.

Crest—A wolf's head, as in the arms.

Estates—In Cheshire, the manors of Welver, Betchton, Clive, and Crowton. Lands in Cuddington, Huxley, &c. All, with the exception of Cuddington and Crowton, for several centuries.

Town Residence—56, Seymour Street.
Seat—Delamere House, Northwitch.

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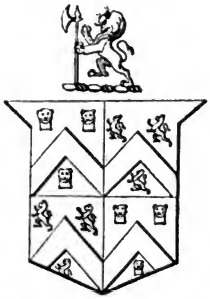
THURSBY, OF ABINGTON.

THURSBY, JOHN-HARVEY, esq. of Abington Abbey, in the county of Northampton, *b.* 27th March, 1768, *m.* in 1792, Emma, daughter of William Piggott, esq. of Doddershall, and has issue,



JOHN-HARVEY, *b.* 24th June, 1793, *m.* in 1818, Emily, daughter of Matthew Fortescue, esq. of Stephenstown, in the county of Louth, and has issue.
William, *b.* in 1795, *m.* Eleanor-Mary, daughter of John Hargreaves, esq. and has issue.
Frederick-Spencer, *b.* in 1801, *m.* in 1831, Miss Lerigens, of Aix-la-chapelle.
Charles, *b.* in 1804, *m.* in 1830, Emily, daughter of — Pentland, esq. of Blackhall, in the county of Louth, and has a daughter, Mary.
Walter, *b.* in 1808, *d.* in India.
Emma.
Sophia-Frances.
Lucy, *m.* to John Dauncey, esq. and has a daughter, Emma-Louisa.
Anne.

Mr. Thursby succeeded his father in 1798, and served the office of sheriff for Northamptonshire, in 1803.

Lineage.

This family, which claims to be of Saxon descent, derives immediately from

GOSPATRICK, lord of Thoresby, living in the time of the CONQUEST, from whom sprung

THOMAS THORESBY of Bramwheat, now Braithwaite, in Cumberland, who wedded Isabel, daughter and co-heir of Hugh Thoresby, and had two sons,

1. GEORGE, Lord of Thoresby, Barden, Dent, and Sedberg, all in the county of York, *m.* Agnes, daughter and heiress of Matthew Ellerton, and hence, lineally descended,
   RALPH THORESBY, the eminent antiquary of Leeds, and the able author of the "Ducatus Leodensis."
2. JOHN, of whom presently.

The youngest son,

JOHN THORESBY, was Mayor of Lynn Regis, in Norfolk, in 1425. His great grandson,

HENRY THORESBY, of Southacre, *m.* Helen, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Fodringhey, (by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of William Doreward,) and dying in 1536, was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS THORESBY, whose son and heir,

EDWARD THORESBY, esq. of Doreward's Hall, in the county of Essex, married Mary, daughter of Philip Bedingfeld, esq. and had issue,

CHRISTOPHER, his heir.
Edward, ancestor of the Thursbys of Braintree and of Ravenhall, Essex.
John, *d. s. p.*
Anne, *m.* to William Jenney, esq. of Cressingham, Norfolk.
Philippa, *m.* to John St. John, esq. of Hatfield Peverel, Essex.
Catherine, *m.* to the Rev. John Smith, of Southacre.
Mary, *m.* to Mr. Serjeant (Richard) Gwynne.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Dennis esq.

The eldest son,

CHRISTOPHER THORESBY, esq. or THURSBY, as the name begun now to be written, espoused Etheldred, daughter of Nicholas Timperley, esq. of Hincklesham, in Suffolk, and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM THURSBY, esq. of Witham, in the county of Essex. This gentleman sold Dorewards. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of William Pert, esq. by whom (who *a.* in 1665,) he left at his decease in 1636, a son and successor,

CHRISTOPHER THURSBY, esq. of Castor, in the county of Northampton, a justice of the

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peace for that shire, who having eminently distinguished himself in the royal cause during the civil wars, and suffered severely thereby, was chosen one of the intended knights of the Royal Oak, his estate being then valued at £1000. per annum. He espoused first, Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Nevil, of Holt, in the county of Leicester, by whom (who *d.* in 1632,) he had two sons, viz.

WILLIAM, his successor.

Nevil, who *d.* abroad *s. p.*

Mr. Thursby espoused secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Dove, of Upton, and had with other issue, who *d. s. p.*

THOMAS, of London, merchant, who left at his decease an only daughter,

Mary, *m.* in 1699, to ROBERT HARVEY, esq. of Stockton, in Warwickshire, barrister-at-law, by whom (who *d.* in 1725-6) she left at her decease (with three daughters) a son,

JOHN HARVEY, who inherited the THURSBY ESTATES in 1636.

Downhall, of Hanslope, in the county of Buckingham, who left at his decease in 1706 an only son,

RICHARD, successor to his cousin WILLIAM.

John, of London, *m.* Jane, daughter and heiress of Doctor Goad, and had with four daughters, an only son,

WILLIAM, successor and devisee of his uncle by the half blood, WILLIAM.

Elizabeth, *m.* first to Henry Robinson, esq. of Longthrop, near Peterborough, and of Whaplode, in Lincolnshire, and had an only daughter and heiress,

Mary Robinson, *m.* to Sir William Meredith, bart. of Henbury.

Mrs. Robinson wedded secondly John Hake, esq. of Tangiers.

Frances, *m.* to Thomas Jackson, esq. of Duddington.

Christopher Thursby was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WILLIAM THURSBY, esq. who purchased the manors of Abington, Little Billing, and Weston, for £13,750, from Sir John Bernard.* Mr. Thursby adopting the profession of the law, became a bencher of the Middle Temple, Custos Brevium of the Common Pleas, and Chief Justice of Ely. He *m.* first, Catherine, daughter of Thomas Fleming, esq. of Fotheringhay Park, and secondly, Audrey, third daughter of Sir William Brownlow, bart. but dying issueless in 1700, he devised his estates to his nephews, William and Richard Thursby, successively, in *tailmale*, with remainder to his niece, MARY HARVEY. He was buried in the church of Abington, where, upon a monument erected to his memory, is the following inscription in gilt letters:

MS.

"In the Vault underneath lies the body of
William Thursby, late Lord of this Manor,
Barrister at Law, Bencher of the Middle Temple, London,
Sometime Judge of the Isle of Ely, and M. P.
For the town of Northampton; in which
High employments he distinguished himself
By his great abilities, and by a most judicious
And extensive knowledge of the laws
Of the kingdom,
He departed this life at his house in the Savoy,
Westminster, February 4th A. D. 1700.
In the 72nd year of his age."
"Richard Thursby, his nephew and heir, erects this monument, out of a grateful regard to his memory."

He was *s.* in pursuance of his will by his nephew,

WILLIAM THURSBY, esq. of Abington, who served the office of sheriff for Northamptonshire, in 1724. He *d. s. p.* in six years afterwards, and was *s.* by his cousin,

RICHARD THURSBY, esq. of Hanslope and Abington, who *m.* in 1700, Elizabeth, second daughter of *the Honourable* Edward Montagu, and sister of the Earl of Halifax, but dying issueless in 1736, the estates devolved according to entail upon (the son of Mary Thursby by her husband Robert Harvey) his kinsman,

JOHN HARVEY,* esq. of Abington, who upon inheriting, assumed by act of parliament the surname and arms of THURSBY. He wedded Honor, daughter of Robert Pigott, esq. of Chetwynd, in Shropshire, by whom (who *d.* in 1781), he had issue,

1. JOHN HARVEY, his successor.
2. Walter of Shrewsbury, Captain in

* This Sir John Bernard *m.* for his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Hall, M. D. by his wife Susanna, daughter of WILLIAM SHAKSPEARE, the Bard of AVON.

* — HARVEY, esq. living about the middle of the seventeenth century, wedded Sarah, sister of Hugh Audley, esq. by whom, (who *d.* before 1656) he had a son and heir,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. D. C. L. who inherited the Audley estates in the counties of York, Nottingham, Lincoln, Warwick, Wilts, and Northampton, which had been settled upon him by his uncle, HUGH AUDLEY, of the Inner Temple. He *d.* in 1712, leaving three sons,

1. John, devisee of the Yorkshire, Nottingham, Lincoln, and Norfolk estates.
2. Hugh, devisee of the Wiltshire estates.
3. ROBERT, devisee of the estates in Warwickshire and Northampton. This gentleman wedded Barbara, daughter of Edward Pilkington, esq. and was father of

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. of Stockton, who *m.* MARY THURSBY.

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the Blues, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of William Pigott, esq. of Edgmont, in Shropshire, and had three sons and a daughter, viz.

WALTER-COTES.

John.

George Augustus, in holy orders, Rector of Abington, and Vicar of Penn, married, and has issue.

Honor, *m.* to Ralph Leeke, esq. of Longford, Salop.

3. Charles, in holy orders, Rector of Abington, and of Grandborough, Warwickshire, *d.* in 1783.
4. James, *d.* unmarried, in 1760.
5. Benjamin.
6. William Richard, *d.* young.
7. Honor, *m.* to John Burton, esq. an officer in Conway's Dragoons.
8. Frances, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Harvey Thursby represented Wootton Basset in 1741, and Stamford in 1754. He *d.* in 1764, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN HARVEY THURSBY, esq. of Abington, a vendurer of Rockingham Forest, who wedded Anne, daughter of William Hanbury, esq. of Kelmarsh, by whom, who *d.* in 1778, he had surviving issue,

JOHN HARVEY, *present* LORD OF THE SOIL.

William Spencer, lieutenant-colonel in the army, *b.* in 1769, *m.* Charlotte, second daughter of the Rev. Euseby Isham, and niece of Sir Justinian Isham, bart. and has issue.

Anne, *m.* in 1790 to John, second son of Sir George Armytage, bart.

Georgiana Tryphena,

Mr. Thursby *d.* in 1798, and was *s.* by his eldest son.

Arms—Quarterly 1st, and 4th. Or, a chevron, between three leopards' heads gules, for HARVEY, 2nd and 3rd, arg. a chev. betw. h ree lions rampant sa. for THURSBY.

Crest—A lion rampant sa. holding a battle axe erect or.

Estates—In Northamptonshire.

Seat—Abington Abbey.

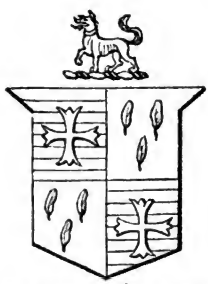
GOWER, OF BILL HILL.

GOWER-LEVESON, JOHN, esq. of Bill Hill, in the county of Berks, *b.* 5th April, 1802, *m.* 18th April, 1825, Charlotte-Gertrude-Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel and the Lady Harriet Mitchell, and has issue,

JOHN-EDWARD, *b.* 20th March, 1826.
Gertrude-Harriet-Mary.

Mr. Leveson-Gower succeeded his father, 14th September, 1816.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the noble family of GOWER, springing from

JOHN, FIRST EARL GOWER, who wedded, first, in 1711, Lady Evelyn Pierrepont, third daughter of Evelyn, Duke of Kingston, by whom he had, with other issue,

GRANVILLE, who succeeded as second Earl, and marrying Lady Louisa Egerton, daughter of Scroope, first Duke of Bridgewater, was father of

GEORGE-GRANVILLE LEVESON GOWER, the present Marquis of Stafford.

The Earl espoused, secondly, in 1733, Penelope, daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, bart. and relict of Sir Henry Atkyns, but had no surviving issue. He *m.* thirdly, Mary, widow of Anthony, Earl of Harold, and daughter and co-heiress of Thomas, Earl of Thanet, by whom he had a son,

The Hon. JOHN LEVESON-GOWER, an admiral in the royal navy, who *m.* in 1773, Frances, daughter of Admiral Edward Boscawen, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

William, *b.* in 1779, *m.* in 1804, Cathe-

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rine Maria, daughter and heiress of the late Sir Thomas Gresham, bart. and has issue,
1. William, *b.* in 1806.
2. Catherine.
3. Frances-Elizabeth.
Granville, in holy orders.
Augusta.
Frances, *m.* to John Ward, esq.
Elizabeth, *m.* to J. T. Coryton, esq. of Pentillie Castle, in Cornwall, and has issue.

Admiral Gower was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN LEVESON-GOWER, esq. a general officer in the army, who *m.* in 1796, Isabella-Mary, second daughter of the late Philip Bowes Broke, esq. and had,
JOHN, his heir.
Edward, a military officer, *b.* in 1807.
Mary.
Isabella, *m.* to John Thomas Ibbetson Selwyn, esq.
Anastasia.

General Leveson Gower *d.* in 1816, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present JOHN LEVESON GOWER, esq.

Arms—Quarterly: 1st and 4th, barry of eight arg. and gu. over all a cross patonce sa. for GOWER; 2nd and 3rd az. three laurel leaves for LEVESON.

Crest---A wolf passant, arg. collared and lined, or.

Motto—Frangas non flectes.

Estates---In Berkshire, Wilts, and Norfolk.

Seat—Bill Hill, Berks.

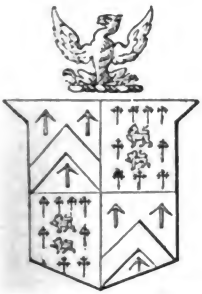
MOSELEY, OF BUILDWAS.

MOSELEY, WALTER, esq. of Buildwas Park, in the county of Salop, *b.* 8th February, 1801; *m.* 11th April, 1829, Elizabeth-Sarah, fourth daughter of S. E. Stewart, esq. of Myton House, near Warwick, and has a son,

WALTER, *b.* 11th February, 1832.

Mr. Moseley *s.* his father in 1827.

Lineage.



The family of MOSELEY is descended from EDWYN DE BILLESTON, whose son,

THOMAS DE BILLESTON, *m.* Julian, dau. and co-heiress of De Mollesley, and from their son,

JOHN DE BILLESTON DE MOLLESLEY, lineally descended,

WALTER MOSELEY, esq. of the Mere, who in the 9th of *Queen* ANNE, served the office of high sheriff for the county of Stafford. He *m.* Jane, only daughter and heiress of William Acton, esq. third son of Sir Edward Acton, first baronet of Aldenham, and *d.* in 1712, leaving a son,

ACTON MOSELEY, esq. of the Mere, high sheriff for Staffordshire, in 1757, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Herbert Croft, bart. of Croft Castle, in the county of Hereford, and had issue,
WALTER ACTON, his successor.
James, whose son,
Walter Henry, possessed the Leaton estate, in Staffordshire.

Mr. Moseley was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

WALTER-ACTON MOSELEY, esq. of the Mere, and of Glashampton, in the county of Worcester, who *d.* in 1793, leaving an only son and successor,

WALTER-MICHAEL MOSELEY, esq. of the Mere, who espoused Anne Elizabeth, dau. of Richard Jockett, esq. of Worcester, by whom (who *d.* in 1807) he had issue,
WALTER, present proprietor.
Anne Elizabeth, *m.* to J. Taylor, esq. of Moore Green, Worcestershire.
Frances.
Mary, *m.* to Denis-Henry Kelly, esq. of Castle Kelly, county of Galway.
Harriet. Lucy.

Mr. Moseley, dying in 1827, was *s.* by his only son,

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WALTER MOSELEY, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, sa. a chevron between three mill picks, arg. second and third, gu. two lions passant, arg. between nine crosslets fitché, or, impaling quarterly, per fess indented sa. and arg. with first quarter a lion guardant, or.

Crest---An eagle displayed, ermine.

Estates---The mansion house, called the Mere, and the lands attached to it, situated in the parish of Enville, and the manor of Lutley, in the county of Stafford. In the time of EDWARD I., this estate belonged to Rogerus de la Mere, from whose descendants it was purchased in 1512, by Henry Longmore, and John Moseley of Wittington. The former, in 1514, gave the Mere to Agnes, his sister, widow of John Moseley, for her life, and then to Nicholas, son of John and Agnes Moseley, and to his heirs for ever. Michael Moseley bought the manor of Lutley from Sir William Wrottesley, in 1590, and from that period it has continued to be possessed by the family.

The Buildwas estates, together with the dissolved monastery of Buildwas, exchanged by *King* HENRY VII. in 1546, for the lands with Edward Grey, Lord Powis. It was subsequently possessed by John, earl of Bridgewater, who sold it in 1648, to Sir William Acton, bart. of London; by whom it was devised to his nephew William Acton, esq. whose only daughter and heiress Jane, marrying Walter Moseley, esq. of the Mere, conveyed the estate to the Moseleys.

Seat---Buildwas Park, near Wenlock.

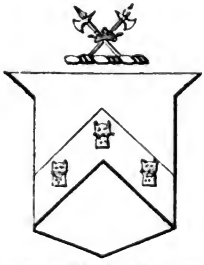
INGE, OF THORPE-CONSTANTINE.

INGE, WILLIAM PHILLIPS, esq. of Thorpe Constantine, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 26th August, 1773, *m.* 5th January, 1798, Lady Elizabeth Euphemia Stewart, fourth daughter of John, eighth Earl of Galloway, and has issue,

WILLIAM, a captain in the army.
George, in holy orders, rector of Thorpe Constantine.
Charles, an officer in the 53rd regiment.
Harriet. Susan, *m.* to Geo. More, esq. and *d.* in 1836.

Mr. Inge succeeded his father in 1785, and was high sheriff of Staffordshire in 1807.

Lineage.



The surname of INGE is both ancient and respectable, originally signifying a meadow, or watering place. Several of its members have enjoyed under the early Plantagenets, offices of trust and rank. In 1315, we find Sir William Inge appointed one of the judges of the court of King's Bench; and in 1521, Dr. Hugh Inge, an eminent divine, translated to the archiepiscopal see of Dublin.

RICHARD INGE, of Leicester, said to be descended from the KNIGHTON family of INGE, *m.* Jane, daughter and co-heir of William Ives, Vintner and Alderman of Leicester, (who purchased Thorpe in 1631,) and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM INGE, esq. of Thorpe, who was appointed by parliament in 1654, one of the judges of Leicestershire. He *m.* first Elizabeth, daughter of George Ashby, esq. of Quenby, but had no surviving issue. He espoused secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, and sister of Richard Tunsted, esq. of the county of Derby, and had

WILLIAM, his successor.
Thomas.
Richard.
Elizabeth.
Susan, *m.* to the Rev. Nathaniel Selleck, M. A. and *d.* in 1712.

He wedded thirdly Martha, daughter of Walter Ruding, esq. of Westcotes, in Leicestershire, and widow of Sir Henry Hungate, knt. He *d.* in 1662, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM INGE, esq. of Thorpe. This gentleman was sheriff of Staffordshire, in 1684. He *m.* Frances, eldest daughter of

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Sir Thomas Gresley, bart. of Drakelow, in the county of Derby, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Thomas, *d. s. p.* in 1719.
John.
Richard, in holy in orders, rector of Netherseile, in the county of Leicester, *m.* Elizabeth Mugeston, of Packington, in the same shire, and left issue.
Frances, *m.* to Richard Dyott, esq. of Freeford.
Susanna.
Brigett.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Inge, *d.* in 1690, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM INGE, esq. This gentleman was distinguished as a scholar, and an antiquary. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Robert Phillips, esq. of Newton, in the county of Warwick, and had issue,

THEODORE-WILLIAM, his successor.
Frances, *d. s. p.* in 1753.
Elizabeth, *m.* in 1734 to James Falconer, esq. of Chester, and had a son,
The *Rev.* James Falconer, L.L.D. rector of Thorpe and Lullington, archdeacon of Derby, and prebendary of Lichfield, *m.* Miss Hall, daughter of Thomas Hall, esq. of Hermitage, in the county of Chester.

Mr. Inge, *d.* in 1731, and was *s.* by his son,

THEODORE WILLIAM INGE, esq. of Thorpe, sheriff of Staffordshire, in the 12th of GEORGE II. *m.* Henrietta, daughter of Sir John Wrottesley, of Wrottesley, in the same county, and had one son and two daughters, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.
Frances, *m.* to John Cave Brown, esq. of Stretton, and *d. s. p.*
Henrietta, *m.* to Robert Bakewell, esq of Swenston, in the county of Leicester, by whom she left an only daughter, — Bakewell, heir to her father,

Mr. Inge *d.* of the small pox, in 1753, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM INGE, esq. of Thorpe. This gentleman was sheriff of Staffordshire, in the 7th GEORGE III. a justice of the peace for that county, and chairman of the sessions until his death in 1785. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Hall, esq. of Hermitage, in the county of Chester, and had surviving issue,

WILLIAM-PHILLIPS, his successor.
Henrietta.
Anne, *b.* in 1771, *d.* in 1790.

Mr. Inge was *s.* at his decease by his only son, the present WILLIAM PHILLIPS INGE, esq.

Estates—At Thorpe-Constantine, in the county of Stafford.
Newton-Regis, } in the county of Warwick.
Birmingham, }

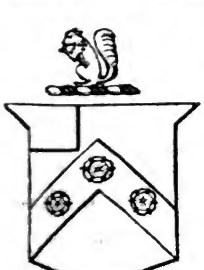
Arms—Or, on a chevron vert, three leopards heads, ar.

Crest—Two battle axes in saltier ppr. enfiled with a ducal coronet or.

Seat—Thorpe-Constantine, in the county of Stafford.

GILBERT, OF TREDREA AND EAST-BOURN.

GILBERT, DAVIES, esq. of Tredrea, in Cornwall, and of East-Bourn, in the county of Sussex, M.A. F.R.S. F.S.A. and member of most of the other literary and scientific institutions; *b.* in March, 1767, *m.* 18th April, 1808, Mary-Anne, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Gilbert, esq. of East Bourn, by whom he has issue,



JOHN-DAVIES, *b.* in 1811.
Catherine.
Mary-Susannah.
Anne.
Hester-Elizabeth.

This gentleman, who has established a very high reputation in SCIENCE and ANTIQUITIES, was originally of Pembroke-College, Oxford, where he obtained the degree of Master of Arts, in 1789. In three years afterwards he became a member of the Royal Society, and about the same period of the Linnæan Society, and of the Institution

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for cultivating the geology and mineralogy of Cornwall, of the latter he was chosen in a short time president, and he subsequently succeeded Sir Humphrey Davy in the chair of the Royal Society. In 1804 he was returned to parliament by the borough of Helstone, in his native county, and in 1806, by that of Bodmin, which he has since continued to represent. Upon most questions of a practical nature, and upon all connected with practical and useful science Mr. Gilbert's judgment has had considerable influence in the decisions of the House of Commons, and upon these topics he is esteemed by all parties an authority. Mr. GILBERT adopted *that* surname by sign manual, in place of his own patronimic (Giddy), in consequence of his marriage with the heiress of GILBERT.

Lineage.

FAMILY OF GILBERT.

The family of GILBERT held lands in Monaton, before the CONQUEST, and it has formed alliances with many of the most influential houses in the west of England; the CHAMPERNOUNS, the CHUDLEIGHS, the AGARS, the POMEROYS, &c.

JOHN GILBERT, a cadet of the House of Gilbert, of Compton Castle, in Cornwall, settled at Bletchington in Sussex, about the year 1604, and marrying Joan, daughter of Wade of Wilmington, was *s.* at his decease in 1627, by his son,

NICHOLAS GILBERT, esq. of Bletchington, who wedded in 1628 Anne, daughter and heiress of John Parker, esq. of Fokington, in Sussex, and dying in 1677, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS GILBERT, esq. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Foster, esq. of Iden, (by his wife Susan, daughter and co-heir of Francis Norman, esq. of Salehurst), which Mary Foster was eventually heiress of her brother, John Foster, esq. Mr. Gilbert *d.* in 1704, and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS GILBERT, esq. of East Bourn, who wedded Mary, sister of Charles Eversfield, esq.* M.P. for the county of Sussex, and was *s.* at his decease in 1713, by his son,

NICHOLAS GILBERT, esq. of East Bourn. This gentleman *m.* Susannah, daughter and heiress of John Acton, esq. of Ripe, in Sussex, and dying in 1774, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GILBERT, esq. of East Bourn, who wedded Anne, daughter of John Cossum, esq. of Hastings, and dying in 1782, left an only daughter and heiress,

MARY-ANNE, who espoused DAVIES GIDDY, esq. of Tredrea, which gentleman assumed the surname of his wife's family, and is the present

DAVIES GILBERT, esq.

* Lineally descended from SIR WILLIAM GORING, of Burton Park, living *temp.* EDWARD VI. through his grandson EDWARD GORING, of Okehurst, who was great-great grandfather of the said Charles Eversfield.

FAMILIES OF DAVIES AND GIDDY.

HUMPHREY NOYE, a colonel in the royal army, and son of William Noye, attorney-general to *King* CHARLES I. wedded the *Hon.* HESTER SANDYS, daughter of Henry, fifth LORD SANDYS, of the Vine, and sister and co-heir of Edwin, eighth LORD SANDYS, and had an only child and heiress,

CATHERINE NOYE,* who espoused in 1679 WILLIAM DAVIES, esq. of St. Erth, and had, with an elder son who died issueless,

JOHN DAVIES, esq. who wedded Elizabeth Phillipps of Tredrea, and dying in 1737, was *s.* by his only son,

HENRY DAVIES, esq. who eventually succeeded to the estates and representation of the family, but dying *s. p.* in 1760, was *s.* by his only sister,

CATHERINE DAVIES, who wedded in 1765 the Rev. EDWARD GIDDY, M.A. and had a son and daughter, viz.

DAVIES GIDDY.

Mary Giddy, *m.* to J. Gullemard, esq. Mrs. Giddy, and her husband, the Rev. Edward Giddy, (the latter of whom *d.* in 1814) were succeeded by their only son,

DAVIES GIDDY, now DAVIES GILBERT, esq. as already explained.

Arms—Arg. on a chevron gules, three roses of the field, a canton of the second, for difference.

Crest—A squirrel sejant gules, cracking a nut, or, charged on the shoulder with a cross crosslet, gold, for difference.

Note—The children of Mr. Gilbert bear the same arms, without the mark of difference.

Motto—Teg. Yw. Hedwch.

QUARTERINGS:

GIDDY.	SANDYS *of Ombersley.*
DAVIES.	SANDYS *of the Vine.*
NOYE.	

Estates—In CORNWALL, acquired through the heiresses of NOYE and DAVIES: in SUSSEX from the GILBERTS, EVERSFIELDS, and GILDREDGES.

Seats—TREDREA, Cornwall, and EAST BOURN, Sussex.

* Through this lady, one of the co-heirs to the BARONY OF SANDYS *of the Vine*, Mr. DAVIES GILBERT is now a co-heir to that peerage.

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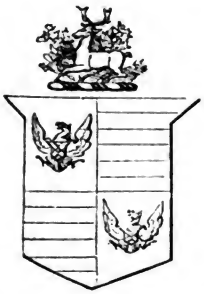
CONSTABLE-MAXWELL, OF EVERINGHAM AND CARLAVEROCK.

MAXWELL-CONSTABLE, WILLIAM, esq. of Everingham Park, in the county of York, and CARLAVEROCK CASTLE, in Dumfriesshire, *b.* 25th August, 1804. Mr. Constable-Maxwell succeeded his father in 1819, and, but for the attainder of WILLIAM MAXWELL, *fifth Earl of Nithsdale*, would have inherited the BARONY OF HERRIES, of Terregles, in the peerage of Scotland.

Lineage.



This gentleman being the heir and representative of two eminent families, it will be necessary to detail lines of both, we shall therefore begin with the

FAMILY OF MAXWELL.

SIR JOHN DE MACUSWELL, (eldest son of HERBERT DE MACCUSVILLE, who flourished under MALCOLM IV. and WILLIAM I.) was sheriff of the county of Roxburghe, in 1203, and 1207. He was afterwards (15th June, 1220) one of the guarantees to the marriage contract between ALEXANDER II. and the *Princess* JOAN of England, and he assisted at the royal nuptials. Sir John Macuswell acquired the barony of Karlaverok, and was constituted GREAT CHAMBERLAIN of Scotland, in 1231. His son and heir,

EUMERUS DE MASCUSWELL, of Karlaverok, was GREAT CHAMBERLAIN of Scotland, in 1258. He espoused Mary, daughter and heiress of Roland de Mearns, and acquired thereby the barony and castle of Mearns. By this lady he had two sons,

HERBERT (Sir), his heir.

John (Sir), upon whom his father conferred the barony of Nether-Pollock, in the county of Refrew. From this John have descended the MAXWELLS of *Pollock*, the MAXWELLS of Calderwood and of Cardness, baronets; the MAXWELLS, Earls of Farnham, and the family of Maxwell, of Park Hill, near Newark.

The elder son,

SIR HERBERT DE MAXESWELL sate in the parliament of Scone, (5th Feb. 1283-4), when the nobles agreed to acknowledge the "MAIDEN OF NORWAY," as Queen of Scotland. He died before the year 1300, having had three sons, namely Sir John, who predeceased him, SIR HERBERT, and ALEXANDER. His successor was his second son,

SIR HERBERT MAXWELL of Karlaverok, who was *s.* by his son,

SIR EUSTACE MAXWELL, the gallant defender of KARLAVEROK against the power of EDWARD I. Of this celebrated fortress there is a minute and interesting description in an old heraldic French poem, which recites the names and armorial ensigns of the knights and barons who accompanied the English monarch in 1300, in his expedition to Scotland by the western marches, then under the guardianship of Sir Eustace, as Lord Warden. Karlaverock was attacked, and at that time taken. The original of the poem alluded to is preserved in the British Museum, and the passage describing the situation and form of the castle is thus rendered by Grose:

"Karlaverok was a castle so strong that it did not fear a siege, therefore on the king's arrival it refused to surrender; it being well furnished against sudden attempts, with soldiers, engines, and provisions. Its figure was that of a shield (the ancient shield was triangular), for it had only three sides, with a tower on each angle, one of them a lumellated or double one, so high, so long, and so spacious, that under it was the gate, with a turning or drawbridge, well made and strong, with a sufficiency of other defences. There were also good walls, and deep moats filled to the brim with water. And it is my opinion, no one will ever see a castle more beautifully situated, for at one view one might behold towards the west the Irish sea, towards the north a delightful country encompassed by an arm of the sea, so that no creature born could approach it on two sides, without putting himself in danger from the sea; nor

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was it an easy matter towards the south, it being, as by the sea on the other side, there encircled by the river, woods, bogs, and trenches; wherefore the army was obliged to attack it on the east, where there was a mount."

The castle after sustaining an assault, at length surrendered, when the remnant of the garrison, only sixty in number, were in consequence of their brave defence, taken into the service of the king, and with their release, ransom free, obtained each a new garment.

Some time subsequently, it was retaken by the Scotch, and Sir Eustace Maxwell, the steady friend of *King* ROBERT BRUCE, assumed the command. It was again invested by "PROUD EDWARD," but the gallant governor, after sustaining his post with heroic resolution for some weeks, had the glory of driving the foreigner at length from his walls. Lest, however, it should afterwards fall into the hands of the foe, he caused it immediately to be dismantled and rased to the ground. For which generous devotion to his country's cause, "THE BRUCE" conferred upon him several territorial grants, *pro fractione et prostratione Castri de Carlaverok*, &c. The king also remitted him and his heirs for ever, the sum of ten pounds sterling, which was payable to the crown yearly out of the lands of Carlaverok.*

Sir Eustace Maxwell wedded a lady of his own family, Helen Maxwell, and was *s.* by his son,

HERBERT MAXWELL, who died *s. p.* and was *s.* by his uncle,

JOHN MAXWELL, who was made prisoner at the battle of Durham in 1346, and dying soon after, was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN MAXWELL, of Maxwell and Carlaverock, who sate in the parliament at Edinburgh, in 1357, and had a safe conduct into England in 1365. This Sir John left a daughter, Agnes, the wife of Robert Pollock, of Pollock, and a son, his successor,

SIR ROBERT MAXWELL, of Carlaverock. This gentleman was ambassador to England in 1413, and dying in seven years afterwards, was *s.* by his son,

SIR HERBERT MAXWELL, of Carlaverock, who was appointed steward of Annandale, by his kinsman, Archibald, Earl of Douglas. He wedded Margaret, daughter and heiress of Sir John de Cragie, of Cragie, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MAXWELL, of Carlaverock, one of the heroes of BANNOCKBURN, and slain in that celebrated battle, anno 1448. He had *m.* Janet, daughter of Sir John Forrester, chamberlain of Scotland, and left a son,

HERBERT MAXWELL, of Carlaverock, deemed the first LORD MAXWELL, who wedded, first, a daughter of Sir Herbert Herries of Terregles, and had two sons,

ROBERT, his successor.

EDWARD (Sir), of Monreith, ancestor of the Maxwells, barts. of that place.

His Lordship espoused, secondly, Katherine, daughter of Sir William Seton, of Seton, and had, with other children, GEORGE, from whom sprang the MAXWELLS OF GARNSALLOCK, and ADAM, the MAXWELLS OF SOUTHBAR. Lord Maxwell's eldest son,

ROBERT, second LORD MAXWELL, was served heir to his father on the 4th February, 1453, and he sat as a peer in parliament, anno 1467. His lordship espoused the Lady Janet Crichton, daughter of George, Earl of Caithness, and was *s.* by his son

JOHN, third Lord Maxwell, who *m.* Agnes, daughter of Sir Alexander Stewart, of Garlies, and, falling at Floddenfield, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT, fourth Lord Maxwell, hereditary sheriff of Kirkcudbright, and guardian of the West Marches. This nobleman wedded, first, Janet, daughter of William, sixth Lord Douglas of Drumlanrig, (ancestor of the Dukes of Queensbury), and had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

John, (Sir) who wedded AGNES, eldest daughter and heiress of William Herries, fourth LORD HERRIES, of *Terregles*, in the county of Dumfries, and became, *jure uxoris*, LORD HERRIES, of *Terregles*. His lordship was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM MAXWELL, sixth LORD HERRIES of *Terregles*, who wedded Katharine Kerr, sister of Mark, first Earl of Lothian, and dying in 1604, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN MAXWELL, seventh LORD HERRIES, of *Terregles*, who espoused ELIZABETH, daughter of John, sixth Lord Maxwell, afterwards Earl of Morton, and dying about the year 1627, left a son,

JOHN MAXWELL, eighth LORD HERRIES, of whom hereafter, as third Earl of NITHSDALE.

The fourth Lord Maxwell espoused, secondly, Agnes, natural daughter of James Earl of Buchan, relict of Adam, second Earl of Bothwell. He *d.* in 1546, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT, fifth Lord Maxwell, of Carlaverock, warden of the West Marches, who wedded Lady Beatrix Douglas, second daughter of James, Earl of Morton, and dying in 1552, was *s.* by his son,

* Karlaverock seems however, to have been again fortified, for in the year 1355, it was taken by Roger Kirkpatrick, and, as, Mayjor says, "levelled with the ground." Probably it was never more repaired, but its materials employed to erect a new building. The frequent sieges and dismantlings it had undergone might, in all likelihood, have injured its foundation

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JOHN, sixth Lord Maxwell, guardian of the West Marches. Upon the execution and attainder of the *Regent* MORTON, Lord Maxwell obtained as representative of his mother, a new charter of the earldom of Morton, ratified by parliament, but the attainder being rescinded, he was deprived of the dignity which passed in 1585, to the heir of entail. His lordship espoused Elizabeth Douglas, daughter of David, thirteenth Earl of Douglas, and seventh Earl of Angus, and had issue,

JOHN, Lord Maxwell.

ROBERT, who inherited after his brother.

Elizabeth, who *m.* John Maxwell, sixth LORD HERRIES, of *Terregles*, and had a son,

JOHN, seventh Lord Herries, who succeeded his cousin as third EARL OF NITHSDALE.

He *d.* in 1593, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN, seventh Lord Maxwell. A feud subsisting between the houses of Maxwell and Johnston, this nobleman slew Sir James Johnston in a rencounter, and fleeing from Scotland in consequence, he was betrayed by the Earl of Caithness, and subsequently tried, beheaded, and attainted in 1613. His lordship had married the lady Margaret Hamilton, daughter of John, first Marquess Hamilton, Duke of Chatelherault, but had no issue. His brother,

ROBERT, eighth Lord Maxwell, was created in 1620, *Lord Maxwell of Eskdale and Carlyle*, and EARL OF NITHSDALE, in remainder to heirs male, and with precedency of his father's Earldom of Morton (in 1581). This nobleman was celebrated, like his gallant ancestor, Sir Eustace Maxwell, in the time of EDWARD I., by a brave defence of Karlaverock, against the parliamentarians in 1640. His Lordship wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Francis Beaumont, and dying in 1644, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT, second Earl of Nithsdale, hereditary sheriff of Kirkcudbright. His lordship dying unmarried in 1667, was *s.* by his cousin,

JOHN MAXWELL, eighth LORD HERRIES of *Terregles*, as third Earl of Nithsdale. His lordship espoused Elizabeth, sister of John Gordon, first Viscount Kenmure, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT, fourth Earl of Nithsdale, who wedded the Lady Lucy Douglas, daughter of William, first Marquess Douglas. His lordship *d.* in 1695, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM, fifth Earl of Nithsdale. This nobleman, so celebrated for effecting his escape from the Tower of London, 23rd February, 1716, the night before his intended execution, through the heroic agency of his devoted and incomparable countess, was attainted, and the honors of the senior branch of the HOUSE OF MAXWELL, "the MAXWELLS OF CARLAVEROCK," have ever since been obscured by that penal proceeding (see Lady Nithsdale's letter, at the conclusion of this article). His lordship espoused the *Lady* WINIFRED HERBERT, youngest daughter of William, first Marquess of Powiss, and dying at Rome, in 1744, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

JOHN MAXWELL, styled Earl of Nithsdale, who espoused his first cousin, Lady Catharine Stewart, daughter of Charles, fourth Earl of Traquair, (by Lady Mary Maxwell, daughter of Robert, fourth Earl of Nithsdale,) and had an only daughter, his successor, at his decease in 1776,

LADY WINIFRED MAXWELL, who, but for the attainder of her grandfather, would have inherited the BARONY OF HERRIES, of TERREGLES. Her ladyship had espoused, in 1758, WILLIAM HAGGERSTON-CONSTABLE,* esq. (second son of Sir Carnaby Haggerston, bart. of Haggerston Castle, in the county of Northumberland,) and had three sons and two daughters, viz.

1. MARMADUKE-WILLIAM, heir to his father and mother.
2. WILLIAM, who assumed the surname of MIDDLETON.
3. Charles, who assumed the surname and arms of STANLEY. He *m.* first in 1793, Elizabeth, sister and heir of Sir Wm. Stanley, bt. of Hooton; and 2dly in 1800, Mary dau. of Thos. Macdonald, esq. by the latter of whom he has surviving issue, Thomas-Angus Constable, William Constable, Mary-Anne Constable, and Catherine Constable.
4. Mary, *m.* to John-Webb Weston, esq. of Sutton Place, in Surrey.
5. Theresa.

Mr. Constable-Maxwell died in 1797, and her ladyship in 1801. Both were succeeded by their eldest son,

MARMADUKE WILLIAM CONSTABLE, esq.

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* SIR THOMAS HAGGERSTON, bart. *m.* first, Margaret, dau. of Sir Francis Howard, knt. of Corby Castle, and had nine sons and a daughter. The eldest son, Thomas, was killed in Ireland, in the service of *King* JAMES II. and died unmarried. The second son,

WILLIAM HAGGERSTON, *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Philip Constable, bart. of Everingham, county York, and dying before his father, left, with three daughters, an only son,

CARNABY.

Sir Thomas wedded secondly, Jane, daughter and sole heiress of Sir William Carnaby, knt. of Farnham, in Northumberland, but had no other issue. He was *s.* by his grandson,

SIR CARNABY HAGGERSTON, bart. who wedded Elizabeth Middleton, heiress of Stockeld and Middleton, in Yorkshire, and had, with an elder and a younger son,

WILLIAM, who assumed the name of CONSTABLE upon inheriting Everingham and the other estates of that family. He *m.* Lady Winifred Maxwell, as in the text.

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who at the decease of his father, became "of Everingham Park, in the county of York," and at the death of his mother, "of Carlaverock Castle," upon which latter event he assumed, by royal license, the additional surname of MAXWELL. Mr. Constable-Maxwell *m.* Theresa, daughter of Edmund Wakeman, esq. of Beckford, in the county of Worcester, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Marmaduke, of Terregles, in the county of Dumfries, *b.* 1st January, 1806.
Peter, *b.* 7th February, 1807.
Henry, *b.* in 1810.
Joseph, *b.* in 1811.
Mary, *m.* to the Honorable Charles Stourton-Langdale, fourth son of Charles, sixteenth Lord Stourton.
Theresa, *m.* to the Honorable Charles Everard Clifford, second son of Charles, seventh Lord Clifford.

Mr. Constable Maxwell *d.* in 1819, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM CONSTABLE-MAXWELL, esq. of Everingham and Carlaverock.

FAMILY OF CONSTABLE.

The family of CONSTABLE assumed that surname from holding, in feudal times, the important office of CONSTABLE of Chester.

ROBERT DE LACY, younger brother of Roger de Lacy, constable of Chester, and uncle to the first Earl of Lincoln, enjoyed the lordship of Flamburgh, by gift of his brother Roger. He was grandfather of

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, of Flamburgh, who received the honour of knighthood, with three hundred others, at a grand festival at Whitsuntide, in the 34th of EDWARD I. From this Sir Robert lineally sprung, through a line of distinguished progenitors, who allied with the houses of Fitzhugh, Skipwith, Cumberworth, and Gascoigne,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, of Flamburgh, M.P. for Yorkshire, 17th EDWARD IV. and sheriff for the same county in two years after. He wedded Agnes, daughter of Sir Roger Wentworth, of Nettlested, in Suffolk, and dying in 1488, left issue,

MARMADUKE, his heir.
John, dean of Lincoln.
Philip.
Robert, of Cliffe, serjeant-at-law.
William, of Caythorpe and Wassand, living in 1528, now represented by the Rev. Charles Constable, of Wassand, whose only daughter, Mary, wedded George, eldest son of Sir William Strickland, bart. of Boynton. (See family of CONSTABLE, *of Wassand.*)

The eldest son,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, in Yorkshire, married twice: by his second wife, Margery, daughter of Henry, Lord Fitzhugh, he had no issue; but by the first, Joyce, daughter of Sir Humphrey Stafford, knt. he had (with two daughters) four sons, viz.

I. ROBERT (Sir) of Flamburgh, who, for his signal services against the Cornish rebels, was knighted in 1497. Subsequently, however, taking part in the commotions in Lincolnshire, excited by John, Lord Hussey, he was attainted and executed at Hull. He left by Jane, daughter of Sir William Ingleby, of Ripley, a son,
   SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. of Nuneaton, a distinguished warrior, whose descendant and representative,
      WILLIAM CONSTABLE, esq. of Flamburgh, was created a baronet in 1611. This gentleman, a most violent opponent of the court of CHARLES I. *d. s. p.* during the PROTECTORATE.
II. MARMADUKE (Sir), of whom we have to treat.
III. William (Sir), of Hatfield.
IV. John (Sir), of Knowlton.

The second son,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. acquired EVERINGHAM by marrying Barbara, daughter and heiress of Sir John Southell, knt. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, knt. of Everingham, who wedded Catherine, daughter of George Manners, Lord Ros, by the daughter and sole heiress of Sir Thomas St. Leger, knt. and Anne his wife, Duchess of Exeter, sister to *King* EDW. IV. The eldest son and heir,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. of Everingham, *m.* Jane, daughter of William, Lord Conyers, of Hornby, and dying in 1574, was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, knt. of Everingham, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Tyrwhit, and had (with several other children) a son and heir,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Everingham, who *d.* in 1632, leaving by Frances, daughter of Thomas Metham, esq. of Metham, a son, his successor,

PHILIP CONSTABLE esq. of Everingham, who was advanced to a baronetcy by *King* CHARLES I. and suffered severely, in those rebellious times, for his fidelity to that monarch. He espoused Anne, only daughter of Sir William Roper, of Eltham, Kent, and dying in 1664, was *s.* by his son,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, bart. of Everingham, *b.* in 1619, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Richard Sherborne, esq. of Stonyhurst, and had (with two daughters, both nuns,) a son and heir,

SIR PHILIP CONSTABLE, bart. of Everingham, *b.* in 1651. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir Francis Ratcliffe, bart. earl of Derwentwater, and his daughter and heiress,

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ANNE CONSTABLE, wedding Wm. Haggerston, esq. conveyed Everingham to that family.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, arg. an eagle displayed, sa. beaked and membered, gu. surmounted by an escutcheon of the first, charged with a saltire of the second, and surcharged in the centre with a hedgehog, or, for MAXWELL. Second, Barry of six, or and az. for CONSTABLE. Third, Az. on a bend cottised arg. three billets sa. a crescent, for cadency for HAGGERSTON.

Crest—A stag ppr. attired arg. couchant before a holly bush, ppr.

Estates—In Yorkshire, Lincolnshire, Dumfriesshire, &c.

Seats—Everingham Park, in Yorkshire, Carlaverock Castle, in the county of Dumfries.

A Letter from Winifred Herbert, Countess of Nithsdale, to her sister, the Lady Lucy Herbert, Abbess of the English Augustine Nuns, at Bruges, containing a circumstantial account of the escape of her husband, William Maxwell, fifth Earl of Nithsdale, from the Tower of London, on Friday, the 23rd of February, 1716.*

"DEAR SISTER,

MY lord's escape is now such an old story that I have almost forgotten it: but since you desire me to give you a circumstantial account of it, I will endeavour to recal it to my memory, and be as exact in the narration as I possibly can; for I owe you too many obligations to refuse you any thing that lies in my power to do. I think I owe myself the justice to set out with the motives which influenced me to undertake so hazardous an attempt, which I despaired of thoroughly accomplishing, foreseeing a thousand obstacles, which never could be surmounted but by the most particular interposition of Divine Providence. I confided in Almighty God, and trusted that He would not abandon me even when all human succours failed me.

I first came to London upon hearing that my lord was committed to the Tower. I was at the same time informed that he had expressed the greatest anxiety to see me, having, as he afterwards told me, nobody to console him till I came. I rode to Newcastle, and from thence took the stage to York. When I arrived there the snow was so deep that the stage could not set out for London. The season was so severe and the roads so extremely bad, that the post itself was stopped. However, I took horses and rode to London, though the snow was generally above the horses' girths, and arrived safe without any accident. On my arrival I went immediately to make what interest I could among those who were in place. No one gave me any hopes, but they all to the contrary assured me that, although some of the prisoners were to be pardoned, yet my lord would certainly not be of the number. When I enquired into the reason of this distinction, I could obtain no other answer than that they would not flatter me. But I soon perceived the reasons which they declined alleging to me. A Roman Catholic upon the frontiers of Scotland who headed a very considerable party; a man whose family had always signalized itself by its loyalty to the royal house of Stuart, and who was the only support of the Catholics against the inveteracy of the Whigs, who were very numerous in that part of Scotland, would become an agreeable sacrifice to the opposite party. They still retained a lively remembrance of his grandfather, who defended his own castle of Caerlaverock to the last extremity, and surrendered it up only at the express command of his royal master. Now having his grandson in their power, they were determined not to let him escape from their hands. Upon this I formed the resolution to attempt his escape, but opened my intention to nobody but my dear Evans. In order to concert measures, I strongly solicited to be permitted to see my lord, which they refused to grant me, unless I would remain confined with him in the Tower. This I would not submit to, and alleged for excuse, that my health would not permit me to undergo the confinement. The real reason of my refusal was, not to put it out of my power to accomplish my designs; however, by bribing the guards, I often contrived to see my lord, till the day upon which the prisoners were condemned. After that, for the last week we were allowed to see and take our leave of them. By the assistance of Evans, I had prepared every thing necessary to disguise my lord, but had the utmost difficulty to prevail upon him to make use of them. However, I at length succeeded by the help of Almighty God. On the 22nd of February, which fell on a Thursday, our general Petition was presented to the House of Lords, the purport of which was, to interest the lords to intercede with his Majesty to pardon the prisoners. We were however disappointed, the day before the petition was to be presented, the Duke of St. Albans, who had promised my Lady Derwentwater, to present it, when it came to the point, failed in his word. However, as she was the only English Countess concerned, it was incumbent on her to have it presented. We had but one day left before

* For this interesting document I am indebted to a little work published for private circulation, by Sheffield Grace, esq. and presented to me by that able and accomplished antiquarian, who states that he obtained the original from the library of Lord Arundel, of Wardour.

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the execution, and the Duke still promised to present the petition, but for fear he should fail, I engaged the Duke of Montrose to secure its being done by the one or the other. I then went in company with most of the ladies of quality then in town to solicit the interest of the lords as they were going to the house. They all behaved to me with great civility, but particularly the Earl of Pembroke, who, though he desired me not to speak to him, yet he promised to employ his interest in my favour, and honourably kept his word, for he spoke very strongly in our behalf. The subject of the debate was, whether the king had the power to pardon those who had been condemned by Parliament; and it was chiefly owing to Lord Pembroke's speech that it was carried in the affirmative. however, one of the lords stood up, and said that the house could only intercede for those of the prisoners who should approve themselves worthy of their intercession, but not for all them indiscriminately. This salvo quite blasted all my hopes, for I was assured that it was aimed at the exclusion of those who should refuse to subscribe to the petition, which was a thing I knew my lord would never submit to; nor, in fact, could I wish to preserve his life on those terms. As the motion had passed generally, I thought I could draw from it some advantage in favour of my design. Accordingly I immediately left the House of Lords and hastened to the Tower, where, affecting an air of joy and satisfaction, I told the guards I passed by, that I came to bring joyful tidings to the prisoners; I desired them to lay aside their fears, for the petition had passed the house in their favour. I then gave them some money to drink to the Lords and his Majesty, though it was but trifling, for I thought if I were too liberal on the occasion, they might suspect my designs, and that giving them something would gain their good will and services for the next day, which was the eve of execution. The next morning I could not go to the Tower, having so many things upon my hands to put in readiness; but in the evening, when all was ready, I sent for Mrs. Mills, with whom I lodged, and acquainted her with my design of attempting my lord's escape, as there was no prospect of his being pardoned, and that this was the last night before the exection. I told her that I had every thing in readiness, and that I trusted she would not refuse to accompany me, that my lord might pass for her. I pressed her to come immediately, as we had no time to lose. At the same time I sent to Mrs. Morgan, then usually known by the name of Hilton, to whose acquaintance my dear Evans had introduced me, which I look upon as a very singular happiness. I immediately communicated my resolutions to her. She was of a very tall slender make, so I begged her to put under her own riding-hood one that I had prepared for Mrs. Mills, as she was to lend hers to my lord, that in coming out he might be taken for her. Mrs. Mills was then with child, so that she was not only of the same height, but nearly of the same size as my lord. When we were in the coach, I never ceased talking, that they might have no leisure to reflect. Their surprise and astonishment when I first opened my design to them had made them consent, without ever thinking of the consequences. On our arrival at the Tower, the first I introduced was Mrs. Morgan, (for I was only allowed to take in one at a time), she brought in the clothes that were to serve Mrs. Mills when she left her own behind her. When Mrs. Morgan had taken off what she had brought for my purpose, I conducted her back to the staircase, and in going, I begged her to send me my maid to dress me, that I was afraid of being too late to present my last petition that night if she did not come immediately. I dispatched her safe, and went partly down stairs to meet Mrs. Mills, who had the precaution to hold her handkerchief to her face, as is natural for a woman to do, when she is going to take her last farewell of a friend on the eve of his execution. I had, indeed, desired her to do so, that my lord might go out in the same manner. Her eyebrows were rather inclined to be sandy, and my lord's were very dark and very thick; however I had prepared some paint of the colour of her's to disguise his with; I also brought an artificial head-dress of the same coloured hair as hers, and I painted his face with white and his cheeks with rouge, to hide his long beard, which he had not time to shave. All this provision I had before left in the Tower. The poor guards, whom my slight liberality the day before had endeared me to, let me go quietly out with my company, and were not so strictly on the watch as they usually had been, and the more so as they were pursuaded, from what I had told them the day before, that the prisoners would obtain their pardon. I made Mrs. Mills take off her own hood, and put on that which I had brought for her; I then took her by the hand and led her out of my lord's chamber, and in passing through the next room, in which were several people, with all the concern imaginable, I said, "My dear Mrs. Catharine, go in all haste and send me my waiting-maid, she certainly cannot reflect how late it is; I am to present my petition to-night, and if I let slip this opportunity I am undone, for to-morrow will be too late; hasten her as much as possible, for I shall be on thorns till she comes." Every body in the room, who were chiefly the

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guards' wives and daughters, seemed to compassionate me exceedingly, and the centinel officiously opened me the door. When I had seen her safe out I returned to my lord, and finished dressing him. I had taken care that Mrs. Mills did not go out crying, as she came in, that my lord might better pass for the lady who came in crying and afflicted, and the more so, because he had the same dress which she wore. When I had almost finished dressing my lord in all my petticoats except one, I perceived it was growing dark, and was afraid that the light of the candles might betray us, so I resolved to set off. I went out leading him by the hand, whilst he held his handkerchief to his eyes. I spoke to him in the most piteous and afflicted tone of voice, bewailing bitterly the negligence of Evans, who had ruined me by her delay. Then said I, "My dear Mrs. Betty, for the love of God, run quickly and bring her with you; you know my lodging, and if you ever made dispatch in your life, do it at present; I am almost distracted with this disappointment." The guards opened the door, and I went down stairs with him, still conjuring him to make all possible dispatch. As soon as he had cleared the door I made him walk before me, for fear the centinel should take notice of his walk; but I still continued to press him to make all the dispatch he possibly could. At the bottom of the stairs I met my dear Evans, into whose hands I confided him. I had before engaged Mr. Mills to be in readiness before the Tower, to conduct him to some place of safety, in case we succeeded. He looked upon the affair as so very improbable to succeed, that his astonishment when he saw us, threw him into such a consternation that he was almost out of himself; which Evans perceiving, with the greatest presence of mind, without telling him any thing lest he should mistrust them, conducted him to some of her own friends on whom she could rely, and so secured him, without which we should have been undone. When she had conducted him and left him with them, she returned to Mr. Mills, who by this time had recovered himself from his astonishment. They went home together, and having found a place of security they conducted him to it. In the mean time, as I had pretended to have sent the young lady on a message, I was obliged to return up stairs, and go back to my lord's room in the same feigned anxiety of being too late, so that every body seemed sincerely to sympathize in my distress. When I was in the room, I talked as if he had been really present: I answered my own questions in my lord's voice as nearly as I could imitate it; I walked up and down as if we were conversing together, till I thought they had time enough thoroughly to clear themselves of the guards. I then thought proper to make off also. I opened the door, and stood half in it that those in the outward chamber might hear what I said, but held it so close that they could not look in. I bade my lord formal farewell for the night, and added, that something more than usual must have happened to make Evans negligent on this important occasion, who had always been so punctual in the smallest trifles; that I saw no other remedy but to go in person: that if the Tower was still open, when I had finished my business, I would return that night; but that he might be assured I would be with him as early in the morning as I could gain admittance into the Tower, and I flattered myself I should bring more favourable news. Then, before I shut the door, I pulled through the string of the latch, so that it could only be opened in the inside. I then shut it with some degree of force, that I might be sure of its being well shut. I said to the servant as I passed by (who was ignorant of the whole transaction) that he need not carry in candles to his master, till my lord sent for them, as he desired to finish some prayers first. I went down stairs and called a coach, as there were several on the stand and drove home to my own lodgings, where poor Mr. M'Kenzie had been waiting to carry the petition, in case my attempt had failed. I told him there was no need of any petition, as my lord was safe out of the Tower, and out of the hands of his enemies as I supposed, but that I did not know where he was. I discharged the coach and sent for a sedan chair, and went to the Duchess of Buccleugh, who expected me about that time, as I had begged of her to present the petition for me, having taken my precaution against all events. I asked if she was at home, and they answered me that she expected me, and had another duchess with her. I refused to go up stairs as she had company with her, and I was not in a condition to see any other company. I begged to be shewn into a chamber below stairs, and that they would have the goodness to send her grace's maid to me, having something to say to her. I had discharged the chair, lest I might be pursued and watched. When the maid came in I desired her to present my most humble respects to her grace, who they told me had company with her, and to acquaint her, that this was my only reason for not coming up stairs. I also charged her with my sincerest thanks for her kind offer to accompany me when I went to present my petition. I added, that she might spare herself any further trouble, as it was judged more advisable to present one general petition in the name of all; however, that I would never be unmindful of my particular obligation to her grace, and which I should return very soon to acknowledge in person. I then ordered one of the servants to call a chair

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and I went to the Duchess of Montrose, who had always borne a part in my distresses. When I arrived, she left her company to deny herself, not being desirous to see me under the affliction which she judged me to be in. By mistake, however, I was admitted, so there was no remedy. She came to me, and as my heart was in an ecstasy of joy, I expressed it in my countenance. As she entered the room, I ran up to her in the transport of my joy; she appeared to be extremely shocked and frightened, and has since confessed to me, that she apprehended my troubles had thrown me out of myself, till I communicated my happiness to her. She then advised me to return, for that the king was highly displeased and even enraged at the petition I had presented to him, and had complained of it severely. I sent for another chair, for I always discharged them immediately, that I might not be pursued. Her grace said she would go to Court and see how the news of my lord's escape was received. When the news was brought to the king, he flew into an excessive passion, and said he was betrayed, for it could not have been done without a confederacy. He instantly dispatched two persons to the Tower, to see that the other prisoners were well secured, lest they should follow the example. Some threw the blame on me, some upon another. The duchess was the only one at court that knew it. When I left the duchess I went to a house that Evans had found out for me, and where she promised to acquaint me where my lord was. She got thither some few minutes after me, and told me that when she had seen him secure she went in search of Mr. Mills, who by this time had recovered himself from his astonishment, that he had returned to his house where she found him, and that he had removed my lord from the first place where she had desired him to wait, to the house of a poor woman directly opposite the guard-house. She had but one small room up one pair of stairs, and a very small bed in it. We threw ourselves on the bed, that we might not be heard walking up and down. She left us a bottle of wine and some bread, and Mrs. Mills brought us some more in her pockets the next day. We subsisted on this provision from Thursday till Saturday night, when Mr. Mills came and conducted my lord to the Venetian Ambassador's. We did not communicate the affair to his excellency, but one of his servants concealed him in his own room till Wednesday, on which day the Ambassador's coach and six was to go down to Dover to meet his brother. My lord put on a livery, and went down in the retinue, without the least suspicion, to Dover; where Mr. Michel (which was the name of the Ambassador's servant) hired a small vessel, and immediately set sail for Calais. The passage was so remarkably short that the Captain threw out this reflection, that the wind could not have served better if his passengers had been flying for their lives, little thinking it to be really the case. Mr. Michel might have easily returned, without suspicion of having been concerned in my lord's escape; but my lord seemed inclined to have him with him, which he did, and he has at present a good place under our young master. This is an exact and as full an account of this affair, and of the persons concerned in it, as I could possibly give you, to the best of memory, and you may rely upon the truth of it. For my part, I absconded to the house of a very honest man in Drury Lane, where I remained till I was assured of my lord's safe arrival on the continent. I then wrote to the Duchess of Buccleugh (every body thought till then that I was gone off with my lord) to tell her I understood I was suspected of having contrived my lord's escape, as was very natural to suppose; that if I could have been happy enough to have done it, I should be flattered to have the merit of it attributed to me, but that a bare suspicion, without proof, would never be a sufficient ground for my being punished for a supposed offence, though it might be a motive sufficient for me to provide a place of security; so I entreated her to procure leave for me to go about my business. So far from granting my request they were resolved to secure me if possible. After several debates, Mr. Solicitor-General, who was an utter stranger to me, had the humanity to say, that since I shewed such respect to Government as not to appear in public, it would be cruel to make any search after me. Upon which it was decided, that no further search should be made if I remained concealed; but that if I appeared either in England or in Scotland, I should be secured. But this was not sufficient for me, unless I could submit to see my son exposed to beggary. My lord sent for me up to town in such haste, that I had not time to settle any thing before I left Scotland. I had in my hands all the family papers, and dared trust them to nobody. My house might have been searched without warning, consequently they were far from being secure there. In this distress I had the precaution to bury them in the ground, and nobody but myself and the gardener knew where they were. I did the same with other things of value. The event proved that I had acted prudently, for after my departure they searched the house, and God only knows what might have transpired from those papers. All these circumstances rendered my presence absolutely necessary, otherwise they might have been lost, for though they retained the highest preservation after one very severe winter, for when I took them up they were as dry as if they came from

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the fire-side, yet, they could not possibly have remained so much longer without prejudice. In short, as I had once exposed my life for the safety of the father, I could not do less than hazard it once more for the fortune of the son. I had never travelled on horseback but from York to London, as I told you, but the difficulties did not arise now from the severity of the season, but the fear of being discovered and arrested. To avoid this, I bought three saddle horses, and set off with my dear Evans, and a very trusty servant whom I brought with me out of Scotland. We put up at all the smallest inns on the road that could take in a few horses, and where I thought I was not known, for I was thoroughly known at all the considerable inns on the northern road. Thus I arrived safe at Traquhair, where I thought myself secure, for the Lieutenant of the County being a friend of my lord's, would not permit any search to be made after me without sending me previous notice to abscond. Here I had the assurance to rest myself for two whole days, pretending that I was going to my own house with leave from Government. I sent no notice to my house, that the Magistrates of Dumfries might not make too narrow enquiries about me. So they were ignorant of my arrival in the country till I was at home, where I still feigned to have permission to remain. To carry on the deceit the better, I sent to all my neighbours and invited them to come to my house. I took up my papers at night, and sent them off to Traquhair. It was a particular stroke of providence that I made the dispatch I did, for they soon suspected me, and by a very favourable accident, one of them was overheard to say to the Magistrates of Dumfries, that the next day they would insist on seeing my leave from Government. This was bruited about, and when I was told of it, I expressed my surprise that they should be so backward in coming to pay their respects; but, said I, "better late than never, be sure to tell them that they shall be welcome whenever they choose to come." This was after dinner, but I lost no time to put every thing in readiness with all possible secrecy; and the next morning before day-break I set off again for London with the same attendants, and as before put up at the smallest inns, and arrived safe once more.

On my arrival, the report was still fresh of my journey into Scotland, in defiance of their prohibition.

A lady informed me, that the king was extramely incensed at the news. That he had issued orders to have me arrested; adding, that I did whatever I pleased in despite of all his designs, and that I had given him more trouble and anxiety than any other woman in Europe. For which reason I kept myself as closely concealed as possible, till the heat of these reports had abated. In the mean while I took the opinion of a very famous lawyer, who was a man of the strictest probity. He advised me to go off as soon as they had ceased searching after me. I followed his advice, and about a fortnight after escaped without any accident whatever. The reason he alleged for his opinion was this, that although in other circumstances, a wife cannot be prosecuted for saving her husband, yet in cases of high-treason, according to the rigour of the law, the head of the wife is responsible for that of the husband; and as the king was so highly incensed there could be no answering for the consequences, and he therefore entreated me to leave the kingdom. The king's resentment was greatly increased by the petition which I presented, contrary to his express orders. But my lord was very anxious that a petition might be presented, hoping that it would be at least serviceable to me. I was in my own mind convinced that it would be to no purpose, but as I wished to please my lord, I desired him to have it drawn up, and I undertook to make it come to the king's hand, notwithstanding all the precautions he had taken to avoid it. So the first day that I heard the king was to go to the drawing-room, I dressed myself in black, as if I was in mourning. I sent for Mrs. Morgan (the same who accompanied me to the Tower) because as I did not know his Majesty personally, I might have mistaken some other person for him. She stood by me and told me when he was coming. I had also another lady with me, and we three remained in a room between the king's apartments and the drawing-room: so that he was obliged to go through it, and as there were three windows in it, we sat in the middle one, that I might have time enough to meet him before he could pass. I threw myself at his feet, and told him, in French, that I was the unfortunate Countess of Nithsdale, that he might not pretend to be ignorant of my person. But perceiving that he wanted to go off, without receiving my petition, I caught hold of the skirts of his coat, that he might stop and hear me. He endeavoured to escape out of my hands, but I kept such strong hold that he dragged me from the middle of the room to the door of the drawing-room. At last one of the blue-ribbands, who attended his Majesty, took me round the waist, whilst another wrested the coat out of my hands. The petition, which I had endeavoured to thrust into his pocket, fell down in the scuffle, and I almost fainted through grief and disappointment. One of the gentlemen in waiting took the petition, and as I knew that it ought to have been given to the Lord of the Bedchamber who was then in waiting, I wrote to him,

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and entreated him to do me the favour to read the petition which I had had the honour to present to his Majesty.

Fortunately for me it happened to be my Lord Dorset, with whom Mrs. Morgan was very intimate. Accordingly, she went into the drawing-room and presented him a letter, which he received very graciously. He could not read it then, as he was at cards with the Prince, but as soon as the game was over, he read it; and behaved, as I afterwards learnt, with the greatest zeal for my interest, and was seconded by the Duke of Montrose, who had seen me in the antichamber and wanted to speak to me, but I made him a sign not to come near me, lest his acquaintance should thwart my designs. But it became the topic of their conversation the rest of the evening, and the harshness with which I had been treated soon spread abroad, not much to the honour of the King. Many people reflected that they had themselves presented petitions, and that he had never rejected any even from the most indigent objects. But this behaviour to a person of quality was a strong instance of brutality. These reflections which circulated about, raised the king to the highest pitch of hatred and indignation against my person, as he has since allowed; for when the ladies, whose husbands had been concerned in this affair, presented their petitions for dower, mine was presented among the rest, but the king said, I was not entitled to the same privilege, and in fact I was excluded; and it is remarkable, that he would never suffer my name to be mentioned. For these reasons every body judged it prudent for me to leave the kingdom; for so long as this hatred of the king subsisted I could not be safe, and as it was not probable that I could escape falling into his hands, I accordingly went.

This is the full narrative of what you desired, and of all the transactions which passed relative to this affair. Nobody besides yourself could have obtained it from me; but the obligations I owe you, throw me under the necessity of refusing you nothing that is in my power to do. As this is for yourself alone, your indulgence will excuse all the faults which must occur in this long recital. The truth you may however depend upon, attend to that, and overlook all deficiences. My lord desires you to be assured of his sincere friendship.

I am, with strongest attachment,
My dear Sister,
Yours, most affectionately,
WINIFRED NITHSDALE.

TWEMLOW, OF HATHERTON.

TWEMLOW, JOHN, esq. of Hatherton Lodge, in the county of Chester, *b.* 1st March, 1796, *s.* to the family estates at the decease of his cousin in 1831, and has become, by recent purchase, Lord of the Manor of Hatherton.

Lineage.

This family springs from LIDULPHUS TWEMLOW, of Twemlow, who was sheriff of Cheshire in the reigns of RICHARD I., JOHN and HENRY III.

GEORGE TWEMLOW, esq. of Arclyd, in Cheshire, *b.* in 1631, wedded in 1662, Mary Lingard, grandaughter and sole heiress of William Lingard, and had, with other issue, who *d. s. p.*

JOHN, of Arclyd, *b.* in 1664, *m.* in 1698, Mary, daughter of James Poole, and had a son,

GEORGE, of Arclyd, who *d.* in 1778.

Thomas, of Arclyd and Hatherton, *b.* in 1665, *m.* in 1686, Anne, great-great grandaughter of William Cholmeley, of Norton, in the county of Salop, and had one son, Thomas-Cholmeley, who died in infancy.

WILLIAM, of whom presently.

Mr. Twemlow died in 1704. His third son,

WILLIAM TWEMLOW, esq. of Arclyd and

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Hatherton, *b.* in 1666, espoused Anne, sister of Edward Wolfe, esq. of the latter place, and had two sons,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, of Alsager, from whom the Twemlows of Alsager, and of the Elms, near Betley, in Staffordshire, derive.

He *d.* in 1732, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN TWEMLOW, esq. of Hatherton, *b.* in 1700, who *m.* first, in 1728, Martha, daughter of Peter Somerfield, esq. of Shaventon and Weston Hall, by whom (who *d.* in 1730) he had an only daughter, Mary, who *d.* unmarried. He wedded secondly, in 1732, Mary, daughter of George Wildigge, esq. of Betley and Walgherton, by whom, who *d.* in 1780, he had issue,

1. WILLIAM, of Hatherton, his heir.
2. John, of Buerton, *d.* unm. in 1815.
3. Thomas, *b.* in 1744.
4. George, *b.* in 1746, and *d.* in 1763.
5. Richard, *b.* in 1751, and *d.* in 1799. His widow subsequently espoused Dr. Bellyse, of Audlem.
6. Anne, *m.* in 1761, to John Corne, of Wybunbury.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* in 1761 to John Hayes, esq. of Betley.

Mr. Twemlow *d.* in 1762, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM TWEMLOW, esq. of Hatherton, *b.* in 1734, who *m.* in 1762-3, Phœbe, daughter of Daniel Tomlinson, of Cholmeley and Wrenbury Hall, and niece of John Tomlinson, esq. of Chorley Hall, in the county of Chester. By this lady, who *d.* in 1806, he had issue,

JOHN, of Hatherton, *b.* in 1764, who *m.* in 1799, Anne, daughter of John Whitmore, esq. of Ridgwardine, in the county of Salop, by whom, who *d.* in 1815, he had an only daughter, Mary, who wedded in 1823, James Spark, esq. of Newcastle, and has issue.

WILLIAM.

Anne, who *d.* unmarried in 1780.

Phœbe, *b.* in 1768, *m.* in 1810, to Richard Sutton, esq. of Knights' Grange and Bickley Hall, who *d. s. p.* in 1816.

The second son,

WILLIAM TWEMLOW, esq. of Hatherton and Northwich, *b.* in 1770, wedded in 1794, Mary-Anne, only daughter of Peter Pickering, of Hartford, and grandaughter of Thomas Venables Beswick, of Winnington, by whom, who *d.* in 1812, he had issue,

JOHN, present LORD OF THE MANOR OF HATHERTON.

William, *b.* in 1799, and *d.* in 1822.

Mary-Anne.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, arg. a chevron or, between three squirrels sejant gu.; second and third az. two bars engrailed or, charged with three boars' heads (two and one) couped, erect, sa.

Crest—A parrot, perched on the stump of an oak tree, erect, ppr.

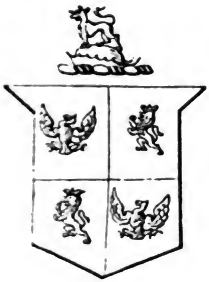
Motto—Teneo, tenuere majores.

Estates — Hatherton, Hartford, Castle Northwich, and Leftwich, in Cheshire.

Seat—Hatherton Lodge, near Nantwich.

LEWIS, OF HARPTON COURT.

LEWIS, *The Right Honorable* THOMAS FRANKLAND, of Harpton Court, in the county of Radnor, a member of his majesty's most honorable privy council, and representative in parliament for that shire, *b.* 14th May, 1780, *m.* 11th March, 1805, Harriet, fourth daughter of Sir George Cornewall, bart. by whom he has two sons, viz.



GEORGE-CORNEWALL, *b.* 21st April, 1806, barrister at law.

Gilbert-Frankland, *b.* 21st July, 1808, in holy orders, rector of Monnington, in the county of Hereford.

Mr. Lewis succeeded his father in 1797. In 1812 he was returned for Beaumaris, and served for that borough in the three succeeding parliaments. In 1826, he sate for the borough of Ennis, the next year he was appointed secretary of the Treasury, and afterwards made vice president of the Board of Trade, which latter office, and his seat for Ennis he resigned in 1828.

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Lineage.

This family has resided at Harpton Court, in the county of Radnor, as long as any record of that county exists, its lineage being traceable for many generations before the custom of using surnames prevailed in Wales.

THOMAS LEWIS, of Harpton, served the office of sheriff for Radnorshire in 1552. Towards the close of the ensuing century, his descendant,

THOMAS LEWIS, was Colonel of the trained bands of Radnor and Brecon. This gentleman *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heiress of William Howes, esq. of Greenham, in Berkshire, and had, with other issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Hugh, *b.* in 1694, a Canon of Windsor, where he *d.* in 1742.

Henry, *b.* in 1727, *m.* Henrietta-Maria Gustafin, and had, with younger children,

JOHN, *b.* in 1738, heir to his uncle THOMAS.

Colonel Lewis dying in September, 1724, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS LEWIS, esq. of Harpton Court, *b.* in 1690, who, upon the accession of the house of Brunswick was returned to parliament for the Borough of Radnor, which place he continued to represent for nearly half a century. He wedded Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Nathan Wright, baronet, of Lofts Hall, in Essex, but dying *sine prole* in 1777, was succeeded by his nephew,

JOHN LEWIS, esq. of Harpton Court, who *m.* first, 15th December, 1761, Mary, daughter of Charles Colby, esq. a commissioner in the navy, by whom he had three daughters, viz.

Elizabeth, *m.* to James Lloyd Harris, esq. of the Moor, in Herefordshire.

Sarah, *m.* to Charles Whalley, esq.

Marianne, *m.* to James Davies, esq. of Moor Court, county Hereford.

Mr. Lewis espoused secondly, in March, 1778, Anne, daughter of Admiral Sir Thomas Frankland, bart. of Thirkelby Park, in the county of York, and had issue,

THOMAS-FRANKLAND, his heir.

Anne, *b.* in 1779, *d.* in 1793.

Louisa, *b.* in 1783, *d.* unm. in 1810.

Mr. Lewis *d.* in 1797, and was *s.* by his only son, the present *Right Hon.* THOMAS FRANKLAND LEWIS, of Harpton Court.

Arms—Quarterly: first and fourth, arg. an eagle displayed, gules. Second and third, arg. a lion rampant, sa. ducally crowned or.

Crest—A Tiger, statant, on a cap of maintenance.

Motto—Expertus Fidelem.

Estates—In Radnorshire.

Seat—Harpton Court, in Radnorshire.

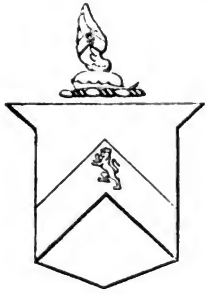
BROOKE, OF UFFORD PLACE.

BROOKE, THE REVEREND CHARLES, M.A. of Ufford Place, in the county of Suffolk, *b.* in 1765, *m.* 13th December, 1809, Charlotte, third daughter of the Reverend Francis Capper, Rector of Earlsoham, and of Monksoham, in Suffolk, by whom he has issue,

FRANCIS-CAPPER, *b.* 18th September, 1810.

Mr. Brooke is rector of Ufford and Blaxhall, in the county of Suffolk.

Lineage.



The family of BROOKE boasts of remote antiquity.

WILLIAM DE LA BROOKE, seated in the county of Somerset, was father of

HENRY DE LA BROOKE, of the Brooke near Ilchester, who espoused Nichola, daughter of Bryan Gonvile, and had a son and successor,

HENRY DE LA BROOKE, living temp. EDWARD II. whose son,

JOHN DE LA BROOKE, *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir John Madston, and dying in 1347, was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS BROOKE, knt. who *m.* Constance, daughter of — Mackenfield, and was *s.* at his decease in 1339, by his son,

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Sir Thomas Brooke, knt. who *m.* Joan, daughter and co-heir of Simon Hannap, of the county of Gloucester, and had a son and successor at his decease in 1413,

Sir Thomas Brooke, knt. who *m.* Joane, Baroness Cobham, daughter and heir of Reginald Braybrooke, and had issue,

1. Edward (Sir), knt. who was summoned to parliament as "Edwardo Brooke de Cobham, chevalier," from the 13th January, 1445, to the 30th July, 1460. His lordship was a zealous supporter of the house of York, under whose banner he participated in the victory of St. Albans, in the 33rd Henry VI., and commanded the left wing of the Yorkshiremen at Northampton. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of James, Lord Audley, and from this alliance lineally descended

William Brooke, Lord Cobham, summoned to parliament from 1558 to 1596, who *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter of George Lord Abergavenny, and had an only daughter,

Frances, *m.* first, to Thomas Coppinger, esq. of Kent, and secondly to Edmund Becher, esq.

Lord Cobham *m.* secondly, Frances, daughter of Sir John Newton, and had with other issue,

Maximilian, predeceased his father, *s. p.*

Henry, successor to the title.

George, executed and attainted in the reign of *King* James I., as a participator in "Raleigh's conspiracy," and left issue by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord Borough,

William, restored in blood, who *m.* Penelope, daughter of Sir Moses Hill, knt. and left two daughters, the elder *m.* to Sir John Denham, the poet, and the younger to Sir William Boothley, knt.

His lordship *d.* in 1596, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

Henry Brooke, Lord Cobham, summoned to parliament 24th October, 1597. This nobleman was constituted, by *Queen* Elizabeth, warden of the Cinque Ports; and in the reign of *King* James, being arraigned with his brother George, for participation in the alleged treason of Sir Walter Raleigh, they were found guilty and condemned to death, but George Brooke alone suffered. His lordship was reprieved, yet, nevertheless, attainted and left to drag on in misery and the most wretched poverty the remainder of an unhappy life in imprisonment, wherein he *d.* in 1619. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

2. Reginald.

The second son of Sir Thomas,

Reginald Brooke, of Aspall, in the county of Suffolk, *m.* Anne, daughter of — Everton, and had a son and successor,

Edward Brooke, of Aspall, who *m.* Florence, daughter of Robert Ashfield, of Stowlangtoft, Suffolk, and had issue,

George, his successor.

Robert, alderman of London, who *m.* Ursula, daughter of Robert Offey, and had a son,

Robert (Sir), knt. of Blithburgh, in the county of Suffolk, who *m.* a daughter of Humphrey Weld, Lord Mayor of London, and *d.* in 1646.

The elder son and successor,

George Brooke, esq. of Aspall, espoused Anne, daughter of John Carew, esq. and had a son and successor,

George Brooke, esq. of Aspall, who *m.* first Alice, daughter of Sir John Tyrrell, of Gipping, in the county of Suffolk, knt. by whom (who *d.* in 1580) he had a son, George, his successor. He espoused secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Withypole, of Ipswich, knt. and by her (who *d.* in 1592) he had a son, Robert.—The elder son and successor,

George Brooke, esq. of Aspall, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Edward Jobson, esq. of Douiland, in Essex, and was *s.* by his son,

Edward Brooke, esq. of Aspall, *b.* in 1613, who was himself *s.* by his son,

Edward Brooke, esq. of Aspall, who *m* Rebecca, daughter of — Wiseman, and had a son and successor,

John Brooke, esq. of Aspall and of Athelington, Suffolk, who *m.* in 1681, Mary, daughter of George Green, esq. of Athelington, and dying in 1733, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

George Brooke, esq. *b.* in 1682, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Eames, esq. by whom he left at his decease, in 1752, (his second son,)

Francis Brooke, esq. his heir, of Woodbridge in Suffolk, who *m.* first, Anne, daughter and heiress of Samuel Thompson, esq. of Ufford Place, by whom he had issue,

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Thompson, } both *d.* unmarried.
Francis, }
CHARLES, now of Ufford Place.
Edward, *d. s. p.*

He espoused secondly, Mary, daughter of the Rev. John Sparrow, rector of Skettleburgh, by whom (who *d.* in 1817), he had issue, four daughters,

Mary, } *d.* unmarried.
Louisa, }
Elizabeth.
Emma, *d.* unmarried.

At Mr. Brooke's decease, in 1799, the family estates devolved upon his eldest son, CHARLES BROOKE, M.A. present proprietor.

Arms—Gu. on a chevron, arg. a lion rampant, sa. crowned or, armed and langued of the first.

Crest—On a chapeau gu. turned up ermine, a wing erect, of the first, charged with a chevron arg. thereon a lion rampant sa. crowned gold.

Estates—In the parishes of Ufford, Bredfield, Martlesham, Westerfield, Bramford, &c. all in Suffolk.

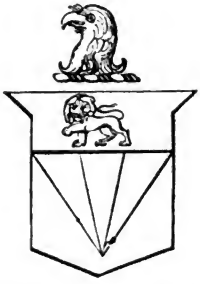
Seat—Ufford Place, near Woodbridge.

HALKETT, OF HALL HILL, NORTH BRITAIN.

HALKETT-CRAIGIE, CHARLES, esq. of Hall Hill and Dumbarnie, in the county of Fife, formerly an officer in the 93rd regiment or Gordon Highlanders, *b.* in December, 1802, *m.* in 1824, Susan, youngest daughter of Sir John Marjoribanks, bart. of Lees, in the county of Berwick, and has surviving issue,

Alice-Augusta.
Matilda.

Lineage.



The ancient name of HALKETT, in the writs of this family, is promiscuously written "de Hawkhead" and "de Halkett;" it is said to be territorial or local, and to have been assumed by the proprietors of the lands and barony of Hawkhead, in Renfrewshire, so soon as surnames became hereditary in Scotland.

The exact period when the Halketts established themselves in Fife cannot at this distance of time be precisely ascertained, but we have proofs that they were free barons, and had large landed possessions in the western parts of that county six hundred years ago. The first of the family upon record who distinguished himself by feats of arms was

DAVID DE HALKETT, a powerful warrior, living temp. *King* DAVID BRUCE, and father of

PHILLIPPUS DE HALKETT, who flourished in the reigns of *Kings* ROBERT II. and ROBERT III. In the Chartulary of Dumfermline he is designated "Dominus de Balingall, filius et haeres David de Halkett, anno Domini 1393." From this Philip de Halkett we pass over seven generations, observing the remarkable fact, that the chiefs of this family have always been in the military service of their own country, or that of some allied power.

GEORGE HALKETT, the ninth in direct lineal descent and a distinguished officer, espoused Isabella, daughter of Sir Patrick Hepburn, of Waughton, and had three sons and one daughter, of whom

SIR JOHN HALKETT, knt. the third son, continued the line of the family, and received the honor of knighthood from *King* JAMES VI. He attached himself to a military life, and went into the service of the states of Holland, where by his bravery and merit he rose to the rank of general, and had the command of a Scots regiment. He was likewise president of the grand Court Marishall in Holland. Sir John *m.* Mary Van Loon, a lady of high rank in Amster-

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dam, and was killed at the siege of Bois-le-duc, in 1628, leaving a son and successor,

MAURICE HALKETT, a captain in the army, who *m.* Mademoiselle Agnes Decquere, a lady of the province of Artois, by whom he had one son, EDWARD. Captain Maurice Halkett was killed at Maestricht in 1675, and was *s.* in his estates by his only son,

EDWARD HALKETT, a major in the Dutch service, who *m.* Judith de Pagniet, a lady of the province of Guelderland, and had issue,

CHARLES, his successor.
Lucy-Cornelia, *m.* to Colonel Van de Schepper, Governor of Surinam.
Charlotte, *m.* to Sir George Nicholson, bart.
Mary, *d.* unmarried.

Major Edward Halkett was killed at the battle of Ramilies, in 1706, and was *s.* by his only son,

CHARLES HALKETT, esq. who, following the example of his gallant ancestors, served in the army with high reputation, rose to the rank of Lieutenant-General, and had the command of a Scot's regiment in Holland. He espoused, first, Margaret, eldest daughter of Brigadier-general Corbet, by whom he had two sons and one daughter, viz.

CHARLES, his successor.
John, an officer in the army, *d.* in 1766.
Judith, *m.* to Colonel Heldevier.

General Halkett *m.* secondly, Mademoiselle Anne le Faucheur, a French lady, by whom he had issue,

Frederick, a captain in the army, father of Sir COLIN HALKETT, K C.B.

The General *d.* in 1758, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

CHARLES HALKETT, esq. who was a colonel in the Dutch service and Governor of Namur. He *m.* Anne, heiress of John Craigie, esq. of Dumbarnie, one of the lords of justiciary in Scotland, (by Susan, eldest daughter of Sir John Inglis, bart. of Cramond, and Lady Susan Hamilton, his wife, daughter of the fourth Earl of Haddington,) and by the deeds of settlement her husband and their successors were obliged to assume the name and arms of CRAIGIE, in addition to those of HALKETT. By this lady he had issue,

CHARLES, a maior in the army, *d.* in India.
JOHN - CORNELIUS, successor to his father.
Susanna-Judith, *m.* to — Cumin, esq. of Relugas, (lineally descended from the ancient family of the Comines, in France).
Margaret-Maria, *m.* to Colonel Lindesay, (claimant to the ancient title of Lord Lindesay, of Byres).
Christian-Smith, *m.* to Major Sands.
Anna-Cockburn, *m.* to John Wanehope, esq. of Niddry.
Catherine-Hermione.
Isabella-Cornelia, twin with John-Cornelius, *m.* to the Right Hon. Robert Blair, lord-president of the Court of Session, in Scotland.

The eldest surviving son and heir,

JOHN-CORNELIUS CRAIGIE-HALKETT, esq. colonel of the 55th regiment, gallantly distinguished himself in the East and West Indies, as well as in Holland, and was appointed aid-de-camp to Sir Ralph Abercromby. He *m.* in 1800, Margaret, eldest daughter of John Davidson, esq. of Ravelrig, and had issue,

CHARLES.
John, in the East India Company's military service, *b.* in 1807.
Robert-Blair, in the East India Company's service, *b.* in 1808.
Frederick, *b.* in 1810, *d.* in infancy.
Henry, *b.* in 1811.
Hannah-Isabella-Cornelia, *m.* in 1824, to William Thomas Thornton, esq. second son of the late Edmund Thornton, esq. of Whittington Hall, in the county of Lancaster, and has issue.
Anne.

Arms—Sa. three piles conjoined in base arg. and on a chief gu. a lion passant guardant, or.

Crest—A falcon's head erased ppr.

Supporters—Two falcons ppr.

Motto—"Fides sufficit" above, and "Honestè Vivo," beneath.

Seat—Hall Hill, Fifeshire.

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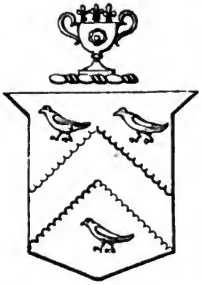
CROKER, (Privy Councillor.)

CROKER, *The Right Honorable* JOHN-WILSON, LL.D. F.A.S. *b.* 20th December, 1780, *m.* 22nd May, 1806, Rosamond, eldest daughter of William Pennell, esq. His Majesty's Consul General in the Brazils, by whom he had a son and a daughter, who both died young. Upon the decease of his children, Mr. Croker adopted the sister of Mrs. Croker, and the young lady then assumed his name. The pencil of Sir Thomas Lawrence has rendered the person of Miss Croker familiar to the public in one of his most exquisite portraits. She has lately espoused Mr. George Barrow, son of John Barrow, esq. second secretary of the Admiralty.



Mr. Croker was educated at the University of Dublin, which he entered as a gentleman commoner in November, 1796, and took his degree in 1800. During his sojourn at college, he attained very high reputation as a public speaker, in the celebrated Historical Society, and as a political writer and poet. He is the presumed author of two very popular works, published in Dublin about that period—"Familiar Epistles to Fred. Ed. Jones, esq. upon the Irish Stage," and "A Sketch of the State of Ireland, past and present." The former, which is in verse, attracted more than ordinary attention, passing, we believe, through ten editions, in as many months: the latter, as an adaptation of the style of Tacitus to English composition, is a master-piece. Mr. Croker was called to the bar in 1802, and offering himself soon after for Downe, in Ireland, stood a contested election; but not being returned, presented a petition to parliament. Another dissolution taking place, pending the petition, Mr. Croker was chosen at the ensuing election, in 1807. From that time he has had a seat in every succeeding parliament. Upon the promotion of Lord Plunket to the bench, in 1827, Mr. Croker succeeded that eminent person in the representation of the University of Dublin, wherein he had taken the degree of LL.D. in 1809: in which year he was appointed secretary of the admiralty; an office which he filled until the retirement of his party, in 1830. He had been sworn a member of the most honorable privy council in 1828.

Mr. Croker, during his long tenure of office, confined his parliamentary exertions to subjects connected with his own department, which afforded but few occasions of distinction; but he has acquired great celebrity as leader of the present opposition (1832) in the House of Commons, and his abilities have been confessed by all parties. As a political writer, many articles in the Quarterly Review, and several pamphlets upon public questions, bear ample testimony to his great powers; and a late edition of Boswell's Life of Johnson is a proof of more literary diligence than might have been expected from a poet or a politician.

Lineage.

This family is a branch of the house of CROKER of *Lineham*, in the county of Devon; a name so eminent, that there is an old proverbial distich, or, as Prince (*Worthies of Devon*, p. 274) calls it "old saw," recording its antiquity;

> "Croker, Crewys, and Copplestone,
> When the Conqueror came, were at home."

The Crokers, who were originally seated at Croker's Hele and Crokern Tor in Devonshire, became possessed, in the reign of Henry IV., of Lineham by marriage with the heiress of Churchill of that place; the younger male branch of which family was the ancestor of the Duke of Marlborough.

The genealogy of Croker of Lineham is preserved with singular accuracy by Prince, Risdon, Pole, and the other Devonshire historians, as well as by numerous

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pedigrees and documents. There were no less than eleven John Crokers in almost uninterrupted succession, but the last male of the elder branch was Courteney Croker, esq. whose only daughter and heiress, Mary, carried the estate of Lineham into the family of Bulteel, and her grandson John Bulteel, esq. of Fleet, is now the owner of Lineham; which is in the occupation of his eldest son John Croker Bulteel, esq. who is thus the representative by the female line of the eldest branch of Croker of Lineham. This gentleman married in 1826, the Lady Elizabeth Grey, third daughter of Charles, present Earl Grey, K.G. and has been lately elected M.P. for South Devon.

We must now return to a junior, but at present the eldest male branch.

THOMAS CROKER, of Trevillas in Cornwall, second son of the eighth John Croker, of Lineham, obtained, about 1600, the estate of Ballyanker, in the county of Waterford, and while his eldest son remained at Trevillas, (where his branch is supposed to be extinct,) his younger sons, to the number of three or four, migrated to Ireland. They were all probably soldiers; two of them, at least, were so, and distinguished themselves by the extraordinary and almost romantic capture of the city of Waterford in 1650, (see *Smith's History of Waterford*, p. 147, ed. 1774.) One of the brothers was killed in the assault, the other (Hugh) after a long course of military service settled at Ballyanker, and died in January, 1663: from him the subject of this notice is descended. His youngest brother, Edward, (who was murdered in the Irish Rebellion, 1641) was ancestor of the respectable and wealthy family of Croker, of Ballynagard, in the county of Limerick, and of a numerous branch settled in Dublin, to which belong, Anne, daughter and heiress of Thomas Croker, and wife of Sir Ed. Crofton, bart. created in 1797, baroness Crofton, in her own right; and Thomas Crofton Croker, esq. known by many literary works.

WALTER CROKER, esq. of Tallow, the grandson of Hugh, the captor of Waterford, had by the daughter of Reginald Bray, an only son,

JOHN CROKER, esq. of Tallow, who was born in 1695, and died in 1743, leaving three sons,—Walter, of Tallow,—John, of Airhill,—and William, of Johnstown.—John left male issue, but William left an only daughter and heiress, who married the Honorable Frederick Mullins, son of the first Lord Ventry, and by him has issue, Frederick-William, M.P. for Kerry, in the present and two last parliaments.

WALTER CROKER, esq. the eldest son of John, of Tallow, was born in 1728, and *d.* in 1789, leaving by his wife, Sarah, daughter of Edward Devereux, esq. one son,

JOHN CROKER, esq. surveyor-general of Ireland, who was born in 1743, and died 29th April, 1814. He was a man of great abilities and most amiable manners, an able and upright public servant, and in private life universally respected and beloved. He *m.* first, Catherine Welstead, by whom he had surviving issue,

WALTER, who *d.* in 1807, leaving two daughters, CATHERINE, the wife of William Pennell, jun. esq. and MARGARET, the wife of Lovell Pennell, esq. These ladies both have issue.

Catherine, *m.* to William Miller, esq. of Londonderry, and has issue.

Mr. Croker espoused secondly, Hester, only daughter of the Rev. Richard Rathborne, and grandaughter of Admiral Wilson,* by whom he had two surviving children, the present *Right Honorable* JOHN WILSON CROKER, and Sarah, who *m.* in 1815, the very Rev. J. T. Bond, dean of Ross. Mrs. Bond died in 1820, leaving an only son, who died in 1828.

The surveyor-general *d.* 29th April, 1814, at the age of seventy-three.

Arms—Arg. a chevron engrailed gu. between three ravens, ppr. quartering the arms of CHURCHILL.

Crest—A drinking cup or, with three fleurs de lis ppr. above it, and on the centre a rose; granted by EDWARD IV. to Sir John Croker, who accompanied him as cup and standard bearer in his expedition to France in 1475. The addition of the fleurs de lis was one of those attentions on the part of the French monarch LOUIS XI. by which he sought to flatter the vanity, and gain the good will of the English gentry. On ministers, says Hume, he lavished pensions and pecuniary bribes. To less influential persons such lighter but more honorable favors as this to Sir John Croker. The tomb of this Sir John Croker, "*Signifer Regis Edvardi Quarti*," with his effigy in brass, is in perfect preservation in the church of Yealhampton, near Lineham.

Mottoes—Deus alit eos, and, J'ay ma foi tenu à ma puissance.

Town Residence—Kensington Palace.

Seat—Molesey Grove, Surrey.

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* By Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Paschall, esq. of Great Baddow, in Essex; Catherine, the other co-heiress, married Lord Verney, and was mother of the last Earl Verney, who left an only daughter, MARY, created, in 1792, BARONESS FERMANAGH. Her ladyship *d.* unmarried in 1810, when the title became extinct.

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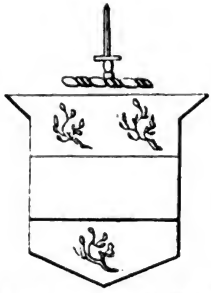
ROUNDELL, OF GLEDSTONE.

ROUNDELL, RICHARD-HENRY, esq. of Gledstone, in the county of York, *b.* 14th December, 1776, a magistrate for the West Riding, and in the nomination list of sheriffs for Yorkshire for the present year (1833).

Lineage.



JOHN ROUNDELL, of Screven, near Knaresborough in Yorkshire, living *temp.* HENRY VI., wedded Jane, daughter of Thomas Coke of York. His great grandson,

RICHARD ROUNDELL, of Screven, living in the reigns of HENRY VII. and HENRY VIII., *m.* and had issue,

I. JOHN, his heir.

II. Christopher, great grandfather of WILLIAM ROUNDELL, of Marston and Hutton Wansley, in Yorkshire, who *m.* Anna, daughter and sole heir of Edward Elwick, an alderman of York, and had a son,

RICHARD, of Hutton Wansley, who *m.* first, Frances, daughter of Sir William St. Quintin, bart. and had one daughter,

Sarah, who wedded first, Sir Darcy Dawes, son of Archbishop Dawes, and had a daughter,

ELIZABETH DAWES, *m.* to Edwin Lascelles, esq. ancestor of the present Lord Harewood.

Lady Dawes *m.* secondly, Beilby Thompson, esq. of Eskrigg, and had two sons and a daughter, viz.

1. Beilby Thompson, of Eskrigg, who *d. s. p.*
2. Richard Thompson, of Eskrigg.
3. Jane Thompson, *m.* to Sir Robert Lawley, bart.

Richard Roundell, of Hutton Wansley, *m.* secondly, and had two other daughters namely,

Mildred, *m.* to John Bourchier, esq.

Catherine, *m.* to the Hon. Christopher Dawney.

In consequence of the extravagance of his elder son, Richard Roundell, of Screven, devised a moiety of his estates to his younger son CHRISTOPHER, from whom they descended to, and are now enjoyed by the Earl of Harewood and Mr. Beilby Thompson. His eldest son,

JOHN ROUNDELL, esq. of Screven, *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Sill, esq. and was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

MARMADUKE ROUNDELL, esq. of Screven, living in the time of ELIZABETH, who wedded in 1558, Jane, daughter of Thomas Lowe, esq. but dying issueless, was *s.* by his brother,

WILLIAM ROUNDELL, esq. of Screven, who *d.* in 1582, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM ROUNDELL, esq. This gentleman appears to have been a juror at a presentment at the Castle of Knaresborough, 6th August, 1611, and to have been sworn before Sir Oliver Cromwell, master of his highness's game, Sir William Fleetwood, knt. his majestie's surveyor-general, Sir Henry Slingsby, Sir William Ingleby, deputy stewards, and Richard Hutton, serjeant-at-law, steward of the house and manor of Knaresborough. Mr. Roundell wedded in 1591, Elizabeth Lightfoot, and had, with two daughters,

1. William, who *d. s. p.* in 1684.
2. Peter, of Screven, who left,

PETER, of Screven, *d. s. p.*

Henry, *d. s. p.* in 1644.

Mary, *m.* in 1651, to Simon Warner, esq. of Knaresborough, and had issue,

John Warner, of Harwich.

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Symon Warner, of Knaresborough.
Peter Warner, of the Tower of London.
Anne.
Jane, *m.* and had three daughters.
Ellen.
3. JOHN, of whom presently.
4. Thomas.

The third son,

JOHN ROUNDELL, esq. *b.* in 1667, wedded in 1635, Maria, daughter of — Wade, esq. and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. Edward.
3. John, who seems to have held lands, and resided at Bondgate. He left two sons and four daughters at his decease, in 1708.
4. Henry, who *d.* in 1683, leaving one son and a daughter.
5. David, who *d.* in 1679, leaving an only daughter, Mary, *m.* to George Johnson, esq.
6. Margaret, *m.* in 1688, to the Rev. Docter Robert Ward, rector of Slingsby and Stokesley, and prebendary of York, by whom she had issue.
7. Anne, *m.* to John Lightfoot, esq.

Mr. Roundell *d.* in August, 1657, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM ROUNDELL, esq. of Screven, *b.* in 1636, *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Brown, esq. of Polespring, in the county of York, by whom (who *d.* 27th December, 1702) he had two sons and a daughter, viz.

Peter, who *d.* (in the lifetime of his father) anno 1683.
WILLIAM, heir.
Ann.

He *d.* in 1707, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

WILLIAM ROUNDELL, esq. of Screven, *b.* in 1666. This gentleman wedded first, Ellen, daughter of — Oddy, esq. of Kirby Malzeard, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Laurence Danson, esq. of Spring House, and had (with two daughters) four sons,

I. Peter, *d.* in infancy.
II. Mark, *d. s. p.* in 1735.
III. William, of the city of York, M.D. *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Tomlinson, esq. of York, and dying in 1762, left an only dau. and heiress,
MARGARET-ELEANOR, who wedded John Toke, esq. of Goddinton, in Kent, high sheriff of that county, in 1770, and had, with two daughters,
1. NICHOLAS ROUNDELL TOKE, of Goddinton, *b.* in 1764, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Bourchier Wrey, bart. and has an only surviving daughter, Ellen-Maria, wedded to her cousin, Rev. Henry Bourchier Wrey.
2. John Toke, in holy orders, M. A. of Beaksbourn, in Kent, who *d.* unm. in 1820.
3. William Toke, in holy orders, who *m.* Sarah, dau. of Rev. Dr. Marens West, and has issue.

IV. DANSON, of whom presently.

The fourth and youngest son,

DANSON ROUNDELL, esq. a deputy lieutenant and justice of the peace for the West Riding of the county of York, espoused, 19th September, 1739, Ellen, daughter and heiress of Christopher Hartley,* of Marton, in Craven, by whom he acquired that estate, and had two surviving sons. He *d.* 30th May, 1770, and was *s.* by the elder

RICHARD ROUNDELL, esq. of Marton. This gentleman commenced the erection of the splendid MANSION OF GLEDSTONE, but died before its completion. Not having married, he was *s.* by his brother,

The Rev.

WILLIAM ROUNDELL, of Gledstone House, A.M. a deputy lieutenant and justice of the peace for the West Riding. He wedded in 1775, Mary, youngest daughter of the Rev. Henry Richardson, A.M. rector of Thornton, and grandaughter of Richard Richardson, esq. of Bierley, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

RICHARD-HENRY, his heir.
William-Hartley, *b* in 1780, who assumed in 1786, the surname of CURRER, upon succeeding to the fortune, and in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his maternal uncle, JOHN CURRER, esq. of Bierley, (fourth son of Richard Richardson, esq. of Bierley,) who had himself taken his mother's name, upon inheriting her paternal estate at Kild-

* The family of HARTLEY was one of great antiquity in the county of York. It derived from the Hartleys, of Chorton, in Lancashire, whose pedigree is entered in the College of Arms.

HENRY HARTLEY, of Marton, living about the middle of the sixteenth century, was lineal ancestor of

ANTHONY HARTLEY, esq. who wedded in 1662, Ellen, daughter of Francis Gledstone, esq. of Marton, and eventually heir to her grandnephew, Walter Gledstone. By this lady he had, with other issue,

CHRISTOPHER HARTLEY, esq. who *m.* twice, but left issue only by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Coates, esq. of Royal House, son of Roger Coates, M.P. for Yorkshire, viz. an only surviving daughter and heiress,

ELLEN HARTLEY, who *m.* as in the text DANSON ROUNDELL.

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wick. Mr. Roundell Currer, *d.* 12th February, 1801, when the Currer estates passed to his next brother,

Danson-Richardson, M.A. *b.* in 1781, who assumed the surname of CURRER upon inheriting the estates of that family at the decease of his brother in 1801.

Henry-Dawson, *b.* in 1785, M.A. in holy orders, fellow of Magdalen College, Oxford.

Savile-Richardson, *b.* in 1789.

Septumus-Warde, *b.* in 1795.

Eleanor.

Mary-Anne.

Dorothea-Richardson, *m.* in 1810 to the Rev. William Jocelyn Palmer, M.A. Rector of Mixbury, in Oxfordshire.

Mr. Roundell was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present RICHARD-HENRY ROUNDELL, esq. of Gledstone.

Arms—Granted in 1676, or, a fesse gules, between three olive branches, vert.

Crest—A sword in pale arg. hilt and pommel or, gripe gules.

Seat—Gledstone House, near Skipton, Yorkshire.

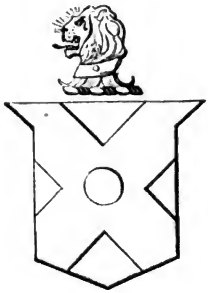
YORKE, OF ERTHIG.

YORKE, SIMON, esq. of Erthig, in the county of Denbigh, *b.* 27th July, 1771, *m.* 11th March, 1807, Margaret, younger daughter of the late John Holland, esq. of Teyrdan, Denbighshire, and has issue,

SIMON, *b.* 6th April, 1811.
John, *b.* 11th June, 1814.
Anne.
Etheldred.

Mr. Yorke, who represented Grantham for some time in parliament, *s.* his father in 1802.

Lineage.



The family of YORKE, of which the EARL OF HARDWICKE is the elder branch, came originally from Calne, in Wiltshire, and were afterwards seated at Dover, and in the Isle of Thanet.

"The ancestry of the celebrated nobleman (Lord Hardwicke)," says Sir Egerton Brydges, "though of no particular lustre either from its titles or estates, was by no means mean, insignificant in point of property, or unrespectable in alliances."

SIMON YORKE, esq. of Dover, a person of good landed property, *d.* in 1682, leaving with other issue,

I. PHILIP, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Richard Gibbon, esq. of Dover, and widow of Edward Gibbon, esq. of Westcliffe, by whom he had, with other issue,

PHILIP, who having attained the highest eminence in the legal profession was appointed solicitor-general in 1720, at the early age of twenty-nine, and attorney-general in four years afterwards, which office he continued to hold until 1733, when he was elevated to the bench and peerage, as *lord chief justice of the court of King's Bench*, and *Baron Hardwicke, of Hardwicke*. In 1736-7 his lordship was constituted LORD HIGH CHANCELLOR OF GREAT BRITAIN, and advanced 2nd April, 1754, to a viscount and earldom, by the titles of *Viscount* Royston and EARL OF HARDWICKE. The grandson of this eminent lawyer is,

PHILIP YORKE, third and present EARL OF HARDWICKE.

II. SIMON.

The younger son,

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SIMON YORKE, esq. espoused Anne, sister and heiress of John Meller, esq. of Erthig, a master in Chancery, and had a son and successor,

SIMON YORKE, esq. of Erthig, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter and heiress of Matthew Hutton, esq. of Newnham, in the county of Hereford, and dying 28th July, 1767, was *s.* by his son,

PHILIP YORKE, esq. of Erthig, F.A.S. a person not unknown in the literary circles, who *m.* 2nd July, 1770, Elizabeth, younger daughter of the Right Hon. Sir John Cust, bart. speaker of the house of commons, and sister of the first Lord Brownlow, and left at his decease, 19th February, 1804, with other issue, SIMON YORKE, esq. present representative of this branch of the family.

Arms—YORKE. Arg. on a saltire az. a bezant.

MELLER. Arg. on a chief indented sa. three blackbirds, beaked and membered or.

Crest—A lion's head erased ppr. collared gu. charged with a bezant.

Motto—Nec cupias nec metuas.

Estates—In the county of Denbigh, first possessed, by purchase, in the year 1713.

Seat—Erthig.

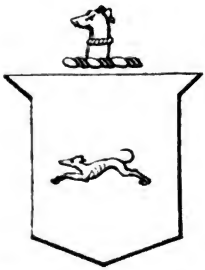
MORETON, OF LITTLE MORETON.

MORETON, *The Reverend* WILLIAM-MORETON, M.A. of Little Moreton, in the county of Chester, *b.* 2nd April, 1759, *m.* first, Louisa, second daughter of William Borde, esq. of Paxhill, but had by her no issue. He wedded, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of the Reverend Henry Hutton, Rector of Beaumont, in Essex, and has had issue,

WILLIAM-PEPPERRELL-FREWEN, *b.* 6th March, 1817.
Edward, *b.* in 1819, and *d.* in 1830.
Frances-Arabella.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Moreton succeeded at the decease of his father, *The Reverend* RICHARD MORETON.

Lineage.



SIR GRALAM DE LOSTOCK, knt. living in the time of HENRY III. fourth in male descent from Hugh de Runchamp, *m.* Letitia, daughter and heiress of — de Moreton, and had issue,

1. RICHARD, whose daughter and eventual heiress,
   JOAN, *m.* William de Toft, younger brother of Roger de Toft, and ancestor of the Holfords of Holford.
2. Robert.
3. GEOFFRY.

To the youngest son,

GEOFFRY DE LOSTOCK, his father gave a moiety of Rode, and he was *s.* by his son (who assumed the surname of his paternal grandmother's family),

GRALAM DE MORETON, who *m.* first Alicia, de Lymme, and secondly, Margery, daughter of Robert de Kingsley. This gentleman was lineal ancestor, through a long line of eminent persons, of

WILLIAM MORETON, esq. of Moreton, in the county of Chester, to which manor he succeeded at the decease of his brother, Sir Richard Moreton. This William Moreton occurs 5th Henry VIII. in an award made between him and Thomas Rode, of Rode, by Sir William Brereton, to whose decision an important dispute was left by George Bromley, senior justice of Chester, who had been joined with him in arbitration. The dispute was "*which shuld sit highest in the churche, and for most goe in procession:*"

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And the said William Brereton awarded the honour to the gentleman "that may dispende in lands by title of enheritaunce ten marks or above more than the other." He espoused Alice, daughter of Sir Andrew Brereton, knt. of Brereton, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Ralph.
Elizabeth, *m.* to William Yardley, esq. of Yardley.
Margaret, *m.* to Sir George Calveley, of Lea.
Alice, *m.* to Thomas Rode, esq. of Odd Rode.
Anne, *m.* to William Golborne, esq.

Mr. Moreton died in the 17th of HENRY VIII. and was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM MORETON, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Fulleshurst, knt. of Crewe, and dying in the 5th of *Queen* ELIZABETH, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN MORETON, esq. of Moreton. This gentleman flourished towards the close of the sixteenth century; he *m.* twice, but had issue only by his first wife, Anne, daughter of John Davenport, esq. of Davenport, and co-heir of her mother, Jane, daughter and heiress of Richard Massey, esq. of Tatton. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM MORETON, esq. of Moreton, *b.* in 1577, *m.* Jane, daughter of Thomas Lancaster, esq. of Rainhill, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
William, who *d. s. p.*
EDWARD, successor to his eldest brother.
Peter, ambassador from *King* CHARLES I. to Genoa and Tuscany.
Philip.
Ralph.
Mary, *m.* to Jonathan Woodnoth, esq. of Shavington.
Jane.
Anne.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Randle Rode, esq. of Odd Rode.

The eldest son,

JOHN MORETON, esq. *b.* in 1596, succeeded his father, but dying without issue, the estates devolved upon his next surviving brother,

The Rev. EDWARD MORETON, of Little Moreton, Fellow of King's College, Cambridge, rector of Tattenhall, Barrow, and Sephton, and prebendary of Chester Cathedral. This gentleman espoused Margaret, daughter of Sir William Webb, knt. and niece of Archbishop Laud, by whom he left at his decease, 28th February, 1674, a son and successor,

The Right Rev. WILLIAM MORETON, of Little Moreton, Lord Bishop of Meath, *b.* in 1641, consecrated Bishop of Kildare, and translated to the see of Meath. This learned prelate espoused first, Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Atkins, bart. of Clapham, and had issue,

RICHARD, in holy orders, who *d. s. p.*
Annabella, *m.* to William Taylor, esq. of Dublin, Barrister at Law, and dying in 1774, aged eighty-six, left a son,
The Rev. RICHARD TAYLOR, of whom hereafter, as heir to his uncle.

His lordship wedded secondly, Mary, dau. of — Harman, esq. and relict of Sir Arthur Jones, by whom he had,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Mary, *m.* to Lieut.-Colonel Howard, second brother of Frances Lord Howard, of Effingham.

The only surviving son and heir of Bishop Moreton,

SIR WILLIAM MORETON, Barrister at Law, was appointed Recorder of the city of London, and received the honour of knighthood in 1755. He *m.* Jane, relict of John Lawton, esq. of Lawton, but dying issueless in 1763, he devised his estates to the son of his half-sister, his nephew,

The Rev. RICHARD TAYLOR, who in consequence assumed the surname and arms of MORETON, and became "of LITTLE MORETON." He *m.* Frances, daughter of William Scrase, esq. of Brighton, and had issue,

WILLIAM-MORETON, his heir.
Annabella, *d.* unmarried in 1787.
Sally, *m.* in 1789 to the Rev. Edward Frewen, D.D. of Northiam, in Sussex, only surviving son of Thomas Frewen, M.D.

MR. (Taylor) MORETON was *s.* at his decease by his only son, the present *Rev.* WILLIAM MORETON MORETON.

Arms—Ar. a greyhound courant sa. quartering the arms of Jordan of Macclesfield, a co-heiress of which family was married to one of the ancestors of Mr. Moreton. There is a gateway still in Macclesfield, known by the name of the "Jordan Gate."

Crest—A wolf's head couped, arg.

Family Seat—Little Moreton, Cheshire.

Present Residence—Westerham, in Kent.

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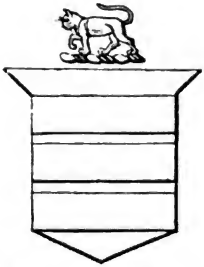
PUSEY, OF PUSEY.

PUSEY, PHILIP, esq. of Pusey, in the county of Berks, *b.* 25th June, 1799, *m.* 4th October, 1822, Lady Emily-Frances-Theresa Herbert, second daughter of Henry, present Earl of Carnarvon, by whom he has issue,

Edith-Lucy-Bouverie, *b.* 15th June, 1831.

Mr. Pusey lately represented the borough of Cashal in parliament. He *s.* his father in 1828.

Lineage.



The family of RADNOR (of which noble house this is a junior branch) claims an ancient and honourable extraction.

SIR JACOB BOUVERIE, who was elevated to the peerage 29th June, 1747, by the titles of *Lord Longford* and VISCOUNT FOLKSTONE, wedded first, Mary, daughter and heiress of Bartholomew Clarke, esq. of Hardingstone, in the county of Northampton, by whom he had with other issue,

1. WILLIAM, second Viscount Folkestone, who was raised to the dignity of EARL OF RADNOR, with remainder, in default of male issue to the male descendants of his deceased father, 29th Oct. 1765. His lordship's grandson is the present
   WILLIAM PLEYDELL-BOUVERIE, third Earl of Radnor. (*See Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)
2. Edward, M. P. for Northampton, who *m.* Harriet, daughter of Sir Everard Fawkener, knt. and had several children.
3. Anne, *m.* to the Hon. and Rev. George Talbot, D.D.
4. Mary, *m.* to Anthony-Ashley, Earl of Shaftesbury,
5. Charlotte, *m.* to John Grant, esq. of White Waltham.

His lordship espoused secondly, in May, 1741, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Robert Lord Romney, and had an only surviving son,

HON. PHILIP BOUVERIE, who assumed the surname of PUSEY,* and *m.* in 1798, Lucy, eldest daughter of Robert, fourth Earl of Harborough, and widow of Sir Thomas Cave, bart. by whom he had issue,

- PHILIP, his heir.
- Edward, in holy orders, M. A. Regius, professor of Hebrew in the University of Oxford, *b.* in 1800, *m.* 12th June, 1828, Maria Catherine, youngest daughter of the late John Raymond Barker, esq.
- William, *b.* in 1810.
- Elizabeth, *m.* in 1827 to the Rev. James H. Montagu Luxmore.
- Charlotte.

Mr. Pusey dying in 1828, the estates, and representation of this branch of the family devolved upon his eldest son, PHILIP PUSEY, esq. present proprietor of Pusey.

Arms—Gu. three bars arg.
Crest—A cat passant.
Estates—In Berkshire and Kent.
Town Residence—Upper Brook Street.
Seat—Pusey, near Faringdon, Berks.

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* The Puseys are said to have been settled at Pusey prior to the Conquest, and to have held that estate by Cornage, or the service of a horn, under a grant of CANUTE. Camden and Fuller both make mention of this circumstance.

The family became extinct in the male line in 1710, by the death of

CHARLES PUSEY, esq. who bequeathed the manor to his nephew,

JOHN ALLEN, esq. who thereupon assumed the additional surname of PUSEY. This gentleman dying without issue, the estate was further entailed upon Mr. Pusey's sisters and his nieces, the Allens, which last ladies alternately inherited and joined in settling the estate upon the Hon. Philip Bouverie, nephew of Mr. Allen Pusey's wife, who was daughter of Sir William Bouverie, bart.

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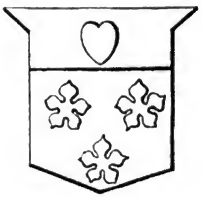
HAMILTON-ROWAN, OF KILLYLEAGH.

ROWAN-HAMILTON, ARCHIBALD, esq. of Killyleagh Castle, in the county of Down, *b.* in London, *anno* 1751, espoused in 1781, Sarah-Anne, daughter of Walter Dawson, esq. of Carrickmacross, in the county of Monaghan, and has had issue,



GAWEN-WILLIAM, *b.* at Paris in 1783, an officer in the royal navy, now in command of his majesty's ship the DRUID, and a companion of the Bath, *m.* in 1817, Catherine, daughter of Lieutenant General Cockburn, and has ARCHIBALD, with other children.
Sydney, *b.* in 1789, *m.* —— daughter of the late Henry Jackson, esq. of Carrickmacross, and has a family.
Archibald, an officer in the army, *d.* at Gibraltar.
Frederick, of the R.N. *b.* in 1793, killed on the coast of Spain, in 1811.
Dawson, *b.* in 1801, married and has issue.
Jane.
Elizabeth, *m.* to —— Beresford, esq.
Mildred, *m.* to Sir Edward Ryan, knt. of the order of Maria-Theresa, and has a son.
Harriet, *m.* to Crofton Fitzgerald, esq. of the county of Clare.
Francesca, *m.* to William Fletcher, esq. son of the late Judge Fletcher.

This gentleman, whose patronimic is HAMILTON, assumed the additional surname of ROWAN, in conformity with the testamentary injunction of his maternal grandfather, WILLIAM ROWAN, esq. barrister at law, and fellow of Trinity College, Dublin, who devised his fortune to his grandson, then a boy at Westminster school, "in the hope that he should become a learned, sober, honest man; live unbribed and unpensioned; zealous for the rights of his country; loyal to his king; and a true protestant without bigotry to any sect."

Lineage.

The Rev. HANS HAMILTON, vicar of Dunlop, in Scotland, wedded Margaret Denham, daughter of the Laird of Weshiels, and had, with three younger sons,

1. JAMES, (Sir) of Killyleagh, and Bangor, searjeant-at-law, and privy councillor to *King* JAMES the Ist. who was created by patent dated 4th May, 1622, VISCOUNT CLANBOYE. Of this eminent person, Doctor King, in his Essay on Men and Morals, says, "During the reign of *Queen* ELIZABETH, JAMES the VIth. of Scotland, sent James Fullarton and James Hamilton, after Lord Claneboye, to Ireland, to keep up a correspondence with the English nobility, and to secure his interest there when the QUEEN should die." His lordship *m.* first, Ursula, daughter of Edward, Lord Brabazon, of Ardee, and secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir John Philips, bart. of Picton Castle, in Pembrokeshire. His lordship dying in 1643, was *s.* by his only son,

   JAMES, second Viscount Claneboye, who was created in 1647, EARL OF CLANBRASIL.* His lordship wedded the Lady Anne Carey, eldest daughter of Henry, Earl of Monmouth, and had issue,

   James, Lord Claneboye, who

* This nobleman made a will in 1659, in which was the following clause. "If it do happen that my sons decease without issue and heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten before my debts be satisfied, I do then appoint that my debts be first paid, and the remainder of my estate to be divided into five equal portions amongst the eldest sons or issue male of my five uncles as the land can be laid out in most just and equal divisions."

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d. unmarried 8th May, 1658, his father then living.

HENRY, who succeeded his father, as second EARL OF CLANBRASIL, *m.* the Lady Alice Moore, daughter of Henry, first Earl of Drogheda, but *d.* without issue in 1675, when ALL HIS HONORS became EXTINCT.

Hans, *d. s. p.*

Jane, *d.* unmarried.

2. ARCHIBALD.

The second son,

ARCHIBALD HAMILTON, esq. of Haleraig, or Harrage, in the county of Lanark, wedded first, Rachel Carmichael, and had issue,

1. JOHN, who *m.* — West, but died before the failure of James, Earl of Clanbrasil's issue, and consequently the claim to one-fifth portion of that nobleman's estate, under his lordship's will, passed to his next brother.
2. JAMES of Neilsbrook, in the county Antrim, who inherited one-fifth of James, Earl of Clanbrasil's estates. He espoused Agnes, of — Kennedy of Colan, in Carrick, and had three daughters,

   ROSE, who *m.* William Fairlie, but died without issue.

   RACHEL, died unmarried.

   ANNE, *m.* to Hans Stevenson, esq. of Ballyrott, and left an only son,

   JAMES STEVENSON, whose eldest daughter and co-heir,

   DORCAS STEVENSON, *m.* Sir John Blackwood, and was created BARONESS DUFFERIN and CLANEBOYE, in 1810.

James Hamilton, of Neilsbrook, devised by his last will, dated 6th September, 1683, the portion of the estate of the Earl of Clanbrasil, which he had inherited, equally between his two brothers, GAWEN AND WILLIAM, and his three daughters above mentioned.

3. GAWEN, of whom presently.
4. William of Killyleagh, died in 1716, without issue.
5. Hugh, of Dublin, merchant.

Archibald Hamilton married a second time, and left a daughter, Jane, who wedded Archibald Edmonstone, esq. of Braiden Island, in the county of Antrim. His third son,

GAWEN HAMILTON, esq. of Killyleagh, in the county of Down, *m.* Jane, daughter of Archibald Hamilton, esq. and dying in 1703, was *s.* by his son,

ARCHIBALD HAMILTON, esq. of Killyleagh, who espoused Mary, daughter of David Johnstone, esq. of Tully, in the county of Monaghan, and was *s.* at his decease, 25th April, 1747, by his eldest son,

GAWEN HAMILTON, esq. of Killyleagh, *b.* about the year 1729. This gentleman *m.* 28th May, 1750, Jane, only child of WILLIAM ROWAN,* esq. barrister-at-law, and widow of Tichborne Aston, esq. of Beaulieu, in the county of Louth, by whom he had,

ARCHIBALD, his heir.

Sidney, *m.* to the Rev. Benjamin Beresford.

Mr. Hamilton died on the 9th April, 1805, and was *s.* by his only son, the present ARCHIBALD HAMILTON-ROWAN, esq.

Arms—Gules three cinquefoils erm. on a chief or, a heart.

Estates—In the counties of Dublin, Down, and Kildare.

Town Residence—Great Marlborough Street, Dublin.

Seat—Castle of Killyleagh, Downshire, Rathcoffey, in the county of Kildare.

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* WILLIAM ROWAN married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Eyre, esq. of the county of Galway, and had an only daughter, the above mentioned JANE ROWAN. He was bred to the bar, and was twice elected one of the Fellows of Trinity College, Dublin. The first election was void, as he refused to subscribe the oaths then required; before his second election, a law fellowship was instituted, and he was chosen to fill it. He resided chiefly at Richmond, in Surrey, and in the church there the following epitaph, from the pen of the Rev. Doctor Brett, is inscribed under his bust.

Hic jacet GULIELMUS ROWAN Arm.
Nuper e conciliariis Regis
Quondam Collegii S. T. juxta Dublin
In Hibernia Socius.
Qualis erat in Moribus Doctrina
Si siliant fama vel literæ
Testantur contemporanei
Et in Academiâ literati
Et in Foro juridicii
Ingenii acumine clarum
In tota fere artium disciplina eximium
Libertatis publicæ strenue assertorem
Fidum, Probum, et Integrum
Omnes, etiam invidi agnoscunt.
Vite Academico cito fessu
Prorsus pro tribunali agere
Curam adhibebat.
ELIZABETHAM e clarâ EYREUM
Familia uxorem sibi adjungebat
Ex qua unam solummodo
genuit.
Lites in foro ut assuevit dicere iniquas
Indigne ferens
Otium Philosophicum
Et libertatem ampliorem, quam in Hibernia
Frui liceat in Angliâ quæsivit.
Vixit annos, 71.
Obiit Londini, die Junii 27
A.D. 1767.
Et hic requiescit in pace.

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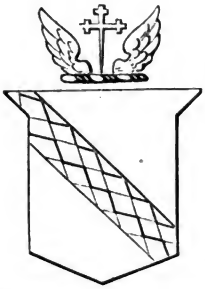
PYE, OF FARINGDON.

PYE, HENRY-JOHN, esq. *b.* 26th September, 1802, *m.* 25th May, 1825, Mary-Anne, third daughter of William Walker, esq. of Everley Lodge, in the county of Herts, and has had issue,

HAMPDEN-WATKINS, who *d.* 13th March, 1827.
HENRY-JOHN, *b.* 30th January, 1827.
Anne-Hampden.
Katharine-Charlotte.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Pye recently succeeded to the Clifton and Haughton estates, in Staffordshire, under the will of Charles Watkins, esq. of Clifton Hall, at the decease of the Reverend John Watkins, (uncle of that gentleman) who had a life interest.

Lineage.



The family of PYE, one of most honorable and ancient extraction, was originally AP HUGH, the letter U in the Welch language, bearing the sound of Y.

HUGH PYE, OR APHUGH, (presumed to have been a son of the William Ap Hugh, who accompanied the NORMAN in his conquest of England) was lord of Kilpec Castle, in the Mynde Parke, in Herefordshire. He had two sons, viz.

1. THOMAS, whose only child, MARGARET, wedded STEPHEN DE LE BEARE, and had an only daughter, the wife of Sir John Plunket, from whom maternally descended Richard Fitz-Alan, EARL OF ARUNDEL, whose daughter, JANE, marrying Humphrey Bohun, Earl of Hereford, was mother of

   ELEANOR BOHUN, who *m.* to Thomas, of Woodstock, son of *King* EDWARD III.

   MARY BOHUN, *m.* to *King* HENRY IV.

2. JOHN.

From the second son,

JOHN PYE, descended in a direct male line,

THOMAS PYE, whose son, (by Jane Bromwich, his wife),

JOHN PYE, was retained temp. HENRY VI. to serve in the French Wars. He was seated on his patrimonial estate of SADLEBOW, in Herefordshire, and espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Scudamore, knt. by whom he had a son,*

JOHN PYE, of the Mynde, in Herefordshire, who wedded Anne, daughter and co-heir of Roger Andrews, of Hereford, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN PYE, of the Mynde, who espoused first, Anne, daughter of Sir Richard de la Beare, knt. secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Whitney, of Whitney, and thirdly, Anne Bridges. He *d.* in 1550, and was interred in the parish of Dewchurch, near Kevernol, under the following inscription: "Here lyeth the Body of John Pye, of Minde, a travailer in far countreyes his life ended; he left behind him Walter, his son, heire of Minde; a hundred and six yeares he was truly and had sons and daughters, two and forty." His eldest son, by his first wife,

WALTER PYE, esq. of the Mynde, *m.* Margaret, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Bridget, daughter of Thomas Kyrle, and dying in 1591, left a son,

ROGER PYE, esq. of the Mynde, possessor of the ancient castle of Kilpec, who wedded Bridget, daughter of Thomas or Walter Kyrle, and dying in 1591, left a son,

WILLIAM PYE, esq. of the Mynde, who *d.* 20th August, 1611, leaving five sons, viz.

1. WALTER (Sir), of the Mynde, attorney-general of the court of wards to *King* CHARLES I. from which prince he received the honor of knighthood, 20th June, 1640. He sate in parliament, and was high-steward of Leo-

* Harl MSS.

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minster, until deprived, on account of his attachment to the king. Sir Walter *m.* Joan, daughter of William Rudshall, esq. of Rudshall, and had, inter alios,

WALTER (Sir), of Mynde. This gentleman *m.* in 1628, Elizabeth, daughter of John Sanders, esq. of Dinton, and had three children, Walter, Robert, and Catherine, all of whom adhering to the tenets of the church of Rome, never swerved from their allegiance to the illfated house of STUART, but disposing of Kilpec Castle, retired to the continent, and obtained from the son of the exiled monarch the title of LORD KILPEC.

II. ROBERT (Sir), of whom presently.

III. John. IV. William. V. Thomas.

The second son,

SIR ROBERT PYE, knt. was auditor of the receipt of the exchequer of *King* JAMES I. and CHARLES I. but was deprived of his office, in consequence of his staunch and devoted adhesion to the latter monarch. Sir Robert purchased of the Untons, the manor and estate of FARINGDON, in Berks, and during the civil wars, garrisoned his mansion there, for the royalists, when it was stoutly besieged, by his own son, Sir Robert Pye. He espoused Mary, second daughter and co-heir of John Croker, esq. of Baltisford, in Gloucestershire, and dying in 1662, left issue,

I. ROBERT (Sir), his heir.

II. John (Sir), of Hone, in Derbyshire, who was created a baronet, and left one son and two daughters, viz.

CHARLES (Sir), second baronet, of Hone, who purchased Clifton and Haughton, in Staffordshire. Sir Charles *m.* first, Philippa, daughter of Sir John Hobart, bart. of Bleckling, ancestor of the Earls of Buckinghamshire, but had no issue to survive. He wedded secondly, Ann, daughter of Richard Stevens, esq. and left at his decease, in 1721, two sons and three daughters, viz.

1. RICHARD, } successive ba-
2. ROBERT, } ronets, who both *d. s. p.* the elder in 1724, the younger in 1734.
3. Rebecca, *d.* issueless, in 1748.
4. Philippa, also *d. s.p.* in 1769.
5. MARY,* who *d.* without issue, in 1774.

Elizabeth, who *m.* Thomas Severne, esq. of Wallop Hall, in Shropshire, and of Rhosgoch, in the county of Montgomery, gentleman of the bed-chamber to *King* WILLIAM III. and had a son, GENERAL SEVERNE, devisee of his cousin Mary Pye, for life. He *d.* in 1787, aged eighty-nine.

Anne, who espoused Charles Watkins, esq. of Aynho, in Northamptonshire, and had a son and heir,

The Reverend RICHARD WATKINS, rector of Clifton, who *m.* Miss Meysey, and had issue,

1. CHARLES, who assumed the surname of MEYSEY, upon succeeding to Shakenhurst, in Worcestershire. He *d.s.p.m.*
2. RICHARD, in holy orders, rector of Rock, in Worcestershire, devisee intail male of Mary Pye. He left an only son and heir, CHARLES, who died issueless in 1812, having cut off the entail, and left his estates to his uncle for life, with the remainder to the present Mr. PYE.
3. JOHN, in holy orders, devisee for life, of his nephew, Charles. This gentleman had no male issue, and died far advanced in life.

Sir Robert Pye, auditor of the Exchequer, was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR ROBERT PYE, knt. of Faringdon, who represented Woodstock in the long parliament. Sir Robert, upon the breaking out of the civil wars, attached himself to the side of the people, and became colonel of Horse in General Fairfax's regiment. During the PROTECTORATE, he enjoyed many high trusts, and was twice returned for the county of Berks. He nevertheless engaged in an attempt to restore *King* CHARLES II. and was appointed one of the treasurers to apply such money as was transmitted for that purpose. Sir Robert was subsequently committed to the Tower for a breach of privilege, in presenting a petition from the county of Berks, complaining of the want of a settled form of government. He had, however, the courage to move for an *Habeas*

* MARY PYE being the last heiress of this line, devised her estates to General Severne, her cousin, for life, with remainder to her first cousin (once removed) RICHARD WATKINS, whose son, CHARLES, inheriting in tail and having no issue cut off the entail, and after giving his uncle, JOHN, a life interest, left the remainder to the present HENRY-JOHN PYE, esq. representative of the senior branch of the PYES.

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Corpus, but judge Newdigate decided that the court of King's Bench, an inferior one, had not the power of discharging him. Upon General Monk's coming to London, the secluded members passed a vote to relieve Pye from prison, who upon the restoration was nominated equerry to the king. He wedded Ann, eldest daughter of JOHN HAMPDEN the patriot, and had issue,

Hampden, who predeceased his father in 1647, being killed in an engagement upon the coast of South America.

EDMUND, heir.

Richard, *d.* young.

Sir Robert *d.* in 1701, and was *s.* by his son,

EDMUND PYE, M.D. of Faringdon, who married Anne, daughter of Lord Crewe of Stene, and widow of Sir Henry Wright, bart. by whom he had issue,

HENRY, his heir.

John, an officer in the army, who had two daughters.

Isabella, *m.* to — Nash, esq. of Wallerton.

Jemima, *m.* to Edward Mainwaring, esq. of Whitmore.

Elizabeth, *m.* to — Chace, esq.

Dr. Pye was *s.* by his elder son,

HENRY PYE, esq. of Faringdon, *b.* 23rd August, 1683. He *m.* first, in 1707, Jane, daughter of Sir Nathaniel Curzon, bart. by whom (who *d.* within the year), he had an only child, who *d.* in infancy. He wedded secondly Anne, only daughter of Sir Benjamin Bathurst, knt. and had surviving issue,

HENRY, his successor.

Thomas (Sir), admiral of the White, and lieut.-general of Marines, who *d. s. p.* in 1785.

Robert, LL.D. in holy orders, prebendary of Rochester, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Rowland Alston, bart. and had an only daughter, Ann.

Charles, of Wadley, who *m.* Ann, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Mainwaring.

Anthony, who *m.* Ann, daughter of John Blackstone, esq. first cousin of the eminent lawyer of that name, and had issue, Henry and Charlotte.

Benjamin, LL.D. in holy orders, a poet of some note, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Sleigh, esq. and relict of — Whitby, esq. by whom he had Bathurst, in the army, and Elizabeth, *m.* to — Watson, esq.

William, an officer in the army, shot at the battle of Plassy, in the East Indies, while acting as aid-de-camp to Lord Clive. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Governor Saunders, by whom he left a daughter Elizabeth, *m.* to Dr. Walker.

Frances, *m.* to Thomas Mainwaring, esq. of Whitmore.

Henrietta, *m.* to the Rev. John Baker, D.D. and had two daughters,

Henrietta Baker, who wedded Governor Roger Drake.

Sarah Baker.

Anne, *m.* first, in 1734, to Lionel Rich, esq. and secondly, to James Molloy, esq.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Willoughby Aston, bart.

Finetta, *m.* first, to George Cruickshank, an eminent Dutch merchant, and secondly, to — Moubray, esq.

Arabella, *m.* to — Southwell, esq.

Mr. Pye, who wedded thirdly, Miss Isabella Warren, but had no further issue, died in 1748-9, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY PYE, esq. of Faringdon, *b.* in 1709, representative in four parliaments for the county of Berks. This gentleman espoused Mary, daughter of the Rev. David James, rector of Woofton, and dying in 1766, left issue,

HENRY-JAMES, his heir.

Robert-Hampden, an officer of rank in the army, who married in 1766 Joel-Henrietta, relict of — Campbell, esq. and left an only child,

Allen-Hampden, a major-general in the army, who *m.* his cousin, Mary, daughter of Captain Gordon, R.N. and sister to General Sir Willoughby Gordon.

Walter, barrister-at-law, *d.* unmarried.

Anne, twin with Walter, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Pye was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY-JAMES PYE, esq. of Faringdon, *b.* 10th February, 1744-5, member of parliament for the county of Berks, and POET LAUREATE; author of "Faringdon Hill," and other admired poems. He *m.* first, in 1766, Mary, daughter of Lieutenant-colonel William Hook, and had issue,

1. Mary, *m.* to Captain Jones, of the 35th regiment, by whom (who *d.* in Egypt, in 1807) she has an only daughter.
2. Matilda, *m.* to Samuel-James Arnold, esq. of Stanmore, and has two sons and a daughter.

The Laureate wedded secondly, in November, 1801, and had,

3. HENRY-JOHN, present representative of the family.
4. Jane-Anne, *m.* to Francis Willington, esq. and has two sons, viz.

Francis-Pye Willington.

Waldyve-Henry Willington.

Mr. Pye *d.* 11th August, 1813.

Arms—Erm. a bend fusilly gu.

Crest—A cross crosslet fitchée gu. between two wings displayed, arg.

Motto—In cruce glorier.

Seats—Chacombe Priory, Northamptonshire, and Pinner, in the county of Middlesex.

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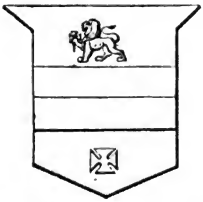
VAWDREY, OF TUSHINGHAM.

VAWDREY, DANIEL, esq. of Tushingham Hall, in the county of Chester, *b.* 5th October, 1771, *m.* 7th February, 1804, Anne, daughter of Benjamin Wyatt, esq. and niece of the late surveyor-general James Wyatt, by whom he has surviving issue,

DANIEL, *b.* in 1807, a fellow of Brasenose College, Oxford.
William-Seaman, of Queen's College, Cambridge.
Benjamin-Llewelyn.

Mr. Vawdrey inherited the estates at the decease of his father. He served the office of sheriff of Carnarvonshire, in 1829, and is in the commission of the peace for the counties of Chester, Salop, and Carnarvon.

Lineage.



The house of VAWDRAY was one of distinction in Franche Comte, and records* of many of its members are in possession of its present representative. The Chateau Vawdrey is still to be seen in going from Dole to Salins. Its founder in England was a follower of Hugh Kevilioc, Earl of Chester, from whom he obtained lands in the parish of Boden, in Cheshire.

THOMAS VAWDREY, of Bowdon, in Cheshire, purchased the Riddings, Altrincham, &c. in the same county. He *m.* Anne, dau. of Richard Newton, of Pownall, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT VAWDREY, of Bowdon, who wedded, first, Alice, widow of Ralph Brereton, of Wetenal, and had issue,

I. THOMAS, his heir.
II. JOHN, who *m.* the dau. of — Reddish, of Bugulegh, and dying 3rd March, 1625, left
  1. Richard.
  2. Henry.
  3. William, who espoused, first, one of the daughters and coheirs of Massey, of Hale, and had, with two sons (who both died issueless), three daughters, namely, MARY, wife of John Turbott; ANNE, of — Harrison, of Tatton; and FRANCES. Mr. William Vawdrey *m.* secondly, Alice, dau. of Sir Edward More, of Kirtington, and had two sons,
    Edward.
    John, a priest at Rome.
III. RICHARD.
IV. ROBERT.

He *m.* secondly, Alice, dau. of Ralph Barton, and had, *inter alios*,

V. THOMAS, of Bowdon, who *m.* Anne Bulkeley, and was father of
  GEORGE, of Bowdon, who wedded Cicely, dau. of Alexander Sorracol, of Manchester, and had, with other issue,
    ROBERT.
    John.
    Parnel, *m.* to John Brock.
    Emma, *m.* to Richard Coltenstoke.

* In the "Reserche de la Noblesse de Champagne" is the pedigree of Charles Louis Anne de Vaudrey, Marquiss de St. Phalle, with proofs from deeds commencing in 1440.

In "La Vraye et parfaite Science des Armories, par Louvan Gilliot, augmenté par Pierre Pailliot, fol. Paris, 1664," it is stated that "Guillaume de Vaudrey, Lord of Motte, a gentleman of Franche Comtè, was created a knight by letters, 'données,' at Aranjuez, 3d May, 1586." In page 266 of the same work we find a passage beginning thus: "The ancient house of Vaudrey, of Comtè de Bourgoyne, of which some were Lords of St. Fallen Champagne, &c."

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VI. Robert, *b.* in the 1st of HENRY VIII. *m.* first, Elizabeth, dau. of Oliver Hill, esq. of Manchester, and had three sons, with several daughters. He wedded, secondly, Alice, daughter of Randle Brereton, of Eccleston.

The eldest son (of the first marriage),

THOMAS VAWDREY, of the Riddings, espoused, first, Agnes, dau. and co-heiress of Ralph Worsley, esq. of Birkenhead. He *m.* secondly, the dau. of Humphrey Davenport, esq.; and, thirdly, the daughter of John Shakerley, esq. He was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD VAWDREY, esq. of the Riddings. This gentleman wedded Jane, dau. of Robert Hyde, esq. of Norbury, and dying in 1622, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT VAWDREY, esq. of the Riddings, *b.* in 1595; who *m.* Margaret, dau. of Oswald Moseley, esq. of Garrat, and was father of

SAMUEL VAWDREY, esq. of the Riddings, living about the middle of the 17th century. He wedded Katherine, dau. of Richard Pierson, esq. of Bowdon, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD VAWDREY, esq. of the Riddings, who sold that property to Mr. Gerrard, and settled at Millgate, in Cranage. This gentleman wedded Sarah, dau. of John Whittingham, esq. of Mooresbarrow, and Hulme Street Halls; and had, with several other children, a son and successor,

THOMAS VAWDREY, esq. whose son,

DANIEL VAWDREY, esq., who espoused Hannah Sambach, of Henbury, and had, with other issue that died, *s. p.*

THOMAS, who *m.* Mary Stanway, of Bidnal, and left an only daughter,

HANNAH, the wife of James Eyton Mainwaring, esq., of Whitmore, near Newcastle.

DANIEL.

The youngest son,

DANIEL VAWDREY, esq., espoused, first, Miss Mary Seaman, and had issue,

Gilbert, who died young.

DANIEL, his heir.

Mr. Vawdrey *m.* secondly, a lady bearing the same name as his first wife, and had surviving issue,

Gilbert, in holy orders, of Wrenbury

William, also in holy orders, of Harthill, in Cheshire, *m.* and has issue.

Thomas, of the Brookfields, in Cheshire, *m.* but has no issue,

Sarah-Darell.

He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present DANIEL VAWDREY, esq. of Tushingham Hall.

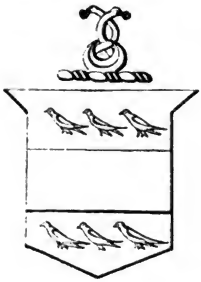
Arms—Party per fesse, or and ar. a fesse sa. in chief, a lion passant, gules, holding in his dexter paw a cross patte, fitchy of the third, and in base, a cross between four ermine spots.

Estates—Moresbarrow Hall, Cheshire; Plas-gwynant, in the county of Carnarvon; Manor of Tushingham, Cheshire. The last was purchased by Mr. Vawdrey about the year 1814, having sold Ravenscroft Hall and Manor, property in Stanthorne and elsewhere in Cheshire, for that purpose.

Seat—Tushingham Hall.

CROKE, OF STUDLEY.

CROKE, SIR ALEXANDER, knt. LL.D. of Studley Priory, in the county of Oxford, *b.* 22nd July, 1758, *m.* in 1796, Miss Alice Blake, and has had issue,



Alexander, *b.* in 1798, a young man of great promise, who *d.* in 1818, deeply lamented.

GEORGE.

Wentworth.

John.

Le Blount, who *d.* unmarried in 1827.

Alexander.

Adelaide.

Jane-Sarah-Elizabeth, *m.* 28th December, 1826, to her cousin Sir Charles Wetherell, knt. then attorney-general, and *d.* without surviving issue, 21st April, 1831.

Anna-Philippa.

Charlotte, who *d.* unmarried, in 1815.

Frances-Mary-Jerritt, who *d.* in 1829.

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This gentleman, by profession a barrister, was constituted judge of one of the vice admiralty courts in North America, and retiring in 1816, received then the honour of knighthood. In 1823, he was elected a bencher of the Inner Temple, and appointed in 1829, treasurer of that society. He succeeded to his paternal inheritance at the decease of his father in 1777.

Lineage.

The surname of this family was originally LE BLOUNT, and Sir Alexander Croke states that he is now the representative of the senior branch of that ancient house, which had its own origin from the BLONDI or BRONDI, of Italy. Its patriarchs, the COUNTS OF GUISNES, claimed alliance with most of the royal families of Europe, and counted amongst their progenitors, the Emperors and Kings of France, the Kings of Denmark, the Counts of Flanders, and the Guelphs, Dukes of Bavaria.

RODOLPH, third Count of Guisnes, (whose grandfather was SIGEFRED, the Dane, first Count, grandson of HAROLD V., King of Denmark) espoused Rosetta, daughter of Hugh, second Count St. Pol, and had three sons, who accompanied the Conqueror into England, one of whom returned into Normandy, while the other two,

SIR ROBERT and SIR WILLIAM, } remained, and participated largely in the spoils of conquest—Sir William obtaining several lordships in Lincolnshire, and

SIR ROBERT LE BLOUND, no less than thirteen lordships in the county of Suffolk, of which Ixworth was the head of the feudal barony. The great grandson and lineal descendant of this Sir Robert,

GILBERT LE BLOUND, Lord of Ixworth, *m.* Agnes de Lisle, and had two sons,

1. WILLIAM, who succeeded to the feudal barony, and marrying Cicely de Vere, had issue,

   WILLIAM, Baron of Ixworth, standard-bearer to the army of the insurgent barons, under Simon Montfort, Earl of Leicester, and slain at the battle of Lewes, temp. HENRY III., when leaving no issue, the male line of the Barons of Ixworth ceased, and his sisters became his co-heirs.

   Agnes, *m.* to Sir William de Cricketot, Rohese, *m.* to Robert de Valoines, } Co-heirs.

2. Stephen.

The second son,

STEPHEN LE BLOUND, living in 1189, *m.* Maria, only daughter and heiress of Sir William le Blound, of Saxlingham, (fourth in direct line from Sir William, brother of Sir Robert), and had a son and successor,

SIR ROBERT LE BLOUNT, who wedded Isabel, daughter of the Lord of Odinsells, and acquired with that lady the manor of Belton, in Rutlandshire. He had issue,

1. RALPH (Sir).
2. William (Sir), who *m.* Isabel, supposed to be a daughter of William Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, and had (with another son Peter, who *d. s. p.*)

   WALTER (Sir), of Rock, who espoused Johanna, sister and coheir of WILLIAM DE SODINGTON, and dying before 1331, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

   JOHN (Sir), of SODINGTON, who *m.* first, Isolda, dau. and heir of Sir Thomas de Mountjoy, and by her (who *d.* in 1347) had a son,

   JOHN (Sir), from whom, by his first wife, Juliana Foulhurst, descend the BLOUNTS OF SODINGTON, now represented by SIR EDWARD BLOUNT, bart.; and by his second wife, Isabella, daughter and heiress of Sir Bryan Cornwall, the BLOUNTS OF BROMYARD, represented by JOHN BLOUNT, ESQ., OF LEA HALL, in Worcestershire, and the BLOUNTS, of Burton upon Trent. He was also ancestor of the extinct family of BLOUNTS, OF KINLET.

   Sir John Blount, the elder, *m.* secondly, Eleanor, dau. of John Beauchamp, of Hache, and dying in 1358, left another son,

   WALTER (Sir), who acquired from his brother Sir John, the Mountjoy estate, in 1374. He was father of

   THOMAS (Sir), trea-

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surer of Normandy, in the 1st of HENRY V., who left issue, SIR WALTER BLOUNT, created LORD MOUNTJOY, *(See Burke's Extinct Peerage,)* and Sir Thomas, ancestor of the BLOUNTS OF IVER and MAPLE, DURHAM, now represented by MICHAEL HENRY BLOUNT, esq. high sheriff for Oxfordshire, in 1832.

Sir Robert le Blount *d.* in 1288, and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR RALPH LE BLOUNT, Lord of Belton, in the County of Rutland, who recovered lands in Saxlingham, in the reign of EDWARD I. He espoused Cecilia or Alicia, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Lovet, of Hampton Lovet, in Worcestershire, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS LE BLOUNT, Lord of Belton and Hampton-Lovet, who married twice, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM (Sir), Lord of Belton, &c. whose only son,

SIR JOHN BLOUNT, Lord of Belton, custos of the City of London, and constable of the Tower, in the time of EDWARD III. was summoned to parliament in the first year of that reign, as LORD BLOUNT, *of Belton*. He *m.* first —, and had one son,

SIR THOMAS BLOUNT, Lord of Belton, who, with his kinsman, Nicholas, having engaged in the attempt to restore RICHARD II. to the throne, in the year 1400, suffered a most cruel death,* Lord Blount espoused secondly, Elizabeth Fourneaux, and had other children that *d. s. p.*

2. Nicholas, father of another NICHOLAS, of whom we are about to treat.

The grandson of Sir Thomas le Blount (the son of his second son),

NICHOLAS LE BLOUNT, having taken an active part in the insurrection, which proved so fatal to his cousin Sir Thomas le Blount, was outlawed and forced to fly the kingdom. Repairing with other refugees to the cour of Milan, he entered into the military service of the accomplished JOHN GALEAZZO VISCOMPTI, who was then at war with the emperor, and who eventually, after routing them at Brescia, drove the imperialists out of Italy. The Duke acknowledged with gratitude the merits of the English, and the splendid rewards which he conferred upon them, were worthy of the magnificent house of VISCOMPTI. Nicholas le Blount subsequently returned to England, but in doing so adopted the precaution of changing his name, as did several other of his companions, amongst whom were JOHN CARRINGTON, who took the name of Smith, the ancestor of the extinct Lords Carrington, and William Fitzwilliams, who assumed that of English; Blount chose the cognomen of CROKE.* He *m.* Agnes, daughter and heiress of John Heynes by Alicia Athall, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES CROKE, *alias* LE BLOUNT, whose son,

RICHARD CROKE, espoused a lady named Alicia, but of what family is not related. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN CROKE, esq. who was appointed in 1522 one of the Six Clerks† of the Court of Chancery, and in seven years afterwards obtained a patent for life as Comptroller and Supervisor of the Hanaper in the same court. In the reign of EDWARD VI. he was constituted a Master in Chancery. In 1529 Master Croke had purchased the estate and manor of Chilton, in Bucks, from Lord Zouch, and, in 1539, bought from the crown the priory of STUDLEY, with all the possessions thereunto belonging.

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* Sir Thomas Blount was hanged; but the halter was soon cut, and he was made to sit on a bench before a great fire, and the executioner came with a razor in his hand, and knelt before Sir Thomas, whose hands were tied, begging him to pardon him his death, as he must do his office. Sir Thomas asked, "Are you the person appointed to deliver me from this world?"—The executioner answered, "Yes, Sir, I pray you pardon me." And Sir Thomas kissed him, and pardoned him his death. The executioner then knelt down, and opened his belly, and cut out his bowels, and threw them into the fire. While Sir Thomas was dying, one Erpyngham, the king's chamberlain, insulting Blount, said to him, in derision, "Go, seek a master that can cure you."—Blount only answered,—"Te Deum laudamus! Blessed be the day on which I was born, and blessed be this day, for I shall die in the service of my sovereign lord, the noble King Richard." His head was soon after cut off, and he was quartered.

* Harl. MSS. Rawlinson's MSS. in the Bodleian Library, &c. &c.

† As the chancellor had been almost always an ecclesiastic, these officers were anciently actual *cleri*, or in holy orders, and were regularly promoted to livings under the chancellor's patronage. As clergymen, they were incapable of marrying, and even when they ceased to be in orders the ancient custom of celibacy continued, a restraint which was confirmed by an ordinance in Chancery, 12th of RICHARD II. and was observed until the reign of HENRY VIII.

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He wedded Prudencia, third daughter of Richard Cave, esq. of Stamford-upon-Avon, and sister of Sir Ambrose Cave, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, a most intimate friend and near connexion of the Lord Treasurer Burleigh. He *d.* in 1554, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN CROKE, knt. of Chilton, *b.* in 1530, returned to parliament for the borough of Southampton in 1571, and for the county of Bucks in the following year. He wedded, in 1533, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Alexander Unton,* knt. and had issue,

I. JOHN (Sir), of Chilton and Studley, an able and eminent lawyer, who succeeded Sir Edward Coke as Treasurer of the Inner Temple in 1598, and was subsequently appointed Recorder of London, and chosen one of the representatives of that city. In the last memorable parliament called by *Queen* ELIZABETH, he was elected SPEAKER of the House of Commons, and the manner of his appointment has been most curiously related by a contemporary writer, Sir Simonds D'Ewes. In the 1st year of JAMES I. he received the honor of knighthood, and was made serjeant-at-law. Sir John was afterwards constituted king's serjeant, and a Welsh judge; and he succeeded Sir John Popham, as one of the justices of the Court of King's Bench, in the 5th of the same reign. The arguments of Sir John Croke at the bar, and his decisions from the bench, evinced the profoundest professional knowledge; in testimony of which he received from the Lord Chancellor (Sir Christopher) Hatton a bowl of silver gilt. He *m.* Catherine, daughter of Sir Michael Blount, knt. of Maple, Durham, and dying in 1619, left issue,†

II. Henry, barrister-at-law, who *m.* Miss Bennet Honywood, and left, at his decease, with several daughters, an only surviving son,

Henry, in holy orders, and D. D. who inherited from his uncle, Sir George Croke, the house and estate of Waterstock. Doctor Croke *m.* Sarah, daughter of the Rev. Henry Wilkinson, Rector of Waddesden, and dying in 1642 left four sons, viz.

1. George (Sir), of Waterstock, *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Richard Onslow, and left at his decease two daughters, Elizabeth and Sarah; one *m.* to Sir Tho-

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* The family of UNTON was one of the most influential in the county. Sir Hugh UNTON, great grandfather of Lady Croke, married Sybell, dau. and heiress of William Fettiplace, esq. of Shifford, by BEATRICE, natural daughter of JOHN I. King of Portugal, and sister of ALPHONSO, DUKE OF BRAGANZA, ancestor of the royal family of Portugal.

† Issue of *Judge* (JOHN) CROKE:

1. JOHN (Sir), of Chelton, M. P. for Shaftesbury, was father of

SIR JOHN CROKE, bart. of Chilton, who, through his imprudent, litigious, and vindictive disposition, completely dissipated his inheritance, and was obliged to sell Chilton to a Mr. Harvey, of London. He *d.* in prison, and was *s.* in the representation of the family alone, by his only son,

SIR DODSWORTH CROKE, bart. who attained a great age in poverty, and dying issueless in 1728, the male line of the elder branch expired.

2. Henry (Sir), M. P. for Christchurch, temp. CHARLES I. Clerk of the Pipe in the Court of Exchequer, *m.* Bridget, daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Hawtrey, knt. of Chequers, in the county of Bucks, and dying in 1659, left an only son,

SIR ROBERT CROKE, knt. of Chequers, M. P. and Clerk of the Pipe, who espoused Susannah, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Peter Vanloor, bart. and dying in 1680, left three daughters, viz.

1. SUSAN.
2. MARY, *m.* to John Thurban, esq. sergeant-at-law, who became eventually possessed of the whole estate of Chequers, which passed with Mr. Thurban's grandaughter, Miss CUTTS RIVATT, into the family of Russell, and is now enjoyed by SIR ROBERT GREENHILL RUSSELL, bart. of Chequers.
3. ISABELL, *m.* to John (or Samuel) Dod, esq.

3. Charles, in holy orders, and D.D. one of the chaplains to *King* CHARLES I. Doctor Croke died in 1657, leaving the reputation of an eminent divine.

4. Unton, sergeant-at-law, M.P. who wedded in 1617 Anne, daughter and heiress of Richard Hore, esq. of Marston. Mr. Sergeant Croke attached himself to the Parliamentarian interest, and rendered essential services to the cause. He *d.* in 1670, leaving inter alios

RICHARD (Sir), of Marston, sergeant-at-law and M.P. for Oxford, *m.* Miss Wright, and had issue,

Unton, a celebrated Parliamentary officer.

5. Edward, *d.* unm.

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mas Wyndham. There being no son, the estate of Waterstock was sold to Sir Henry Ashurst.

2. John, gentleman of the bedchamber to *King* CHARLES II. *d.* in 1670.
3. Henry, a linen-draper, in the Haymarket, at whose house his grand uncle, Sir George Croke, died.
4. Samuel.

III. GEORGE (Sir), one of the most eminent lawyers of the period in which he lived, who after passing through the minor gradations of office, was constituted, in 1628, one of the judges of the Court of King's Bench. In the unconstitutional proceedings of the misguided CHARLES I. previous to the breaking out of the Civil War, Sir George Croke did not concur, and, unterrified by the menaces, and uninfluenced by the fascinations of power, followed upon every occasion the dictates of his conscience, always raising his voice in favor of the rights of the people. In the celebrated case of Hampden, after five of the judges had delivered their opinions for the crown, Mr. Justice Croke gave his in favor of that celebrated patriot. In 1621, Sir George purchased Studley from Sir John Croke, of Chilton, having some years previously bought Waterstock from Sir William Cave. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Bennet, and left at his decease, in 1642, three daughters, viz.

1. MARY, *m.* to Sir Harbottle Grimston, bart. one of the most remarkable characters of the eventful era of the civil wars. From this alliance lineally descends the present Earl of Verulam.
2. ELIZABETH, *m.* first to Thomas Lee, esq. of Hartwell, and hence sprang the Baronets Lee, of that place. She *m.* secondly, Sir Richard Ingoldsby, knt. cousin to the *Protector* CROMWELL, and a gallant parliamentary commander. The present Marquess of Winchester is a descendant of the latter marriage.
3. FRANCES, *m.* to Richard Jervois, esq.

Sir George devised at his decease Waterstock to his nephew, Doctor Henry Croke, and Studley to his brother William.

IV. Paulus-Ambrosius, barrister-at-law, who purchased the manors of Cotsmore and Barrow, in Rutlandshire. He *m.* twice, and dying in 1631, left an only daughter, the wife of Sir Robert Heath, lord-chief-justice of the King's Bench.

V. WILLIAM, of whom presently.

VI. Cicely, *m.* first, to Edward Bulstrode, esq. by whom she was grandmother of the Lord Commissioner BULSTRODE-WHITELOCKE. She espoused secondly Sir John Brown, knt.

VII. Prudentia, *m.* to Sir Robert Wingfield, knt.

VIII. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir John Tyrrell, of Heron, in Essex.

The fifth and youngest son of Sir John Croke, by Dame Elizabeth Unton,

WILLIAM CROKE, esq inherited from his brother, Sir George Croke, the estate of Studley. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Robert Honywood, esq. of Charing, in Kent, and had issue,

ALEXANDER, his heir.
Edward, died young.
Francis, *m.* Miss Alicia Castle, and resided at Steeple Aston, in Oxfordshire. He *d.* in 1672, leaving issue.
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Keling, esq.
Catherine, *m.* to Richard Davis, esq.

Mr. Croke was *s.* by his eldest son,

ALEXANDER CROKE, esq. of Studley Priory, *b.* 1594, *m.* first, in 1616, Anne, only daughter and heiress of Richard Brasey, esq. of Thame, in the county of Oxford, by whom (who *d.* in 1622) he had an only son,

RICHARD, who predeceased his father (in 1663) leaving, with other children who *d.* issueless,

1. JOHN, upon whom his grandfather settled the mansion-house with the lands in Oxfordshire, and a part of those in Bucks. He *m.* in 1680, Mary, sister of Sir Edward Norris, of Weston on the Green, by whom he left at his decease in 1714,
   JOHN, an imbecile, who surrendered his estate at Studley to his brother James.
   JAMES, high-sheriff for the county of Oxford in 1726, in which year he *d.* unmarried, and was. *s.* by his sister,
   CHARLOTTE, who *m.* William Ledwell, esq. but leaving no surviving issue at her decease in 1763, she bequeathed her property to her cousin ALEXANDER CROKE, esq.
2. Edward, a person of eccentric habits, who *d. s. p.*

Mr. Croke espoused secondly, in 1624, Sarah, daughter of Richard Beke, esq. of Haddenham, (by Colubery Lovelace, sister

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of Lord Lovelace) and had, with younger children,

WILLIAM CROKE, esq. upon whom his father settled the principal part of the Studley estate, in Bucks; he *m.* Susan, daughter of Edward Fettiplace, esq. of Swinbrooke, by whom he had several children. He *d.* in 1702, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM CROKE, esq. at whose decease unmarried, in 1705, his estates devolved upon his brother,

The Rev.

ALEXANDER CROKE, M.A. of Wadham College, Oxford, an intimate friend and companion of Creech, the poet, who in his translation of "Theocritus" has dedicated the twentieth Idyllium to him, under the name of "his good humoured friend, Mr. Alexander Croke, of Wadham College." He *m.* Jane, third daughter of Anthony Evans, esq. of Begbrooke, Oxon, by whom he had issue,

ALEXANDER, his heir.
William, of Aylesbury.
Sarah, *d.* unmarried, in 1728.
Jane, *m.* to William Wood, esq. son of Thomas Wood, LL.D. who wrote "The Institutes."

Mr. Croke, who was rector of Hartwell, and an excellent preacher, *d.* in 1726, and was *s.* by his son,

ALEXANDER CROKE, esq. *b.* in 1704, *m.* in 1726, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Richard Barker, esq. of Great Horwood, Bucks, (by his wife Abigail Busby, heiress of that family) and acquired the estate of Marsh Gibbon. He had, with other issue,

ALEXANDER, his heir.
Richarda, *m.* to the very Rev. Nathan Wetherell, D.D. dean of Hereford, &c. and had, inter alios, a son,
SIR CHARLES WETHERELL, knt. late attorney-general, who *m.* in 1826, his cousin Jane-Sarah-Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Alexander Croke, of Studley Priory, by whom (who *d.* in 1831,) he had an only son Charles, who *d.* in infancy.

Mr. Croke was *s.* by his eldest son,

ALEXANDER CROKE, esq. of Marsh Gibbon, *b.* in 1728, who, upon the demise of his cousin, Mrs. Ledwell, inherited under her will, the mansion and Oxfordshire part of the property, and thus the whole Studley estate was again united. He wedded first, Anne, daughter of the Rev. Robert Armistead, M.A. and had surviving issue

ALEXANDER (Sir), his heir.
Jenny-Sarah-Elizabeth, *m.* in 1777, to John Parker, esq. of Storth Hall, in the county of York, and *d.* in 1814.

He *m.* secondly in 1772, Sarah, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Evans, but had no other children. He *d.* 30th November, 1777, and was *s.* by his only son, the present SIR ALEXANDER CROKE, knt. of Studley Priory.

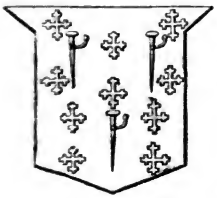
Arms—Gu. a fesse between six martlets arg.

Crest—Two swans' necks, indorsed and interlaced, issuing out of a crescent, all arg. and holding in their beaks an annulet gu.

Seat—Studley Priory, Oxon.

BURDON, OF CASTLE EDEN.

BURDON, ROWLAND, esq. of Castle Eden, in the county of Durham, espoused, first, 27th June, 1780, Margaret, daughter of Charles Brandling, esq. of Gosforth, in Northumberland, by whom (who *d.* 17th February, 1791), he had an only daughter Elizabeth, *b.* 18th January, 1783, *d.* 30th January, 1791. Mr. Burdon *m.* secondly in 1794, Cotsford, daughter and sole heiress of General Richard Mathews, and has issue,



1. ROWLAND.
2. Richard.
3. John.
4. Cotsford.
5. Elizabeth-Anne.
6. Frances.
7. Mary-Cotsford.

He succeeded his father in 1786, and represented the county of Durham in parliament, from 1790 to 1796, and from 1800 to 1802. Mr. Burdon is a justice of the peace for that shire.

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Lineage.

THOMAS BURDON, who was of Stockton-upon-Tees, in the county of Durham, temp. EDWARD IV. left two sons, the elder of whom,

THOMAS BURDON, took a burgage and two oxgangs of land, in Stockton, 15th November, 1497. He *d.* before the 14th April, 1538, leaving several sons, and a daughter, Alyson, who *m.* William Walker. The eldest son,

ROBERT BURDON, living *temp.* HENRY VIII., was grandfather of

WILLIAM BURDON, who was mayor of Stockton in 1621. He *m.* Anne ——, and had, with other issue, his successor,

HENRY BURDON, esq. of Stockton-on-Tees, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Giles Wetherell, of the same place, and had issue,

ROWLAND, his successor.

John, *d.* in 1643.

Alice, *m.* to John Jessop, mayor of Stockton, in 1632, 1636, and 1638.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Simon Harrison.

Isabel.

Mr. Burdon *d.* in 1632, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROWLAND BURDON, esq. This gentleman was nine times mayor of Stockton-upon-Tees, between the years 1641 and 1655. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Swainston, and had, with several daughters, two sons, viz.

GEORGE, his successor.

Henry, who *d.* in 1712-13, leaving, with other issue, a son and successor,

Rowland, who *m.* 5th January, 1716, Mary Lackenby, and left an only surviving daughter,

Mary, who *m.* 29th December, 1743, William Webster, esq. of Whitby, in the county of York, and *d.* in December, 1780.

Mr. Burdon *d.* in 1657, and was *s.* by his elder son,

GEORGE BURDON, esq. of Stockton-on-Tees, baptized 3rd December, 1648; *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of William Hutchinson, esq. of Frimdon, in the county of Durham, and dying in 1681, was *s.* by his only surviving son,

The Rev.

ROWLAND BURDON, some time of Sedgefield, in the county of Durham; baptised in January, 1679; *m.* Sarah, daughter of John Reeve, esq. of Great Milton, in the county of Oxford, (son of — Reeve, esq. by Anne, sister of Francis Nourse, esq. of Wood Eaton, in the same shire) and dying in 1750, was *s.* by his son,

ROWLAND BURDON, baptised 7th January, 1724. This gentleman, who was a merchant of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, purchased CASTLE EDEN in 1758. He *m.* 26th August, 1755, Elizabeth, daughter of George Smith, esq. of Burnhall, in the county of Durham, and dying 25th October, 1786, left an only child, the present ROWLAND BURDON, esq. of Castle Eden.

Arms—Az. three palmer's staves, inter semée of cross crosslets gules.

Estates—Manor of Castle Eden, and lands at Monk-Hesleden, Preston-on-Skerne, &c. all in the county of Durham.

Seat—Castle Eden.

DOTTIN, OF BUGLE HALL.

DOTTIN, ABEL-ROUS, esq. of Bugle Hall, in the county of Hants, a captain in the 2nd regiment of life guards, and late M.P. for Southampton, *m.* Dorothy, sister of Mary, Dowager Lady Arundel, and eldest daughter of Robert Burnett-Jones, esq. of Ades, in Sussex, late attorney general in the Island of Barbadoes, (by Elizabeth, only daughter, by his first marriage, of Samuel Estwick,* esq. M.P.)

Captain Dottin is in the commission of the peace, and a deputy lieutenant for the town and county of Southampton.

* By Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of Lieutenant General John Frere, president of the council and governor of Barbadoes.

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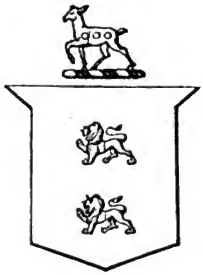
Lineage.



WILLIAM DOTTIN, esq. of Granada Hall, in Barbadoes, Member of the Assembly and Council of that island in 1680, left at his decease in 1701-2, six sons and two daughters, of whom the second son,

WILLIAM DOTTIN, esq. inherited Granada Hall, and was, as his father had been, a Member of the Assembly and Council of Barbadoes. He wedded Mary, third daughter of Abel Alleyne, esq. of that island, Member of the Council, and a lieutenant-general in the army, by whom he had issue,

ABEL, his successor.

Lucy, *m.* to Thomas Alleyne, esq. of Dymocks, in Barbadoes, and had issue.

Mary, *m.* first, to Abel Dottin Battyn, esq. of Barbadoes, and secondly, to John French, esq. of the Mills, in the county of Berks.

Mr. Dottin was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ABEL DOTTIN, esq. of Granada Hall, in Barbadoes, and of English, in the county of Oxford, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of John Walter, esq. of Busbridge, in Surrey, and had issue,

ABEL, his heir.

Lucy-Mary, *m.* to the Rev. Philip Billingsley, rector of Newington, in Oxfordshire, son of John Billingsley, esq. of Dover, by Elizabeth, daughter of Philip Yorke, esq. and sister of the first Earl of Hardwicke.

Willielma-Johanna, *m.* to Luke Lillingston esq. of Ferreby Grange, in the county of York, by whom she left at her decease, in 1806, an only daughter (heiress of her husband),

ELIZABETH-MARY-AGNES LILLINGSTON, who wedded Abraham Spooner, esq. of Elmdon, in the county of Warwick, which gentleman assumed by sign manual, in 1797, in consequence of his marriage, the surname and arms of LILLINGSTON.

Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

He *d.* in 1759, and was *s.* by his son,

ABEL DOTTIN, esq. of Granada Hall, in Barbadoes, and of English, and Newnham Murren, in Oxfordshire, high sheriff for that county in 1764. This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir of Samuel Rous, esq. of Barbadoes, by his wife, Sarah Booth,* relict of Sir Thomas Robinson, bart. governor of Barbadoes, (brother of Richard, Lord Rokeby, Archbishop of Armagh,) and had two sons, viz.

ABEL-ROUS, his heir.

Samuel-Rous, of English, in the county of Oxford, and of Haudley, in Dorsetshire, a captain in the 3rd dragoon guards, *m.* Anne, daughter of William Wood, esq. of Gallon Hill, in the county of Renfrew, but *d. s. p.* in 1797.

Mr. Dottin *d.* in 1782, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present ABEL ROUS DOTTIN, esq. of Bugle Hall.

Arms—Pean, two lions, passant, in pale, per pale or and arg.

Crest—A doe trippant ppr. charged on the body with three torteaux, in fesse.

Town Residence—31, Argylle Street.

Seat—Bugle Hall, Hants.

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* This lady was crushed to death (in her eightieth year) in the dreadful Hurricane at Barbadoes, anno 1780.

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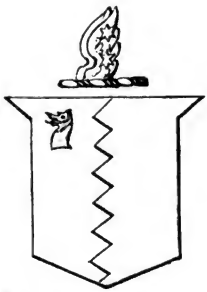
PENRICE, OF YARMOUTH.

PENRICE, JOHN, esq. of Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, late Captain 15th or King's Hussars, *b.* 4th June, 1787, *m.* in June, 1816, Maria-Catharine, eldest daughter of Herbert Newton Jarrett, esq. of Great Bromley Lodge, in Essex, by whom he has, with other issue,

JOHN, *b.* 5th December, 1818.
Thomas, *b.* 6th April, 1820.
Herbert-Newton.
Maria-Catharine.
Caroline-Leonora.
Isabella.

Captain Penrice *s.* to his estates as eldest co-heir of his father, 2nd November, 1816.

Lineage.



THOMAS PENRICE, esq. of Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, (descended from an ancient family of the same name, in Worcestershire, of which was Sir John Penrice, of Penrice Castle, in the county of Glamorgan, whose heiress espousing Sir Hugh Mansel, knt. conveyed the estate of Penrice to that house) was the residuary legatee of John Howe, last Lord Chedworth, and inherited his lordship's estates in Gloucestershire and Wiltshire, which he sold in 1810.

Having been blessed with a natural strong mind improved by a good education, Mr. Penrice made considerable attainment in the study of history and the belles letters. In music he was an adept, and to the polite arts he was much attached. Of his knowledge in the latter, his Rubens, Titians, Gaidos, Wouvermanns, Ostade, &c. will ever bear respectable testimony. He *d.* 2nd November, 1816, and after giving his mansion, with a sum of money to his wife, during her life, and in remainder to his eldest son, he divided his large property amongst his five surviving children,

1. JOHN, representative of the family.
2. Thomas, *b.* 12th March, 1789, of Kilvrough House, in the county of Glamorgan, which manor, with other estates in the same shire, he purchased in 1820. This gentleman, late a captain in the 16th, or Queen's Lancers, served in all the Peninsular Campaigns under the Duke of Wellington.
3. Charles, *b.* 12th September, 1791, in holy orders, who purchased in 1817, the Plumstead Hall estates, and the perpetual advowsons of Plumstead, Witton, and Brundell.
4. Hannah-Green, *m.* in November, 1805, to Andrew Fountaine, esq. of Narford Hall, Norfolk, high sheriff for that county in 1829, and has issue.
5. Mary, *m.* in May, 1812, to Thomas Trench Berney, esq. of Morton Hall, and Braconash Hall, in the county of Norfolk, and high sheriff for that shire, in 1813.

Arms—Party per pale indented arg. and gules, in canton, a wolf's head couped at the neck sable.

Crest—A wing elevated surmounting another, argent, the former charged with two mullets of six points in pale gu.

Motto—Above the crest, Tuto et celeriter. Under the arms, Justus et propositi tenax.

Seats—Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Hopland Hall, Suffolk.

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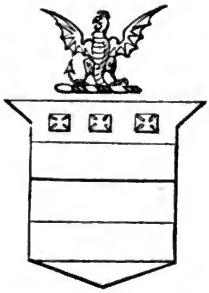
WINSTANLEY, OF BRAUNSTON.

WINSTANLEY, CLEMENT, esq. of Braunston Hall, in the county of Leicester, *b.* in 1775, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father in 1808, and served the office of high sheriff of Leicestershire, in 1815.

Lineage.



The family of WINSTANLEY is of remote antiquity in the county of Lancaster, the name occurring in the records of that shire, as far back as the reign of HENRY III. Among its early progenitors, SIR THOMAS WINSTANLEY is mentioned by Froissart and Barnes, as one of the knights attendant upon the Black Prince, in his expedition into Spain, to place Don Pedro upon the throne. The successors of this gallant warrior, allying with the houses of Standish, Worsley, Waller, Longton, &c. remained seated at WINSTANLEY, in Lancashire, until the close of the sixteenth century, when JAMES WINSTANLEY, of Winstanley, one of the poor knights of Windsor, is presumed to have alienated to the Bankeses, the patrimonial mansion and estates.

JAMES WINSTANLEY, esq. *b.* in 1600, a scion of the Lancashire family, was admitted of Gray's Inn in 1624, and was appointed recorder of Leicester in 1653. He had previously, 25th May, 1650, purchased the manor of BRAUNSTON from the Hastings. He espoused Catherine, daughter of Clement Moss, esq. and had issue,

1. CLEMENT, *his heir.*
2. Susanna, *m.* first to — Austin, esq. of Derhams, near Barnet, but had no issue. She espoused secondly, Sir Edmund Prideaux, bart. of Netherton, and had a son,
   - SIR EDMUND PRIDEAUX, bart. who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Samuel Reynardson, esq. of Hillingdon, in Middlesex, by whom he had an only daughter,
     - MARY (co-heir), who wedded James Winstanley, esq. and had issue.

   Sir Edmund espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of Philip Hawkins, esq. of Pennans, in Cornwall, by whom he had another daughter,
   - ANNE (co-heir), *m.* to John Pendarves Basset, esq. of Tihiddy, and had a son,
     - JOHN PRIDEAUX BASSET, esq. who *d.* unmarried in 1756, when the estates of the Bassets devolved upon FRANCIS BASSET, his uncle. The eldest son of this Francis was afterwards elevated to the peerage as BARON DE DUNSTANVILLE. *(See Burke's Peerage.)*
3. Catherine, *m.* to Colonel Silas Titus.*

* This celebrated person was son of SILAS TITUS, of Bushey, Herts, gent. He was *b.* in 1612-13—entered a commoner of Christ Church, Oxford, in 1637, and became, about 1640, a member of one of the inns of court. In the grand Rebellion, when the Parliament raised an army against the king, he obtained a captain's commission, but disapproving of the course pursued by the Independants, abandoned his colours for the royal standard, and was subsequently of eminent service to the two CHARLESES. Colonel Titus was a man of wit, and author of the celebrated pamphlet, secretly published, called "Killing no Murder." In this satyrical production, several cogent reasons are offered to the USURPER, why he should put himself to death. CROMWELL is said to have been exceedingly terrified, and to have doubted whether

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Mr. Winstanley *d.* 13th Nov. 1666, and was interred at Edmonton, in Middlesex. He was *s.* by his son,

CLEMENT WINSTANLEY, esq. of Braunston, who *m.* in 1668, Catherine, daughter of Sir Francis Willoughby, knt. M.P. for Notts, and dying in 1672, was *s.* by his son,

JAMES WINSTANLEY, esq. of Braunston. This gentleman represented the borough of Leicester from 1701 until his decease in 1718-19. He *m.* Frances, daughter and co-heir of James Holt, esq. of Castleton, in the county of Lancaster, and had issue,

- JAMES, *his heir.*
- Robert, *d.* unmarried.
- Anne-Letitia, *m.* to Sir Benjamin Trueman, of the city of London, an eminent brewer there.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Herrick, esq. of Newark, and *d.* in 1757.
- Cassandra, *d.* unmarried in 1797.

Mr. Winstanley was *s.* at his decease, in January, 1718-19, by his elder son,

JAMES WINSTANLEY, esq. of Braunston, high sheriff of Leicestershire, who *m.* his cousin, Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir Edmund Prideaux, bart. by whom (who *d.* in 1758) he left issue,

- CLEMENT, *his successor.*
- Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Carlyon, of Truro, and had issue.
- Elizabeth.
- Anne, *m.* to Leonard Fosbrooke, esq. of Shardlow, in the county of Derby, and had issue.
- Susanna.
- Frances, *m.* to — Butts, esq.

He *d.* in March, 1770, and was *s.* by his son,

CLEMENT WINSTANLEY, esq. who served the office of sheriff for the county of Leicester, in 1774, and the respect evinced towards him upon that occasion, at the assizes, by the gentlemen of the shire, is worthy of observation. They arrayed themselves in blue coats with crimson collars, and attended him from his seat at Leicester, in something like military order. During the shrivalty of Mr. Winstanley, the great contest for the county occurred between John Peach Hungerford and William Pochin, esquires, in the progress of which the sheriff received the compliments of both parties, for his impartiality and integrity. He *m.* Jane, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Parkyns, bart. of Bunny, and sister of the first Lord Rancliffe, by whom he had four sons and two daughters, viz.

- CLEMENT, *his heir*
- James.
- Thomas, *d. s.p.* in 1804.
- George, *m.* Mary, only daughter of the Rev. William Birch, of Rugby, and has issue,
  1. Clement-George.
  2. James-Beaumont.
  3. Anna-Jane.
  4. Mary-Elizabeth.
- Anne-Jane, *m.* to Charles-William Pochin, esq. of Barkby.
- Mary-Elizabeth.

Mr. Winstanley *d.* in 1808, after having discharged, in a most exemplary manner, the several duties of public and private life, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CLEMENT WINSTANLEY, esq. of Braunston Hall.

Arms—Or, two bars, az. in chief, three crosses, pattée gu. Quartering the arms of HOLT, PRIDEAUX, &c. &c.

Crest—A cockatrice displayed or, crest and jelloped gu.

Estates—At Braunston, Kirby, &c. in Leicestershire, possessed since 1650.

Seat—Braunston Hall, in the county of Leicester.

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he should not follow the author's advice, to avoid the pistol of the assassin. Titus, who was not known to be the author till after the Restoration, had a colonel's commission given him by *King* CHARLES II, who made him one of the grooms of his bedchamber. He sometimes, to divert the king, or sink a declining favorite, practised buffooneries, better suited to Bartholomew Fair than to the court of a prince, who certainly understood decorum and politeness. Though Titus had pleaded strongly in parliament for the exclusion of the Duke of York, he was no less urgent for the abolition of the test and penal laws, as the surest bulwark against Popery. In the reign of *King* JAMES, he was sworn of the privy council. He *d.* in 1704, aged 82.—GRAINGER.

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NELSON, OF CHADDLEWORTH.

NELSON-KERR, GEORGE-WILLIAM, esq. of Chaddleworth, in the county of Berks, succeeded his father on the 13th January, 1821.

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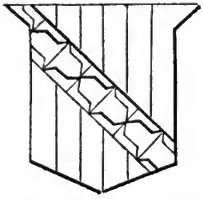

The family of NELSON, originally of the county of Lancaster, settled in Berkshire, *temp.* ELIZABETH.

RICHARD NELSON, of Maudesley, in Lancashire, was living there in the reign of EDWARD III. In 1377, he gave and confirmed to Warine de Golborne and Alice, his wife, daughter of the said Richard, certain lands in Maudesley, with remainder in default of issue, to George Nelson, son of Robert Nelson, and his lawful heirs This deed is dated 1 RICHARD II., and sealed with the arms, "a cross, over which a bendlet." In 1405,

ROBERT NELSON, of Maudesley, confirmed by deed, certain lands, to Peter Banester and Edward Maudesley, chaplains, dated at Maudesley, anno 6th HENRY IV., and sealed with the same arms. The grandson of GEORGE NELSON, above mentioned,

RICHARD NELSON, was living in 1508, as appears by an indenture of that date. He had three sons,

I. RICHARD, who inherited Maudesley.
II. WILLIAM, who settled at Chaddleworth, and of whom presently.
III. Thomas, of Wrightington, in Lancashire, who *m.* Cecily, daughter of Ralph Maxsey, esq. and had two sons,
  1. Richard, of Fayrehurst, in Lancashire, who *d. s. p.* about 1618.
  2. Thomas, who *m.* — daughter of Morton, of Morton, in Yorkshire, and died in 1621, leaving with a younger son and daughter,

MAXEY, of Fayrehurst, a captain in the Royal Army, slain at Marston Moor. He left by Helen, his wife, daughter of William Travers, esq. of Neatby, in Lancashire, one son and successor,

THOMAS, of Fayrehurst, living in 1664. This gentleman *m.* first, Bridget, daughter of Robert Molyneux, esq. of the Wood in Lancashire, by whom he had a daughter Ellen, *m.* to Nicholas Halliwell, of Harrock Hill, in Lancashire. He espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of Thomas Hesketh, esq. of Maynes, and had several other children.

The second son,

WILLIAM NELSON, was bred up to the study of the law, and became chief prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas. He purchased in 1576, the manor of Chaddleworth, in Berkshire, from William Brounker, esq. He *m.* Dorothy, daughter of John Smith, esq. serjeant-at-law, and serjeant-at-arms in the court of HENRY VIII., by whom (who *d.* in 1619) he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Mary, *m.* to Sir John Ducket, knt.
Ursula.
Elizabeth, *m.* to — Zouche, and died a widow in 1630.
Frances.
Anne.
Winifred.
Agnes.

Mr. Nelson died between the years 1588, and 1594, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS NELSON, esq. of Chaddleworth, who was in the commission of the peace for the county of Berks, in 1601. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Stephen Ducket, esq. of Calne, in Wilts, and had issue,

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WILLIAM, his successor.
Ducket.
Francis.
Thomas.
Mary, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Blagrave, rector of Purley, in the county of Berks.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Castillion, esq. of Benham Valence, in Berkshire.

He *d.* in 1647, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM NELSON, esq. of Chaddleworth, *b.* in 1611, who *m.* first, Joanna, daughter of Richard Lybbe, esq. of Hardwick, in Oxfordshire, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Anne.
Mary.
Jane, *m.* to John Scrope, esq. of Castle Combe, in the county of Wilts.

He espoused secondly, Dorothy, daughter of John Pocock, gent. of Woolley, by whom he had, William, Francis, George, Henry, John, Dorothy, and Elizabeth.

Mr. Nelson, who was a justice of the peace for Berks, *d.* in 1631, was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES NELSON, esq. of Chaddleworth, *b.* in 1638. This gentleman *d.* in 1692, and was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS NELSON, esq. of Chaddleworth, who *m.* first, Anne, daughter of — Allnutt, esq. of Ipstone, in Buckinghamshire, and had four daughters, viz.

1. ANNE, who *m.* Richard Walter, esq. and had two children, viz.
   RICHARD WALTER, who eventually inherited the whole of his grandfather's property.
   MARY WALTER, who *m.* John Kerr, esq. and had issue,
   Nelson Kerr, in holy orders, LL.B. rector of Tilbrook, in Bedfordshire, *m.* in 1808, Sarah, daughter of the Rev. — Crofts, rector of Lewes, Sussex.
   Robert Kerr, *d.* unmarried in 1804.
   GEORGE KERR, of whom presently, as inheritor of the Chaddleworth estate.
   Elizabeth Kerr, *m.* in 1798, to William Wiseman Clarke, esq. of Ardington, and dying 24th February, 1825, left one son,
   William Nelson Clarke.
2. Mary, *d.* unmarried, in 1772.
3. Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried, in 1791.
4. Martha, *d.* unmarried, in 1759.

Mr. Nelson espoused secondly, Isabella, daughter of Francis Merick, esq. of Norcutt, in Middlesex, but had no other issue. He *d.* in 1748, and his grandson,

RICHARD WALTER, becoming (on the decease of his aunts) sole heir to the fortune, assumed the surname of NELSON, at the request of the last survivor. He died unmarried, in 1805, and bequeathed the Chaddleworth estate to (the youngest son of his sister) his nephew,

GEORGE KERR, who in consequence assumed by sign manual, the additional surname of NELSON. He *m.* in 1812, Charlotte, second daughter of William Hallet, esq. then of Denford, in the county of Berks, and had issue,

GEORGE-WILLIAM, present proprietor.
Frederick.
Edward.
Charlotte-Elizabeth.
Anne.

Mr. Kerr-Nelson *d.* 13th January, 1821, and was *s.* by his eldest son, George-William Kerr-Nelson, esq. the present proprietor of Chaddleworth.

Arms— Paly of six, ar. and gu. a bend vairee or and sa.

Seat—Caddleworth House, six miles from Wantage, and nine from Newberry; a modern mansion, erected by the last proprietor, about the year 1810.

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HAMMOND, OF WISTASTON.

HAMMOND, JAMES-WALTHALL, esq. of Wistaston Hall, in the county of Chester, *b.* 4th May, 1805, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 22nd September, 1822.

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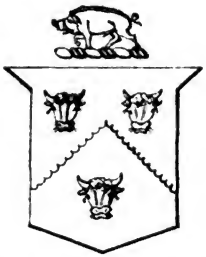

THOMAS WALTHALL, esq. descended from the Walthalls of Walthall, in the county of Westmoreland, living temp. Henry VII. espoused Margaret, daughter of Sir William Stanley, bart. of Hooton, in the county of Chester, and had issue,

THOMAS.
Roger.

The elder son,

THOMAS WALTHALL, esq. *m.* Alice, dau. and co-heiress of John Marchomley, esq. of Marchomley, in the county of Salop, and had issue a son and heir,

GILBERT WALTHALL, esq. who wedded Johanna, daughter and heiress of Randle Crewe, esq. of Alvaston, in the county of Chester, by whom he had issue,

ROGER, his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Roger Maisterson, esq. of Nantwich.
Agnes, *d.* unmarried.

ROGER WALTHALL, esq. the only son, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Maisterson, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
RICHARD, successor to his brother.
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Woodnoth, esq. of Shavington, in the county of Chester.
Anne.
Margery.
Isabel.
Margaret.
Jane.
Eleanor.

The elder son,

THOMAS WALTHALL, esq. dying unmarried, was *s.* by his brother,

RICHARD WALTHALL, esq. who *m.* Margaret, daughter and sole heiress of John Alexander, esq. of Wistaston, by whom he had issue,

ALEXANDER, his successor.
Roger.
Helen, *m.* to Gabriel Wetenal, esq. of Coppenhall.

ALEXANDER WALTHALL, esq. the eldest son, espoused Cecilia, daughter and heiress of Randle More, esq. of Hall O'Heath, in the county of Chester, and had, with a dau. Margaret (*m.* to Iwan Pigot, esq. of Chetwynd), a son and successor,

ALEXANDER WALTHALL, esq. who *m.* Alice, daughter of Sir William Skeffington, of Fisherwick, in the county of Stafford. He *d.* in 1657, and was buried at Wistaston, having had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.
Thomas.
Elizabeth, *d.* in 1653.
Hester, *m.* to Thomas Pigott, esq. of Huntley, in the county of Stafford.
Mary, *m.* to Robert Weever, esq. of Poole, in Cheshire.
Grace, *m.* to Laurence Wall, esq. of London.
Margaret.
Cecilia, *m.* to Wm. Holland, esq. of Denton, in the county of Lancaster.
Bridget, *m.* to Wm. Boote, esq. of Wistaston.
Ursula, *m.* to John Pulford, esq. of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh.

The elder son,

RICHARD WALTHALL, esq. fought under the royal banner at the battle of Edgehill, as captain in the king's guards. He was subsequently captain of horse in the same service, a captain of train-bands, and high sheriff for Cheshire in 1676. He *m.* Hannah, daughter of John Tilston, esq. of Haxley, in the county of Chester, and had, with several other children, a son and successor,

JOHN WALTHALL, esq. who *m.* Dorothy,

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daughter of Peter Dutton, esq. of Hatton, in the county of Chester, but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his next brother,

RICHARD WALTHALL, esq. who espoused Mary, daughter of Peter Wilbraham, esq. of Dorfold, in the county of Chester, by Mary, his wife, daughter of Sir Thomas Stanley, of Alderley, bart. and had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.
PETER, who inherited from his brother.
Alexander.
Hannah.
Mary.

The eldest son,

RICHARD WALTHALL, esq. was captain at Nantwich in 1676, and sheriff of Cheshire in 1715. He *m.* Miss Rebecca Hawkins, of Barton, in the county of Stafford, but died *s. p.* 7th June, 1729, when he was *s.* by his next brother,

PETER WALTHALL, esq. who *m.* first, Mrs. Thicknesse, by whom he had two daughters; and, secondly, Amabilia, daughter of — Sandford, esq. of Prees, in Shropshire, and had issue,

PETER, his successor.
Richard, *b.* 9th March, 1733, and *d.* 22nd April, 1766.
Ursula, *d.* 9th April, 1807.
Amabilia, *m.* to James Hammond, esq. and had one son,
JAMES-WALTHALL, heir to his uncle. Mr. Walthall *d.* in Nov. 1744, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER WALTHALL, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev Dr. Brooke, Dean of Chester, by whom (who *d.* 26th Nov. 1802) leaving no issue, at his decease, 25th April, 1818, the estates devolved upon his nephew,

JAMES-WALTHALL HAMMOND, esq. who *m.* Penelope, daughter of Thomas Hector, and had issue,

JAMES-WALTHALL, present proprietor.
Penelope.

He *d.* 22nd Sept. 1822, and was *s.* by his only son, JAMES-WALTHALL HAMMOND, esq. now of Wistaston.

Arms—Per chevron engrailed, gu. and arg. three oxenheads ppr.

Crest—A boar passant ppr.

Estates—Wistaston, Hall o'Heath and Wall Fields, all in the county of Chester.

Seat—Wistaston Hall, near Nantwich

TRELAWNY, OF COLDRINICK.

TRELAWNY, CHARLES, of Coldrinick, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 26th June, 1799, succeeded his father in 1807.

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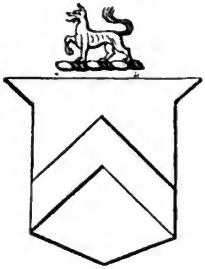

SIR JONATHAN TRELAWNY, of Poole House, wedded Elizabeth, second daughter of Sir Henry Killigrew, and dying in 1604, left two sons, viz.

JOHN, of Trelawny, who was created a BARONET in 1628, and from him have descended the PRESENT baronets of Trelawney.
Edward.

The younger son,

EDWARD TRELAWNY, esq. inherited under the will of his father the estate of Coldrinick. He *m.* Miss Gorges, and was *s.* by his son,

JONATHAN TRELAWNY, esq. of Coldrinick, who espoused Philoclea, daughter of Arthur Burell, esq. and had, with two elder sons, who both *d. s. p.*

EDWARD, his heir.
Mary, *m.* to the Rev. Robert Beele, of Dittisham, and had four daughters, of whom the only one who left issue was — wife of — Pendarves, esq. This lady had two daughters, the elder

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married to Francis Bassett, esq. and the younger to Enys, of Enys.

Mr. Trelawny's third son,

The very Rev.

EDWARD TRELAWNY, Dean of Exeter, became of Coldrinick, and carried on the line of the family. He wedded in 1692, Elizabeth, daughter of THOMAS DARELL, esq. of Chacroft, by whom he left an only son and heir,

CHARLES TRELAWNY, esq. of Coldrinick, who *d.* in 1764, and leaving no issue, devised the estate to the nephew of his mother,

HENRY ST. GEORGE DARELL,* esq. of Richmond. This gentleman assumed in consequence the surname and arms of TRELAWNY. He *d.* issueless, when COLDRINICK passed, in virtue of a further limitation, to his kinsman,

DARELL CRABB, esq. at whose decease *s. p.* in 1795, it devolved upon his cousin,

EDWARD STEPHENS, esq. captain in the royal artillery, who then likewise took the surname of TRELAWNY. He wedded Jane, daughter of Thomas Woolcombe, esq. of Plymouth, and dying in 1807, was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CHARLES TRELAWNY, esq. of Coldrinick.

Arms—Arg. a chevron sa.

Crest—A wolf passant ppr.

Estates—Barton, of Coldrinick, and other lands, in Cornwall; the Barton of Barne, in Devonshire.

Residence—Plymouth.

Seat—COLDRINICK.

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* SIR THOMAS DARELL, knt. of Pageham, a descendant of the Darells of Scotney, was father of

THOMAS DARELL, esq. of London, who *d.* in 1624, leaving, by his wife, Mary, sister and heiress of John Roe, esq. of Trewornan, an only son,

THOMAS DARELL, esq. of Trewornan. This gentleman *d.* in 1698, and had, with younger children,

THOMAS, who died in the life-time of his father. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Brownefield, esq. of Chacroft, and had issue,

1. HENRY, successor to his grandfather at Trewornan. This gentleman represented the borough of Liskeard, in parliament, *temp.* WILLIAM III. He left issue,

   HENRY, who *d. s. p.* in 1731.

   Frances, *m.* to John Crabb, esq. of Plymouth, and was mother of

   DARELL CRABB, who succeeded his cousin, HENRY ST. GEORGE (DARELL) TRELAWNY in the Trelawny estates.

   Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Edward Stephens, and was grandmother of

   EDWARD STEPHENS, captain Royal Artillery, who inherited COLDRINICK from his cousin, DARELL (CRABB) TRELAWNY.

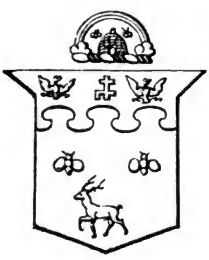
   DARELL STEPHENS, of *Trewornan.*

2. William, *m.* to Frances, daughter of Richard Dayrell, esq. of Lillingston Dayrell, and left a son,

   HENRY ST. GEORGE DARELL, who inherited COLDRINICK, under the will of his first cousin, CHARLES TRELAWNY, esq.

3. ELIZABETH, *m.* as in the text, to the *very Rev. Dean* TRELAWNY.

GOODHART, OF LANGLEY PARK.



GOODHART, EMANUE , esq. of Langley Park, in the county of Kent, *b.* 17th April, 1772, *m.* first, 16th July, 1801, Anne, second daughter of George Joseph Dettman, esq. of Upton, Essex, by whom (who *d.* 19th October, 1802), he had one daughter, Mary-Anne-Charlotte, who *d.* in February, 1803. He espoused, secondly, 10th January, 1805, Christiana, youngest daughter of the Reverend Peter Thomas Burford, and has had issue,

HENRY-EMANUEL, *b.* 26th December, 1805.

George-Wicke, *b.* 27th December, 1806, and *d.* 2nd October, 1825.

Charles-Emanuel, *b.* 28th December, 1818.

Charlotte-Christiana, *m.* in 1832, to Charles Tollor, esq.

Mary-Anne.

Emma.

Caroline-Augusta.

Louisa-Anne, *d.* 6th August, 1818.

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Lineage.

EMANUEL GOODHART, esq. (son of John Henry Goodheart, of Güthardt, whose family had been long established in Hesse Cassel,) came to England in 1752, and was a merchant in London. He *m.* in 1768, Charlotte Imson, whose family came from Hanover with *King* GEORGE I.; of this marriage the present EMANUEL GOODHART, esq. is a younger son.

Arms—Gules, a buck trippant, arg. in chief two bees volant, or, on a chief nebulée of the third, a cross of Lorrain of the field, between two eagles displayed sa.

Crest—A beehive or, between two bees, within a rainbow terminating in clouds, ppr.

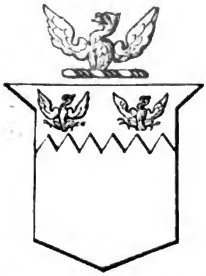
Estates—In Middlesex, Sussex, and Kent.

Seats—Langley Park, Kent, and Crescent Lodge, Brighton, Sussex.

GENT, OF MOYNS.

GENT, GEORGE-WILLIAM, esq. of Moyns Park, in the county of Essex, *b.* in May, 1786, *m.* in 1809, Miss Vatian, of the county of Devon.

Lineage.



The family of GENT appears to have been settled at Wymbish, in Essex, so early as the year 1328.*

WILLIAM GENT, living in 1468, married Joan, daughter and heiress of William le Moyns, and acquired thereby the estate of MOYNS. He had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Joan, *m.* to William Sheldon.

He died before the year 1494, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM GENT, of Moyns, who was father of WILLIAM GENT of Moyns, who kept his first court there in 1537. He *m.* first, Thomasine Everard, but by that lady had no issue. He espoused secondly, Agnes, daughter and heir of Thomas Carr, esq. of Great Thurlow, in Sussex, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GENT, esq. of Moyns. "This gentleman," says Morant, "was a very considerable person in his time, and may be truly styled the glory and ornament of his family." He was bred to the bar, advanced to the coif, in 1584, and constituted one of the barons of the Exchequer in four years afterwards. His lordship was held in the highest estimation for his learning and virtues by *Queen* ELIZABETH, and Thomas Newton, in his *encomia* celebrates him for religion, virtues, piety, and truth.

"Ad D Thoman Gentium Fisci Reginei Baronem
Relligio, virtus, Pietas, Pudor, ac aletheia,
Exculat e terris, mobile vulgus ait.
Fallitur: Eximias nam qui considerat in te
Dotes, &c."

He was counsellor to Edward de Vere, Earl of Oxford, who appointed him by patent dated in 1571, steward of that county for life. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Swallow, of Bockking, and had, with five younger sons,

HENRY, his successor.

Thomas, of Rocliff, in Cumberland, *m.* Mary, sister of Sir John Dalston.

* Inqui: EDWARD III.

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Frances, *m.* to George Bradley, esq. of Cambridgeshire.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry Denston, esq. of Carew, in Cumberland.
Grizel, *m.* to John Lyne, esq. of Norwich.
Bridget, *m.* to Thomas Onwine, esq.
Anne, *m.* to — Hyatt, esq.

His lordship espoused secondly, in 1586, Elizabeth, sister of Morgan Robyns, esq. and widow of Robert Hogeson, esq. of London, but had no other children. He *d.* in 1593, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

HENRY GENT, esq. of Moyns, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Essex, in 1632, and was for several years in the commission of the peace. He *m.* in 1589, Dorothy, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Dalston, of Dalston, (by Anne, daughter and heiress of Thomas Tyrrell, esq. of Warwick, in Essex,) by whom he had, with three younger sons,

1. THOMAS, of Lincoln's Inn, who predeceased his father, (1638,) leaving by his wife Isabella, daughter of Francis Thompson, esq. of Scarborough Castle, in the county of York, an only daughter,
   FRANCES, heiress to a considerable estate. This lady espoused Sir Edmund Alleyn, bart. and left at her decease, in 1657, an only surviving daughter and heiress,
   ARABELLA ALLEYN, who *m.* first, Francis Thompson, esq. of Hambleton, and had a son,
   WILLIAM THOMPSON, M.P. for Scarborough.
   She wedded secondly, Lord George Howard, son of *Henry*, DUKE OF NORFOLK.
2. GEORGE, heir to MOYNS.
3. John, in holy orders, rector of Birdbrook.
4. Frances, *m.* to Devereux Tallakerne, esq.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Henry Young.
6. Dorothy, *m.* to — Cuffe, esq.
7. Hannah, *m.* to Thomas Bayley, esq. of London.
8. Anne.

Mr. Gent died in 1639, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

GEORGE GENT, esq. of Moyns, who wedded first, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Hale, esq. of Teeving, in Hertfordshire, but had no surviving issue. He espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Plaiters, of Setterley, in Suffolk, by whom he had with two younger sons,

GEORGE, his successor.
Anne, *m.* first, to — Banks, esq. and secondly, to — Walker, esq.
Dorothy, *m.* to Henry Jones, esq.

The eldest son and successor,

GEORGE GENT, esq. of Moyns, *m.* Anne, daughter of Radcliffe Todd, esq. of Sturmere Hall, and relict of Thomas Mortlack, esq. by whom he had issue,

1. GEORGE, who wedded Anne, daughter of Robert Wankford, esq. of Toppesfield, and widow of John Elliston, esq. of Overhall, by whom he left at his decease, in the life time of his father, anno 1708,
   GEORGE, heir to his grandfather.
   Henry.
   Annabathea.
   Dudley.
2. Henry.
3. Dudley, *m.* to Deane Cock.
4. Hannah, *m.* to Joseph Unwin, esq. of Hedingham Castle.
5. Anne, *m.* to John Cock, esq.
6. ——, *m.* to William Edwards, esq. of Toppesfield.
7. Martha.
8. Dorothy.

Mr. Gent *d.* in 1713, and was *s.* by his grandson,

GEORGE GENT, esq. of Moyns, a justice of the peace for the county of Essex, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of James Chaplyn, esq. and dying, 14th December, 1746, was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE GENT, esq. of Moyns. This gentleman espoused the daughter and heiress of Thomas Walford, esq. of Hastings Hall, in Essex, and was *s.* at his decease by his son, the present GEORGE-WILLIAM GENT, esq. *of Moyns Park.*

Arms—Erm. a chief indented sa. Quartering the arms of Moyne; viz. or, a cross ingrailed sa. a label of three points, gules, in each point three bezants.

Crest—A demi eagle displayed, ermine.

Estates—MOYNS, in the county of Essex, acquired, in the reign of HENRY VI. by intermarriage with the family of LE MOYNS, who possessed it from the Conquest, and whose name is to be found in the roll of Battel Abbey.* Other lands in the same county, CORNISH HALL, Horsted Hall, &c. &c.

Seat—MOYNS PARK, Steeple Bumpstead, Essex.

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* For this celebrated document, see *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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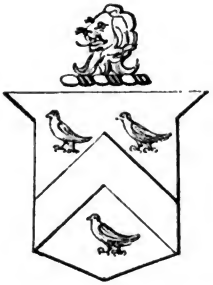
FOOTE, OF CHARLTON-PLACE.

FOOTE, ROBERT, esq. of Charlton-Place, in the county of Kent, *b.* 15th May, 1783, *m.* 24th December, 1802, Charlotte-Augusta, youngest daughter of the Hon. and Right Rev. Frederick Keppel, Lord Bishop of Exeter, fourth son of William Anne, Earl of Albemarle, by Lady Anne Lennox, daughter of the Duke of Richmond. Mr. Foote was high sheriff for Kent in 1815, and is a gentleman of the king's privy chamber.

Lineage.



This family possessed large estates in the county of Cornwall, prior to 1420, but in consequence of a difference in opinion during the war of the ROSES, the greater part was left to the younger branch.

JOHN FOOTE, esq. of Veryan, near Truro, in Cornwall, representative of the elder branch, dying in 1729, left issue,

FRANCIS FOOTE, esq. who espoused Mary, only child and heiress of Benjamin Hatley, esq.* by whom (who *d.* in 1770,) he had issue,

1. Benjamin-Hatley, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Mann, esq. of Linton, and had issue,
   - George-Talbot-Hatley, of Malling Abbey, *b.* in 1745, and *d.* in 1821.
   - John, a banker in London, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Joseph Martin, esq. and had with three sons, who all died unmarried, five daughters, viz. Eleanor, the wife of Sir Brook Bridges, bart. Harriet, of the Rev. Edward Bridges; Lucy; Anne; and Mary.
2. John, in holy orders, who had the living of Yoxal, in Staffordshire, and *d.* unmarried.
3. FRANCIS-HENDER, in holy orders, of whom presently.

The third son,

THE REV. FRANCIS-HENDER FOOTE, purchased in 1765, the Kentish estates. He *m.* Catherine, third daughter of Robert Mann, esq. of Linton, in Kent, and sister of Sir Horace Mann, by whom (who *d.* in 1776,) he had issue,

1. Francis, *d.* young.
2. JOHN, successor to his father.
3. Robert, in holy orders, prebendary of Rochester, *b.* in 1757, who *m.* Miss Anne Yate, but *d. s. p.* in 1805.
4. EDWARD-JAMES, (Sir) K. C. B. Vice-admiral of the Red, of Highfield, near Southampton, *b.* 20th April, 1767. This distinguished officer *m.* first, Nina, daughter of Sir Robert Herries, and had issue, one son Francis, who *m.* in 1832, Charlotte, daughter of Dr. Hubbell, M. D. and two daughters. He espoused secondly, Mary, eldest daughter of Admiral Patton, and had four other daughters.
5. Caroline, *d.* in 1778, unmarried.
6. Catherine, *m.* first, to Colonel Ross, and secondly to Sir Robert Herries, knt.
7. Mary, *d.* in 1789, unmarried.

The Rev. Mr. Foote *d.* in 1773, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

JOHN FOOTE, esq. of Carlton Place, *b.* in 1755. This gentleman espoused Mary, daughter of Edward Cocket, esq. and dying in 1800, left

- ROBERT, his heir.
- Edward-James, a major of brigade, who *d.* in 1824, leaving an only dau.
- John, captain R.N. who *m.* Miss Fanny Pengelby, and has issue.
- Mary, *m.* first, to Daniel Libson, esq and secondly, to Charles Patrick, esq

* This gentleman was the last male representative of a very ancient family, which formerly enjoyed large estates in the counties of Bedford and Cambridge. One of its members, having eminently distinguished himself in the reign of ELIZABETH, was ordered by her majesty to add a sword to his coat of arms.

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Adeline, *m.* to Major Barrington.

Mr. Foote was *s.* by his eldest son.

Arms—Vert a chevron between three martlets, arg. for FOOTE. Quartering: az a sword in bend, point downwards ppr. between two mullets of six points, pierced arg. for HATLEY.

Crest—A lion's head erased.

Motto—Pedetentim.

Estates—Charlton Place, Sherry Court, and manors of Great Haugh and Ashford, all in the county of Kent.

Seat—Charlton Place, near Canterbury

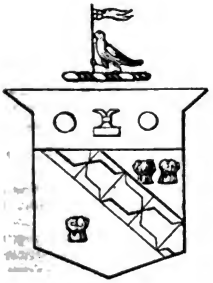
RICARDO, OF GATCOMB.

RICARDO, DAVID, esq. of Gatcomb Park, in the county of Gloucester, *b.* 18th May, 1803, *m.* 1st January, 1824, Catherine, fourth daughter of the late William Thomas St. Quintin, esq. of Scampston, in Yorkshire, and has a son and heir,

GEORGE-ROBERT, *b.* 24th February, 1826.

Mr. Ricardo succeeded his father on the 11th September, 1823.

Lineage.



This family was founded by the celebrated writer on Political Economy,

DAVID RICARDO, a gentleman of Jewish origin, who was *b.* on the 12th April, 1772, and educated in Holland, in order that he might pursue the profession of his father, a Dutch merchant and stock broker, but incurring by an early marriage with a quaker lady of the name of Wilkinson, the displeasure of his friends, he was thrown entirely upon his own resources, the friends of his wife being equally irritated, and obliged to depend solely upon his own industry. Becoming a member of the Stock Exchange, he gradually accumulated an immense fortune, and obtained distinction as a writer upon Finance. In 1810, his opinions upon the deprecation of the currency were first promulgated through the columns of the Morning Chronicle Newspaper, but he subsequently embodied his ideas in a distinct work, and he had the satisfaction to find them adopted and confirmed in the report of the Bullion Committee of the House of Commons. He subsequently published an "Essay on Rent," in which he advocated the principles of Malthus, and entered into an examination of the affairs of the Bank of England. Eventually he proposed an economical currency, and addressed a letter to Mr. Perceval, who was then Chancellor of the Exchequer, upon the subject, but without effect. His most important production was his treatise upon "Political Economy and Taxation," a work said to rank with the celebrated "Wealth of Nations," of Adam Smith. Mr. Ricardo obtained a seat in parliament, in 1819, for the borough of Portarlington, and the same liberality and good sense marked his parliamentary career that had previously characterized his writings. He died of inflammation of the brain, arising from an abscess in the ear, on the 11th September, 1823.

Arms—Gu. a bend vairé arg. and vert, between three garbs or, on a chief ermine a chess rook sa. between two bezants.

Estates—Gatcomb, Gloucestershire, first possessed in 1814, Bishop Court, in the county of Hereford.

Seat—Gatcomb Park.

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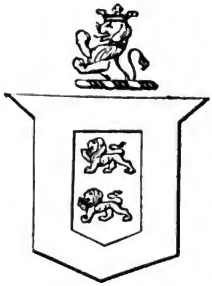
GARNONS, OF COLOMMENDY.

GARNONS, RICHARD, esq. of Colommendy, in the county of Denbigh, a deputy lieutenant for the counties of Carnarvon and Flint, and in the commission of the peace for the same shires, and that of Denbigh, *b.* 19th December, 1773, *m.* 17th April, 1797, Dorothea, third daughter and co-heiress of the Reverend John Foulkes, of Mertyn, in Flintshire, and of Llanrhydd, in the county of Denbigh, vicar of Whitford.



Mr. Garnons commanded the loyal Mold volunteers, raised in 1803, which corps became afterwards the 2nd regiment of royal Flintshire local militia, and he continued lieutenant colonel commandant until the reduction of that force. He succeeded to the Pantdû and Nantlle estates upon the death of his father, 2nd April, 1803, and to his other lands in Carnarvon and Flintshires, at the decease of his mother, 6th May, 1809. Mr. Garnons served the office of sheriff for the county of Flint, in 1804, and for Carnarvonshire in 1805.

Lineage.

This family derives its descent from

ROBERT DE GERNON, one of the companions in arms of the CONQUEROR, who participated largely in the fruits of the CONQUEST. His descendants flourished in the counties of Essex, Cambridge, Lincoln, Derby, and Hereford: from the branch settled in the latter county, descended

JOHN, the son of ROBERT DE GERNON, whose name is to be found in Domesday Book, and who was the first to alter the spelling from "Gernon" to "Garnons;" vide Visitation of Herefordsire, *temp.* JAMES I.

RICHARD GARNONS, (a junior member of the family of the above John,) residing in Pembrokeshire, wedded about the close of the sixteenth, or beginning of the seventeenth century, Catherine, daughter and sole heiress of John Vaughan, second son of Griffith Vaughan, esq. of Corsegedol, and from this marriage lineally descended

RICHARD GARNONS, esq. of Colommendy, who *m.* Anne, surviving daughter, and sole heiress of William Wynne, esq. of Llanwnda, in Carnarvonshire, (by Anne, only daughter of John Wynne, of Leeswood, esq. in the county of Flint, to whom that property devolved in 1793, upon the decease of her first cousin, Margaret, only surviving daughter of Sir George Wynne, bart. and wife of Richard Hill Waring, esq. of the Hayes, in the county of Salop.) By this lady Mr. Garnons had issue,

1. William-Wynne, *b.* 2nd January, 1769, died unmarried a lieutenant in the 23rd regiment, or Royal Welsh Fusileers, at Guadaloupe, 11th April, 1794.
2. RICHARD, successor to his father.
3. Catherine-Jones.

He died 2nd April, 1803, and was *s.* by his only surviving son, the present RICHARD GARNONS, esq.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth gules, two lions passant or, within a bordure azure, for GARNONS; second sa. a chevron between three fleur-de-lis, for WYNNE OF LLANWNDA; third azure, a chevron between three dolphins, embowed hauriant, arg. for WYNNE OF LEESWOOD. In an escutcheon of pretence, quarterly FOULKES OF MERTYN, and ROBERTS OF LLANRHYDD, first and fourth arg. a chevron, between three boars' heads, couped sa. second and third gules, a lion rampant, arg.

Crest—A demi lion rampant, crowned and gorged ducally, or.

Motto—(In Welsh) Nid Cyfoeth, ond Boddlondeb, (In English) Not wealth but contentment.

Estates—In Carnarvon, Flint, and Denbighshires.

Seat—Colommendy, in the county of Denbigh.

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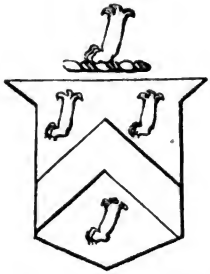
POWELL, OF HURDCOTT-HOUSE.

POWELL, ALEXANDER, esq. of Hurdcott-House, in the county of Wilts, *b.* 9th June, 1782, *m.* in July, 1807, Joanna, second daughter of the Right Reverend Henry Law, Lord Bishop of Bath and Wells, and niece of the late Lord Ellenborough, by whom he has issue,

ALEXANDER-PITTS-ELLIOTT.
George-Francis-Sydenham.
Henry-Lionel.
Anne-Maria.
Joanna.
Jane.
Catherine-Augusta.

Mr. Powell, who represented the borough of Downton for some time in parliament, succeeded his father in January, 1786.

Lineage.



This branch of the ancient house of POWELL, of *Penkelly, in the county of Hereford*, (of which were EDWARD POWELL, master of the requests, who was created a baronet, 18th January, 1621, and WILLIAM POWELL, who attained similar rank on the 23rd January, 1660) spread into Wiltshire about the middle of the 17th century.

JOHN POWELL, esq. of New Sarum, espoused 12th July, 1669, Katherine, daughter of Alexander Thistlewaythe, esq. of Winterstone, in Wilts, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
James, living in 1712, with issue.
Katherine, *m.* to John Buckler, esq.

The elder son and heir,

JOHN POWELL, esq. of New Sarum, *m.* Ann, daughter of John Priaulx, esq. and dying 2nd January, 1737, was interred in St. Thomas's church there. He left, with other issue, a son,

SIR ALEXANDER POWELL, of New Sarum, one of the recorders of that city, who received the honor of knighthood in August, 1762. He *m.* first, Anne, eldest daughter of Thomas Gatehouse, esq. of Lower Wallop, Hampshire, by whom (who *d.* 26th April, 1747) he had no issue. He wedded, secondly, Rebecca, daughter of Matthew Pitts, esq. of Hurdcott-House, which lady dying *s.p.* 11th March, 1753, Sir Alexander espoused, thirdly, Catherine, daughter of the Right Reverend Edward Willes, D.D. Lord Bishop of Bath and Wells, uncle to Sir John Willes, knt. lord chief justice of the court of common pleas, and had issue,

Alexander, who *d.* in infancy, in 1760.
Alexander, who *d.* in 1779, at the age of seventeen.
FRANCIS, heir to his father.
Catherine, *d.* unm. in January, 1777.
Ann, *m.* to Nicholas Elliot, esq. of Winterbourne, and *d. s.p.*

Sir Alexander *d.* 1st April, 1784, at the age of sixty-seven, and was buried at St. Thomas's. His only surviving son and heir,

FRANCIS POWELL, esq. of Hurdcott-House, in the county of Wilts, *m.* Anna Maria, daughter of Sydenham Burroughs, esq. of New-Sarum, by whom (who *d.* in 1825) he left at his demise, in January, 1786, an only son and heir, the present ALEXANDER POWELL, esq. of Hurdcott-House.

Arms—Or, a chevron between three lions, gambs erect and erased gu.

Crest—A lion's gamb as in the arms.

Motto—Spes mea, Christus erit.

Estates—In Wiltshire and Somerset.

Seat—Hurdcott-House, Wilts.

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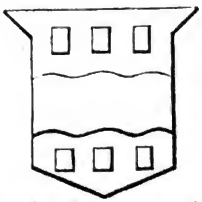
DOWDESWELL, OF PULL COURT.

DOWDESWELL, JOHN-EDMUND, esq. of Pull Court, in the county of Worcester, *m.* Miss Carolina Brietzcke, and has issue,

WILLIAM M. P. John-Christopher.
Catharine, *m.* to R. B. Berens, esq. of Lincoln's Inn.

Mr. Dowdeswell inherited the estates of his family in the counties of Gloucester and Worcester, upon the decease of his brother General Dowdeswell, unmarried, 1st December, 1828. He is a master in Chancery, and was formerly M.P. for Tewkesbury.

Lineage.



The family of DOWDESWELL has been seated for more than two centuries in the county of Worcester.

JOHN DOWDESWELL, esq. living at Hill House, Parish of Bushley, in Worcestershire, temp. ELIZABETH, married thrice, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROGER DOWDESWELL, esq. of New Inn, who wedded Martha, daughter of Giles Blomer, esq. (the grandson and heir of Joanna Tyndale, of Pull Court, in Worcestershire), by whom he had, with other issue,

RICHARD, his successor.

William, in holy orders, D. C. L. Vicar of Tirley and Prebend of Worcester. Wood, in his Athenæ, mentions Dr. Dowdeswell as "a learned man, and one often commended for his literary attainments."

This Roger Dowdeswell acquired a large landed property by purchase. In 1606 he bought Hill House, from the family of Wrenford, and in three years afterwards the estates of Oxeye and Frogmore from his father-in-law, Mr. Blomer. He obtained, subsequently, the manor of Pull. He *d.* in 1633, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD DOWDESWELL, esq. who further augmented the estates of the family by purchasing the manor of BUSHLEY, in Worcestershire. This gentleman was a zealous upholder of royalty during the unfortunate reign of CHARLES I. and suffered severely for his loyalty to the king. He outlived that season of disaster, however, and represented the borough of Tewkesbury after the Restoration. In the House of Commons he proved an active member, and was upon most of the committees appointed to adopt measures against the Regicides. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Charles Pleydell, of Mydge Hall, in Wiltshire, and dying in 1673 was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM DOWDESWELL, esq. of Bushley, high sheriff for the county of Worcester in 1678, who *m.* in 1652, Judith, daughter of Sir James Wymondsell, knt. of Putney, and was *s.* at his decease in 1683, by his son,

RICHARD DOWDESWELL, esq. of Bushley, high sheriff for Worcestershire in 1689, and M.P. for Tewkesbury in ten successive parliaments. This gentleman wedded, in 1676, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Edward Winnington, bart. and dying in 1711 was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM DOWDESWELL, esq. of Pull Court, who espoused, first, in 1711, the Honorable Catherine Cockayne, daughter of Lord Cullen, by whom (who *d.* in 1716) he had an only surviving daughter, FRANCES, *m.* to William Basil, esq. Mr. Dowdeswell *m.* secondly, in 1719, Anne, daughter of Anthony Hammond, esq. the elegiac poet, and great grandaughter of Sir Dudley Digges, bart. M. P. By this lady he had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

George, M. D. who wedded, in 1760, Elizabeth, dau. of Richard Buckle, esq. of Chaceley, and had three sons, viz. WILLIAM, Charles, and George, with a daughter, Frances.

Thomas, *d.* young.

Mr. Dowdeswell represented Tewkesbury in parliament, and was sheriff of Worcestershire, in 1726. He *d.* in 1728, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Right Honorable

WILLIAM DOWDESWELL, of Pull Court. This gentleman, one of the leading statesmen of his day, filled the office of CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER in the short-lived administration of the Marquess of Rockingham, in 1765; and was then sworn of the Privy Council. He represented the borough Tewkesbury in parliament, in 1747; and he was returned for the county of Worcester

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in 1761, which he thenceforward continued to represent. He *m.* in 1747, Bridget, youngest daughter of Sir William Codrington, bart. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Charles, *d.* in 1776.
WILLIAM, who succeeded his elder brother.
EDWARD-CHRISTOPHER, in holy orders, D.D. canon of Christ Church, Oxford, who inherited the Lancashire estates at the decease of his brother WILLIAM.
JOHN-EDMUND, who inherited the Worcestershire and Gloucestershire estates at the decease of his brother William.
Elizabeth, *m.* to the late Sir William-Weller Pepys, bart. and had, with other issue, the present SIR WILLIAM-WELLER PEPYS, bart.
Charlotte.
Arabella.
Mary.
Theodosia, *d.* unm. in 1831.
Diana.
Caroline.

The right honorable gentleman died in 1775, having previously filled the chair of the Worcestershire Quarter Sessions for several years. The following epitaph from the pen of EDMUND BURKE, presents a faithful delineation of his character:

To the Memory of
WILLIAM DOWDESWELL,
Representative in Parliament for the county of Worcester,
Chancellor of the Exchequer in the years 1765 and 1766, and a member of the King's Privy Council:
A SENATOR FOR TWENTY YEARS, A MINISTER FOR ONE, A VIRTUOUS CITIZEN FOR HIS WHOLE LIFE.
A man of unshaken constancy, inflexible integrity, unremitted industry.
His mind was generous, open, sincere.
His manners plain, simple, and noble: rejecting all sorts of duplicity and disguise
As useless to his designs and odious to his nature.
His understanding was comprehensive, steady, vigorous, made for the practicable business of the State.
In debate, he was clear, natural and convincing.
His knowledge in all things which concerned his duty profound.
He understood beyond any man of his time the REVENUES of his COUNTRY:
Which he preferred to every thing except its LIBERTIES.
He was perfect master of the law of Parliament, and attached to its privileges, until they were set
Up against the RIGHTS of the PEOPLE.
All the proceedings which have weakened Government, endangered FREEDOM, and distracted the
British Empire, were, by him, strenuously opposed;
And his last efforts, under which his health sunk, were to preserve
His country from a civil war, which being
Unable to prevent, he had not the misfortune to see.
He was not more respectable on the public scene, than amiable in private life:
Immersed in the greatest affairs, he never lost the ancient, native, genuine English character of a
Country Gentleman,
Disdaining and neglecting no office in life.
He was a useful municipal magistrate: with great care and clear judgment administering justice,
Maintaining the police, relieving the distresses and regulating the manners of the people
in the neighbourhood,
As husband, father, the kindlest, gentlest, most indulgent.
He was every thing to his family except what he gave up to his country.
His widow, who labours with life, in order to form
The minds of his eleven children to the resemblance
Of their father, erects this Monument.

Mr. Dowdeswell was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS DOWDESWELL, esq. of Pull Court, who had entered early into the military service of his country, but owing to the fatigue and cold which he experienced while upon active service with his regiment in America, he became totally blind before his thirty-third year. Miss Seward, in one of her "Letters," gives a most interesting description of Pull Court and its inmates at this period. Mr. Dowdeswell *m.* in 1798, Magdalena, second daughter of Sir Thomas Pasley, bart. but dying issueless, in 1811, the estates devolved upon his next brother.

WILLIAM DOWDESWELL, esq. who thus became "of Pull Court." This gentleman having adopted the profession of arms, served with high reputation in different parts of the world, and attained the rank of GENERAL in his Majesty's service. General Dowdeswell represented Tewkesbury in parliament from 1792 to 1796. He died on the 1st December, 1828, unmarried, when his Lancashire estates devolved upon his next brother, EDWARD CHRISTOPHER DOWDESWELL, D.D. canon of Christ Church, Oxford; while those in the counties of Worcester and Gloucester passed to his youngest brother, the present EDMUND DOWDESWELL, esq. of Pull Court.

Arms—Ar. a fesse wavy between six billets sa.

Estates—In Worcestershire and Gloucestershire.

Town Residence—Park Place, St. James's.

Seat—Pull Court.

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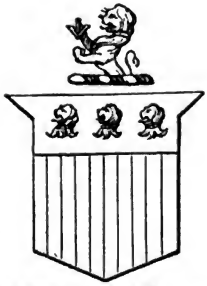
WERGE, OF HEXGRAVE PARK.

WERGE, EDWARDS, esq. of Hexgrave Park, in the county of Nottingham, *m.* 6th June, 1811, Elizabeth, only child of the late John Reynolds, esq. of Bilsthorpe, by whom (who *d.* 6th April, 1823) he has issue,

JOHN-INGALL, *b.* 18th March, 1812, an officer in the army.
William, *b.* 14th November, 1820.
Henry-Reynolds, *b.* 23rd December, 1822.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Hugh Bruce Campbell, esq. of Nottingham.
Mary-Anne.

Lineage.



In the reign of CHARLES II.

THE REV. RICHARD WERGE, A.M. rector of Nailston, in Leicestershire, (descended from a family of the same name in Sussex) exchanged with the Rev. Wm. Cave, A.M. for the rectory of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, and *d.* in 1685, leaving an only son,

THE REV. JOHN WERGE, A.M. vicar of Kirknewton, in Northumberland, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Wood, esq. of Fallowden, in the same county, and had issue,

1. RICHARD, M.A. in holy orders, vicar of Hartburn, whose line is now extinct.
2. Edwards, who *d*, unm.
3. THOMAS, of whom presently.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* to — Selby, esq. of Elwick, and left issue.

The third son,

THOMAS WERGE, esq. settled at Horton Castle, in the county of Northumberland. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Wilson, esq. of Milfield, and had issue,

1. Thomas, who *d.* upon his estate of Belford in Jamaica, *s. p.*
2. JOHN, successor to his father.
3. Elizabeth, *m.* to George Reed, esq. of Hoppen.

Thomas Werge *d.* in 1764, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

JOHN WERGE, esq. of Horton Castle, who *m.* Margaret, sister of Thomas Younghusband, esq. of Marden, and dying, in 1786, left five sons and three daughters,

1. Thomas, who *d.* of the yellow fever, in the island of Jamaica, an ensign in the 10th regiment of foot.
2. Oswald, late lieutenant-colonel in the 17th light dragoons, who *m.* Ellen, daughter of the Rev. Robert Dean, vicar of Bolton-le-Moors, in Lancashire, and died 4th Sept. 1831, leaving issue.
3. John, late a major in the army, and senior captain in the 38th regiment, who gloriously fell at the storming of St. Sebastian, whilst leading the grenadier company to the breach. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. Nathaniel Ellison, A.M. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and had issue.
4. EDWARDS, present possessor of Hexgrave Park.
5. Richard, who was lost on his passage home from America.
6. Margaret, *m.* to Francis Peacock, esq. of Wallsend.
7. Elizabeth, who *d.* unm.
8. Anne, *m.* to the late Henry Howey, esq.

Arms.—Barry of ten gu. and arg. on a chief sa. three lions' heads erased, or, gorged with collars, gu. each collar charged with three torteaux.

Crest—A demi-lion, rampant ga. holding in his right paw a pheon purpure, charged with three torteaux.

Seat.—Hexgrave Park, near Southwell, Notts. (For a fuller account of the descent see vol. ii. p. xxii.)

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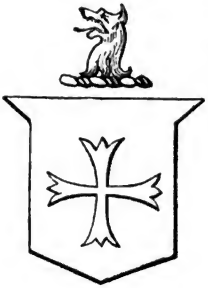
WARD, OF GUILSBOROUGH.



WARD - LUCAS, WILLIAM - ZOUCH, esq. of Guilsborough, and of Great Addington Hall, both in the county of Northampton, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for that shire, *b.* in 1760, *m.* in 1783, Mary, only child and heiress of Richard Lambe, esq. of Great Addington, and eventually heiress to her uncles William Lambe, esq. of Stanwick, and the Reverend Robert Lambe, of Great Addington. By this lady he has had issue,

WILLIAM.
Robert-Lambe, who *d. s.p.*
Richard, in holy orders.
John, who assumed in 1831, by sign manual, the additional surnames of BOUGHTON and LEIGH. He *m.* in 1811, Theodosia de Malsburgh, only surviving daughter and heiress of Sir Egerton Leigh,* second baronet of the family of the West-Hall, in High Leigh, by Theodosia, only daughter and eventually heiress of Sir Edward Boughton, sixth bart. and has with other issue,
JOHN-BOUGHTON-EGERTON.
Edward-Allesley-Boughton.
Mr. Ward-Boughton-Leigh is an acting magistrate for the counties of Warwick and Northampton, and a deputy lieutenant of the latter shire.
Marianne, *m.* to William Abbot, esq. of Warnford Park, Hants.
Caroline, *m.* to William Fowler Jones, esq. of Ashurst Park, Kent.

This gentleman, whose patronimic is LUCAS, assumed in 1783, the additional surname of WARD, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his uncle, Sir Thomas Ward. He was sheriff of Northamptonshire in 1785.

Lineage.

This family, variously written *Ward*, *Warde*, *de Warde*, and *de la Warde*, is of great antiquity in the county of Northampton. As far back as the reign of EDWARD III., Simon de Warde, sate in parliament for that shire, and Richard Ward was elected for the borough of Northampton in the 9th HENRY VI.

The immediate ancestor of the branch we are now treating of,

WILLIAM WARD, esq. of Winwick, espoused the daughter of Justice Largo, esq. of Feddingworth, and dying in 1596, left two sons,

LEONARD, rector of Winwick, in 1591, who *m.* the sister of the Lord Bishop Cooper, by whom he had two sons, who *d.* without male issue, and a daughter married at Leicester,

And,

JOHN WARD, esq. who *m.* Miss Waring, and was *s.* at his decease in 1629, by his son,

THE REV. JOHN WARD, *b.* in 1601, vicar of Spratton, to which living he had been presented by his father in 1626. He *m.* Letitia ——, and dying in 1660, left two sons and a daughter, viz.

JOHN, in holy orders, who was presented in 1662, to the vicarage of Stratford on Avon, by Lionel, Earl of Middlesex. In 1666, he obtained from the Archbishop of Canterbury, a licence to practise physic, in two years after he was appointed chaplain to *King* CHARLES the Second, and presented to the rectory of Dorsington, in Gloucestershire, by Thomas Rawlins, esq. From this gentleman's MSS. which are numerous, he appears to have been a man of great

* This gentleman was descended in the female line from the Hon. Thomas Egerton, second son of John, second Earl of Bridgewater, by Elizabeth, daughter of William Cavendish, the loyal Duke of Newcastle.

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learning, and an eminent divine and physician. He *d.* unmarried in 1681.

THOMAS, of whom presently.

Sarah, *m.* to William Clarke, esq. of Loddington, and had a daughter, heiress to her father,

SARAH CLARKE, who wedded Randolph Wickes, esq. of Hazlebeech, and was mother of Randolph Wickes, esq. high-sheriff of Northampton in 1703.

The second son,

THE REV. THOMAS WARD, of the University College, Oxford, was presented to the rectory of Ould, in Northamptonshire, in 1668, by John Clement, esq. to whom Lord Hatton, the patron, had granted the next presentation, and at the same time appointed his lordship's chaplain. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Lucas, esq. of Guilsborough, and dying in 1706, left surviving issue,

JOHN.

Thomas, *b.* in 1678, Fellow of Oriel College, Oxon, and rector of Hazlebeech, who *d. s. p.* in 1721.

Samuel, *b.* in 1681, of Wellingborough, who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Henchman, esq. and had an only child, *m.* to William Lambe, esq. of Stanwick.

The eldest surviving son,

JOHN WARD, esq. *b.* in 1675, *m.* Mary, dau. of Thomas Caldecott, esq. of Catthorpe Hall, in Leicestershire, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

Mary, who *m.* John Shuckburgh, esq. and had with two daughters, who both *d.* issueless, a son, JOHN, in holy orders, rector of Bourton, and vicar of Woolston, who *d.* unmarried.

Elizabeth, *b.* in 1715, who *m.* Richard Ward, esq. and had an only son, RICHARD, heir to his uncle.

Ann, *b.* in 1724, who *m.* John Lucas, esq. and had a son,

WILLIAM-ZOUCH LUCAS, who has assumed the additional surname of Ward, and is the present proprietor.

Mr. Ward, who purchased the manors of Guilsborough and Nortoft, in 1710, served the office of Sheriff of Northamptonshire, in 1730. He *d.* the following year, and was *s.* by his only son,

SIR THOMAS WARD, of Guilsborough, *b.* in 1717, who received the honor of knighthood in 1761, having the previous year been high-sheriff of the county of Northampton. He *d.* unmarried in 1778, and was *s.* by his nephew,

RICHARD WARD, esq. of Guilsborough, at whose decease unmarried, the estates devolved upon his first cousin, WILLIAM-ZOUCH LUCAS, esq. who has assumed the additional surname of the family, and is its present representative.

Arms—Az. a cross patonce arg.

Crest—A wolf's head erased.

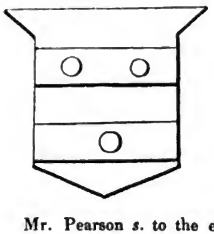
Motto—Sub cruce salus.

Estates—Guilsborough, Great and Little Addington, Nortoft, Coaton, Woodford, Spratton, Hollowell, and other estates in the counties of Northampton and Lancaster.

Seats—Guilsborough and Great Addington Hall.

PEARSON, OF RAVENSBORNE-HOUSE.

PEARSON, CHARLES, esq. of Ravensborne-House, and of Tankerton Tower, both in the county of Kent, *b.* 10th April, 1786, *m.* 20th November, 1810, Eliza, second daughter and co-heiress of Lieutenant Colonel Justly Hill,* (Royal and Bengal artillery), of Walsingham-Hall, in the county of Norfolk, by whom he has issue,



CHARLES-HILL, *b.* 18th August, 1811.
Arthur, *b.* 9th December, 1814.
Justly, *b.* 26th April, 1818.
Herbert, *b.* 14th March, 1825.
Ellis, *b.* 2nd February, 1827.
Eliza.
Matilda.
Fanny.

Mr. Pearson *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 1st June, 1828.

* The family of HILL is of great antiquity in the county of Norfolk. It was formerly seated at Bury St. Edmunds, and maternally derives from the Wests, Lords De la Warr.

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Lineage.

The name of this family at divers periods has been variously written *Persoun, Pereson, Peerson, and Pearson.*

THOMAS PEARSON of Spratton, in the county of Northampton, lived in the reign of RICHARD III. and from him lineally descended,

THOMAS PEARSON, esq. living in 1696, whose son,

THOMAS PEARSON, esq. left at his decease in 1733,

Thomas.
JOHN, of whom presently.
William.
Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Brown, esq. of Spratton.
Bridget, *m.* to — Martin, esq.

The second son,

JOHN PEARSON, esq. *m.* Margaret, dau. of — Brown, esq. of Spratton, and had a son,

THOMAS PEARSON, esq. of Moulton Park, in the county of Northampton, who espoused Martha, only daughter of Thomas Cooper, esq. of Guilsborough, and dying in 1766, left issue,

1. JOHN, who had an only daughter, MARY.
2. Joseph, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Hill, esq. of Walsingham, and left an only daughter, Fanny, *m.* to John Gates, esq.
3. James, who *m.* Rebecca, daughter of J. Filkes, esq. of Woburn, and *d.* in 1784, leaving no male issue.
4. CHARLES, of whom hereafter.
5. Martha, *m.* to William Fabian, esq. of London.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Tilson esq. son of — Tilson, esq. of South hill Hall, in the county of York, and *d.* in 1803, leaving one son, Thomas, and a daughter, Elizabeth.
7. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Andrew, esq. of Harlestone, in the county of Northampton, and *d.* in 1816.
8. Frances, *m.* to John Drake, esq. and *d.* in 1816, leaving issue, Joseph and Sarah.
9. Mehetable, *m.* to Thomas Lord, esq. of Northampton.
10. Sally, *m.* to Tho. Bulmer, esq. and *d.* in 1803, leaving no surviving issue.

The youngest son,

CHARLES PEARSON, esq. *b.* in 1755, married in 1780, Elizabeth, daughter of William Radford, esq. of Thames Ditton, (which lady inherited in 1773, her uncle's property at Tankerton in Kent,) and had issue,

1. CHARLES, present proprietor.
2. Elizabeth. 3. Clara. 4. Amelia.

Mr. Pearson purchased the manor and other property at Whitstable, in 1791, and 1794, from Viscount Bolinbroke. He *d.* 1st June, 1828, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

CHARLES PEARSON, esq. present possessor and only male representative of this branch of the PEARSONS of Northamptonshire.

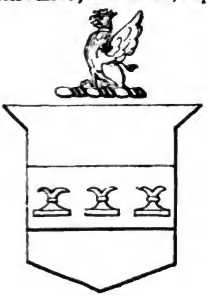
Arms—Ermine, on two bars gu. three ezants.

Estates—Manor of Whitstable, Kent, and divers farms therein, freehold lands in Greenwich and Deptford, at Walton, Essex. Freehold houses in the city of London.

Seats—Ravensborne House, Greenwich, Tankerton Tower, near Whitstable.

HAVERS, OF THELTON HALL.

HAVERS, THOMAS, esq. of Thelton Hall, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* in July, 1787, *m.* in September, 1809, Dorothy, daughter of Forster Charlton, esq. of Alndyke, in Northumberland, and has issue,



THOMAS.
William.
Robert.
John.
Charles.
Richard.
George.
Arthur.

Mr. Havers *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father.

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Lineage.

The HAVERSES had their rise under the noble house of Norfolk, which they had served for many generations.

JOHN HAVERS was gentleman of the horse to John, Duke of Norfolk, and attended him in the battle of Bosworth Field, wherein that nobleman was slain. His successor, another

JOHN HAVERS, of Winfarthing, was steward of the Howard family. He espoused Anne, daughter of — Dussing, of Brome, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
William, who died issueless.
Gilbert, receiver for Norfolk.
Gawdy, married, and had issue.
Edmund.
Anne, *m.* to Edward Ward, of Binley.

The eldest son,

THOMAS HAVERS, of Winfarthing, purchased, in 1592, the manor of Thelton, and erected the present mansion. He married Elizabeth, daughter of William Dale, and had issue,

William, who predeceased his father, *s. p.*
JOHN, heir.
Edward, steward of the Earl of Arundel's court.
Thomas, farmer of the same nobleman's parks, who *m.* in 1617, Miss Anne Ward.
Edmund.
Henry, *m.* to Miss Elizabeth Ward.
Dale.
Anne, *m.* to T. Shardelow, gent.
Elizabeth, *m.* to W. Killingworth.
Dorothy, *m.* to John Whitefoot.
Frances, a nun.
Judith, *m.* to William Brown.
Mary, *m.* to H. Tindall.

Mr. Havers, who was steward to the Duke of Norfolk, *d.* in 1605, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

JOHN HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, who was bailiff to the Earl of Arundell in 1610. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Tindal, of Banham, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Clere, of Brakendale, who *m.* and had issue,
1. RICHMOND, *d. s. p.*
2. John, of Norwich, who *m.* Miss Mary Collins, and had issue.

The elder son,

WILLIAM HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, was lord of the manor in 1664. He *m.* Susan, daughter of — Brooke, esq. of Whitechurch, and had issue,

THOMAS, of whom presently.
John.
Susan, *m.* to T. Risden, esq
Elizabeth, *m.* to H. Huddleston, esq. of Sawston in Cambridgeshire.

Mr. Havers was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

THOMAS HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, who *m.* first, Mary Englefield, of Berkshire, and secondly, Alice, daughter and co-heiress of Sir E. Moore, bart. of Kittington, in the county of Notts. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, who *m.* Miss Mary Dormer, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
William of London.
John, *d. s. p.*
Mary, *m.* to H. Bedingfeld, esq. of Stoke Ash in Suffolk.

The eldest son and successor,

THOMAS HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, was lord of the manor in 1737. He wedded Henrietta-Maria, daughter of Sir Simeon D'Eews, of the county of Suffolk, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
William.
Edward.
Henrietta-Maria.

Mr. Havers, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of John Dutry, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
John.
William.
Edward.
Catherine, *m.* to Francis Bedingfeld, esq. of Ditchingham, in Norfolk.
Mary, *m.* to Jeremiah Norris, esq. of Colney Hall, Norfolk.
Lucretia, *m.* to Thomas Wright, esq. of Henrietta Street, London, Banker.
Henrietta-Maria.
Rosa-Lelia, *m.* to John Needham, esq. of Bickham, Somersetshire.
Anna.
Maria-Henrietta.

The eldest son,

THOMAS HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Cliffe, esq. of Glandford Briggs, in the county of Lincoln, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Robert.
Edward.
Richard.
Henry.
William.
Eliza.

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Lucretia.
Harriott.
Charlotte.

Mr. Havers was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present THOMAS HAVERS, esq. of Thelton Hall.

Arms—Or, on a fess sa. three chess-rooks of the field.

Crest—A griffin, sejant, erm. crowned and collared.

Estates—The whole parish of Thelton, together with estates in the neighbouring parishes of Scole, Shimpling, Dickleborough, and Billingford, all in Norfolk.

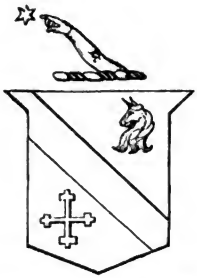
Seat—Thelton Hall, Norfolk.

DENISON, OF RUSHOLME PARK.

DENISON, JOSEPH, esq. of Rusholme Park, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* in 1784, *m.* 31st August, 1812, Sarah, eldest daughter of William Hanson, esq. of Manchester, and has a son and heir,

EDWARD-HANSON, *b.* 30th June, 1813.

Lineage.



JONATHAN DENISON, of Leeds, married Miss Anne Man, and had issue,

Samuel, *d. s. p.*
Joseph, of Leeds, who left issue.
JONATHAN, of whom we are about to treat.
Hannah, *m.* to Joseph Walker, esq. of Leeds.

The third son,

JONATHAN DENISON, esq. of Leeds, espoused Mary, daughter of Robert Ryder, esq. of Leeds, and had a son,

WILLIAM DENISON, esq. of Leeds, *b.* in 1729, who *m.* 20th November, 1752, Miss Hannah Harrison, and was *s.* at his decease, 1779, by his son,

WILLIAM DENISON, esq. who *m.* at Liverpool, in 1780, Jane, daughter of John Worsley, esq. of London, and had issue,

William-Brereton, *b.* in July, 1781, and *d.* 1809, at St. Thomas's in the West Indies.
JOSEPH, present possessor.

Mr. Denison *d.* at Lisbon, 6th January, 1796.

Arms—Arg. a bend sa. between a unicorn's head erased ppr. and a crosslet or.

Crest—A man's dexter arm, naissant in bend, sleeve vert, hand ppr. pointing to a star, or.

Estates—Rusholme, purchased in 1824, West Derby, in 1825, and paternal property in Liverpool.

Seat—Rusholme Park, Lancashire.

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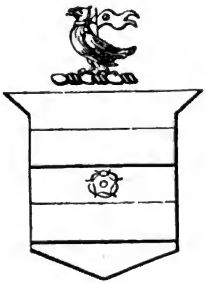
CAY, OF CHARLTON HALL.

CAY, JOHN, esq. of Charlton Hall, in the county of Northumberland, F.R.S.E. sheriff of Linlithgowshire, *b.* 31st August, 1790, *m.* 1st June, 1819, Emily, daughter of the late William Bullock, esq. secretary of the Island of Jamaica, by whom he has surviving issue,

1. JOHN. 2. Robert. 3. William. 4. Edward.
5. Emily. 6. Elizabeth. 7. Lucy.

Lineage.



The family of CAY (or, as the name was formerly spelt, KEY) is believed to have enjoyed very fair possessions in the Eastern Borders. The following traditional account of the loss of their ancient patrimony is still recorded: at a remote period, the head of the family having quarrelled with another gentleman, they agreed to settle their dispute, by combat, within the Poundfold of Alnwick. Having procured the key, they locked themselves in, and threw it over the wall. KEY killed his antagonist, leaped over the wall, and made his escape on foot to Newcastle-upon-Tyne, which was, at that period, without the jurisdiction of the Marchers.

This murder and flight constituting March treason, Key's possessions were forfeited, and he spent his life, in great indigence, at Newcastle. His son or grandson, however, found means to be bound apprentice to a brewer in Newcastle, and for several generations they pursued that business, the family continuing to this day freemen of the Corporation of Brewers and Bakers there.

In this line of business, a considerable trade was at length established by Robert Key or Cay, of Newcastle, which was much extended by his widow, when left with a large family, for whom she amply provided. By her exertions a good deal of property was acquired to the family in Newcastle and elsewhere. She was twice nearly ruined by fires, yet, by economy and prudence, she grew rich, and built houses for four of her sons, to whom she gave an excellent education. At a late period of her life, she connected herself in trade with her third son, Robert,* but being obliged to pay debts contracted through his extravagance, was reduced to poverty. Her resolution was, however, not to be shaken—she began the world again, throve, and grew rich, leaving ample provisions to her family.

Her eldest son,

JABEZ CAY, studied at Edinburgh University, in the reign of CHARLES II. when James, Duke of York, was high commissioner in Scotland, 1682. He was one of a number of students, who, according to annual custom, on the 5th November, burnt an effigy of the pope, at the gate of the palace of Holyrood. For this, he, along with others, was summoned before the privy council, and was banished from Scotland. He went to Padua, to complete his studies, and having taken the degree of doctor in physic there, he returned, and practised in Northumberland, where he accumulated a considerable fortune, and, in conjunction with a person of the name of Hutchinson, purchased the estate of North Charlton, in 1696. Dr. Cay dying in 1702, unmarried, left his share of the property to his brother,

JOHN CAY, esq. who obtained also from the representatives of Hutchinson, their interest in the estate, and thus became of North Charlton. He *m.* Grace, daughter and co-heir of Henry Woolff, esq. of Bredlington, and had issue,

* This Robert, after embarrassing his mother, went to Ireland, and became ancestor of the CAYS, of Londonderry and Burncranagh.

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ROBERT, his successor.
Henry.
John, *b.* in 1700, who was appointed judge of the Marshalsea, and was author of a well known edition of the Statutes at large, and of an Abridgement of the Statutes. He *m.* Miss Boult, and had issue,
1. Henry - Boult, who *m.* Miss Stawel Pigot, and left two daughters,
Frances, *m.* to Dr. Adams, rector of Halsted in Essex.
Mary.
2. Grace, *m.* to John Adams, esq. and their descendants live at their estate at Painswick, in Gloucestershire.
3. Mary.

Mr. Cay was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROBERT CAY, esq. of North Charlton, and of the Laygate, Durham, *b.* in 1694. This gentleman was engaged in considerable mercantile speculations, the manufacture of salt, &c. He published a letter in the newspapers of the day, signed with the initials B. K. suggesting the institution of an infirmary at Newcastle. The proposal was followed, and thus gave rise to that excellent establishment. The circumstance was commemorated by giving the name of B. K. ward to one of the departments of the infirmary, which name it still retains. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Reynold Hall, esq. of Catcleugh, and had issue,
JOHN, his successor.
Reynold.
Robert, a colonel in the E. I. C. service, who died of wounds received in action.
Grace.
Gabriel.

Mr. Cay, who possessed considerable antiquarian knowledge, was the correspondent of Horseley, and contributed to the celebrated map of Northumberland as well as to Horseley's great work, the *Britannia Romana;* the whole of which passed through Mr. Cay's hands to the press, and underwent many corrections by him. The eldest son,

JOHN CAY, esq. *s.* his father, and was a deputy lieutenant, and justice of the peace, for the county for Northumberland. He *m.* Frances, daughter of Ralph Hodshon, esq. of Lintz, and had a son and successor,

ROBERT-HODSHON CAY, esq. *b.* 5th July, 1758, who was called to the Scottish bar, and became successively one of the judges of the consistorial court, and judge of the high court of admiralty in Scotland. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Liddell, esq. of North Shields, and had issue,
JOHN, present proprietor.
Robert, *d.* young.
Albert.
George (deceased).
Robert-Dundas.
Frances, *m.* to John-Clerk Maxwell, esq.
Jane.
Elizabeth (deceased).

Judge Cay was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN CAY, esq. now representative of the family.

Arms—Quarterly. First and fourth vert, a rose arg. between two bars or, for CAY. Second, az. a label of three points, arg. over a bend, or. Third arg. a chevron between three wolves' heads, erased, gu. and gorged with ducal coronets for Woolff of Bredlington.

Crest—A royal eagle gorged with a collar and banner, vert. bearing a rose arg.

Motto—Sit sine spinâ.

Estate—Manor of North Charlton, in Northumberland.

Town Residence—Edinburgh.

Seat—Charlton Hall.

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GREAVES, OF MAYFIELD HAL.

GREAVES, WILLIAM, M.D. of Mayfield Hall, in the county of Stafford, *m.* first, Anne-Lydia, daughter and co-heiress of Robert Charles Greaves, esq. (who afterwards assumed the surname of Ley), and has surviving issue,

CHARLES-SPRENGEL, barrister-at-law, M.A. of Queen's College, Oxford, and a magistrate for the county of Stafford, *b.* in 1801.

Anne-Lydia, *m.* to the Rev. John Huyshe of Clysthydon, in Devonshire.

He espoused secondly, Sarah, only surviving child of the late Rev. Wm. Evans, vicar of Mayfield, by whom he has

Spencer, *b.* 25th February, 1810, an officer in the army.
William-Goring, *b.* 5th May, 1818.
Edmund-Evans, *b.* 13th April, 1820.
Aden-Ley, *b.* 16th March, 1826.
Elizabeth. Sarah. Frances. Alice.

Dr. Greaves is a justice of the peace for the county of Stafford.

Lineage.

The family of GREAVES is of high antiquity, its patriarch having passed into England in the train of the CONQUEROR. The first of its members, however, of whom we possess any authentic record, is

— LES GREVES, who was seated at Beely and Greves, in Derbyshire, as early as the reign of HENRY I. from which time, until the latter end of the seventeenth century, his descendants continued to reside there. They had several grants from the crown; the last of which was in the 12th year of JAMES I. when that prince granted to John Greaves, esq. the then possessor of Beely, the power of holding a court leet for the manors of Beely, Stanton Birchover, Bridgetown, Coroley, Gratton, and Winster. In 1664, the old hereditary estates at Beely were sold to John, Earl of Rutland, and the head of the family left Beely, and settled at Mayfield, in Staffordshire, where his descendants have ever since remained.

JOHN GREAVES, of Greaves, in the county of Derby, espoused Alice, daughter of William Brown, of Holme, in the same shire, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
William.
Richard.
Emma.
Elizabeth.

The eldest son,

JOHN GREAVES, of Greaves, and of Beeley, in the county of Derby, *m.* Ellen, daughter of John Slack, of Brough, in the same shire, and had, with junior issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Richard, of Birchover, in the county of Derby, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Henry Supper, of Darley, in that county.

Mr. Greaves was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN GREAVES, esq. of Greaves, Beeley, and Woodhouse, all in the county of Derby, who wedded Dorothy, daughter of George Allen, esq. of Woodhouse, and had, with other issue,

JOHN, his successor.
George (second son).
Joseph (seventh son), who left a son,
Charles, of Woodhouse, living in 1713, who *m.* Eliza, daughter of William Taylor, esq. of Southwell.

The eldest son,

JOHN GREAVES, esq. was father of another

JOHN GREAVES, esq. who *m.* Ann, daughter of George Birch, esq. and had issue,

I. WILLIAM, his successor.
II. Joseph, of Ingleby, in Derbyshire, who left issue,
1. JOSEPH, of Aston-on-Trent, who *m.* the sister of Sir B Boothby,

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bart. by whom (who *d.* in 1820) he had two daughters, one of whom married — Sneyd, esq. of Berkeley Lodge, and the other, Anne, *d.* unmarried in 1827.

2. William, of Liverpool.
3. Robert, also of Liverpool.

III. George, of London, who *d. s. p.* before 1738, leaving his property in equal shares to the children of his brothers, William and Joseph.

Mr. Greaves was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM GREAVES, esq. of Mayfield, in the county of Stafford, who *m.* Elizabeth, sister of the Rev. Mr. Bradley, vicar of Mayfield, by whom (who *d.* 17th July, 1736) he had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Sarah, who *m.* the Rev. Edmund Evans, vicar of Mayfield, and had issue,

1. William Evans, in holy orders, vicar of Mayfield, who *m.* Miss Elizabeth Spencer, of Wyaston, and by her (who *d.* 28th October, 1825) left at his decease in 1816, an only surviving child,

   SARAH EVANS, who became the second wife of DR. WILLIAM GREAVES, the present proprietor of Mayfield Hall.

2. Elizabeth, *m.* to — Goodwin, esq. and has issue.

The only son and successor,

WILLIAM GREAVES, esq. of Mayfield and Ingleby, espoused Dorothy, sister of George Ley, esq. of Mayfield Hall, by whom (who *d.* in 1784) he had issue,

1. GEORGE, in holy orders, of Stanton-by-Bridge, Derbyshire, who married twice, and left issue.
2. ROBERT-CHARLES, of Ingleby Hill, who assumed, by sign-manual, the surname of LEY. He *m.* Miss Elizabeth Harthill, of Donesthorpe, in the county of Leicester, and by her (who *d.* in 1821) had two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

   Anne-Lydia, who became the first wife of DR. WILLIAM GREAVES, now of Mayfield Hall.

   Frances, *m.* to Humphrey Senhouse, esq. of Nether Hall, in the county of Cumberland, and has issue.
3. JOHN-DAVIES, of whom presently.
4. William, } *d.* young.
5. Joseph, }
6. Ralph Christopher, who *m.* Miss Anne Vincent, but *d. s. p.* in 1781.
7. Dorothy, *m.* to the Rev. Richard Dodsley, of Spondon, Derbyshire, and has issue.

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The third son,

JOHN DAVIES GREAVES, esq. of Burton-on-Trent, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Newton, esq.* by whom (who *d.* in 1822, at the advanced age of eighty) he left issue, at his decease in 1784,

WILLIAM, present proprietor of Mayfield Hall and representative of the family.

George-Williamson, *m.* and has issue.

John, *d.* in 1823, leaving three sons and a daughter.

Robert-Christopher, *m.* and has issue.

Thomas-Ley.

Richard, *d.* unmarried.

Dorothy, *m.* to John Smith, esq. of Repton, Derbyshire, and has a son and daughter.

FAMILY OF GORING,

A branch of which is now represented by Dr. Greaves.

GEORGE GORING, esq. of Ovingdene, Sussex, espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Denney, of Waltham, Essex, knight, and sister of Edward Denny, earl of Norwich, and had issue,

GEORGE (Sir), knt. of Hurst Pierpoint, who was elevated to the peerage, 14th of April, 1632, as BARON GORING, of Hurst Pierpoint, in the county of Sussex, and in two years afterwards obtained a grant of the offices of secretary, clerk of the signet, and clerk of the council, within the principality of Wales. His lordship subsequently rendering the highest services to *King* CHARLES I. after the breaking out of the civil wars, was advanced to the dignity of EARL OF NORWICH, by letters patent, dated 8th of November, 1644. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Edward, Lord Bergavenny, by whom he had, with several daughters, two sons, viz.

1. GEORGE, so gallantly distinguished in the civil wars, as "GENERAL GORING." This heroic personage fought to the last in the cause of his royal and unfortunate master; and, after the surrender of Oxford, retiring to the Netherlands, acquired fresh laurels, as lieutenant-general of the King of Spain's army. He *m.* Lettice, daughter

* This gentleman was nearly related to Sir Isaac Newton. An original portrait of that distinguished personage, as well as some of his plate, are still in possession of the family.

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of Richard, Earl of Cork, but *d. s. p.* in 1662, prior to his father.*

2. CHARLES, second earl, who espoused Lady Baker, daughter of — Leman, esq. and relict of Sir Richard Baker, knt. but dying without issue, in 1678, the *Barony of Goring* and EARLDOM of NORWICH became EXTINCT (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage*).
3. Elizabeth, *m.* to William, Lord Brereton.
4. Mary, *m.* to Sir Drue Dene, knt.
5. Diana, *m.* first, to Thomas Covert, esq. of Slaughan, and secondly, to George Porter, esq.
6. Catherine, *m.* to William Scott, esq. of Scott's Hall, Kent.

II. HENRY.

The second son,

HENRY GORING, esq. of Kingston, in Staffordshire, living in 1659, was father of

WILLIAM GORING, esq. of Kingston, *b.* in 1650, who *m.* in 1672, Sarah, only child and heiress of John Gilbert, esq. of Frodley Hall, by whom (who *d.* in 1707,) he had, (with several children, the issue of all of whom are now extinct),

HENRY, of Frodley Hall, who died in 1748, leaving an only child and heiress, who wedded MORGAN THOMAS, esq. and left, at her decease, an only son,

REES-GORING THOMAS, father of the present REES-GORING THOMAS, esq. of Tooting. (See that family.)

SARAH.

The daughter,

SARAH GORING, espoused William Debank, esq. of Barton under Needwood, and had issue,

WILLIAM, who *d.* unmarried at the age of ninety.

And,

SARAH DEBANK, who *m.* Richard Newton, esq. of Burton-on-Trent, and left at her decease, with several other children, who all died unmarried,

Anne Newton, *m.* to John Newton, esq. of Ashby de la Zouche.

Sarah Newton.

ELIZABETH NEWTON, who *m.* as stated above, JOHN-DAVIES GREAVES, esq. and was mother of the present

DR. WILLIAM GREAVES, of Mayfield Hall.

Arms—For GREAVES. Gu. and vert, an eagle displayed or.

QUARTERINGS:

LEY—Quarterly arg. and or, five lozenges in a bend, gu.

GILBERT—Gu. an armed leg, couped at the thigh in pale, between two broken spears arg. headed or.

NEWTON—Sa. two shin bones saltire ways, the sinister surmounted by the dexter.

GORING—Arg. a chevron gu. between three annulets.

HARTHILL—Arg. on a mount ppr. a stag lodged, gu.

Crest—An eagle displayed, or, winged gu.

Mottoes—Aquila non captat muscas; Suprema quæro; and Dum spiro spero.

Seat—Mayfield Hall, Derbyshire.

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* The attachment of the Gorings to the cause of the ill-fated STUARTS, was not confined to the heroic efforts of this gallant soldier. Of the same branch of the family was also the famous COLONEL GORING, the faithful adherent to the fortunes of the young CHEVALIER, who died a field-marshal in the Prussian service. The present Dr. Greaves is in possession of a beautiful silver medal, about the size of a half crown, but considerably thicker, which was presented by Prince EDWARD to the colonel. On one side is the head of CHARLES-EDWARD. On the reverse an old and dead tree, with a young one springing up from its roots with the simple inscription, "Revirescit," 1650.

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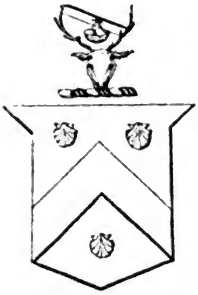
LITTLETON, OF TEDDESLEY.

LITTLETON, EDWARD-JOHN, esq. of Teddesley, in the county of Stafford, and one of the Knights in Parliament for that shire, *b.* 18th March, 1791, *m.* 21st December, 1812, Hiacinthe-Mary, daughter of Richard Marquess Wellesley, and has issue,



EDWARD-RICHARD.
Hiacinthe-Anne.
Emily, *m.* 16th Aug. 1832, to Charles, Viscount Newark.
Caroline-Augusta.

Mr. Littleton succeeded to the estates of his great-uncle, Sir Edward Littleton, baronet, in 1812, and adopted by sign manual *that* surname in place of his patronymic WALHOUSE.

Lineage.

The family of Lyttelton has been of long standing in the county of Worcester, and had considerable possessions in the vale of Evesham, particularly at South Lyttelton, whence the name has probably been assumed, in the beginning of the thirteenth century.

THOMAS DE LUTTELTON, about the nineteenth year of Henry III. *m.* Emma, only daughter and heiress of Sir Simon de Frankley, knt. by whom he had an only daughter, Emma, who *m.* Augerus de Tatlynton (which Augerus was distrained in the 40th year of Henry III. for not taking upon himself the order of knighthood). Thomas de Luttelton *m.* secondly, Anselm, daughter and heiress of William Fitswarren, of Upton, in the county of Worcester, one of the justices-itinerant and judge of the Common Pleas, 12th Henry III. and sheriff of Worcestershire the following year, by whom he left three sons. This Thomas was a considerable benefactor to religious institutions, particularly to the convents of Pershore, and the abbey of Evesham. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

EDMUND DE LUTTELTON, who resided at Coulesdon, and had lands at Naunton, in Worcestershire, which still continue in possession of a branch of the family of Lyttelton; dying without issue, he was succeeded by his youngest and only surviving brother,

THOMAS DE LUTTELTON, who represented the county of Worcester in parliament, from 9th Edward II. to the 34th Edward III. and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS DE LUTTELTON, who recovered the manor of Frankley, by a writ of right, on failure of issue to his cousin, Thomas de Tatlynton. This Thomas de Luttelton was esquire of the body of three successive kings, namely, Richard II. Henry IV. and Henry V.; and was rewarded with several grants of money, timber, &c. from each of those monarchs, *pro bono et gratuito servitio*, as expressed in the grants. He *d.* in the 1st year of Henry VI. and left an only daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH DE LUTTELTON, who *m.* Thomas Westcote, esq. the king's servant in court, a gentleman of Devonshire, anciently descended; but she being fair, and of noble spirit (to use the phraseology of Lord Coke), and having large possessions and inheritances from her ancestors, de Luttelton, and from her mother, the daughter and co-heiress of Quatermain, and other ancestors, resolved to continue the honour of her name, and therefore provided, by Westcote's assent, before marriage, that her issue inheritable should be called by the name of Luttelton. Upon this marriage, Mr. Westcote settled at Frankley, and served the office of escheator of Worcester 29th Henry VI. (1450); soon after which he *d.* leaving four sons and as many daughters. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS DE LUTTELTON (or Lyttelton, as

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he began to write it), who, having been brought up to the bar, was called, in 1454, to the degree of serjeant-at-law; and, in the following year, was nominated king's-serjeant, when he rode justice of the assize in the northern circuit. In 1464 (the fourth year of *King* EDWARD IV.) Mr. Serjeant Lyttelton was appointed one of the judges of the court of Common Pleas; and the king granted him, at the same time, out of the customs of London, Bristol, and Hull, 110 marks yearly, with the sum of 106*s.* 10½*d.* for a robe and furs, and 66*s.* 6*d.* for a summer robe, called *linura*. In the 15th year of the same monarch, he was created with the Prince of Wales, and other persons of distinction, a Knight of the Bath. Sir Thomas wrote his celebrated "Treatise on Tenures," after he had ascended the bench; a book, which Lord Coke has characterized, as the ornament of the common law, and the most perfect and absolute work that ever was wrote in any human science." Sir Thomas Lyttelton *m.* Joan, widow of Sir Philip Chetwynd, of Ingestre, in the county of Stafford, and daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Burley, knt. of Bromscroft Castle, in Shropshire, by whom he had (with two daughters) three sons, viz.

WILLIAM, his successor, from whom the LORDS LYTTELTON derive.

RICHARD, of whom presently.

Thomas, of Speckley, ancestor of the Lord Keeper Lyttelton, and of Sir William Lyttelton, Speaker of the House of Commons, temp. William III. See *Burke's Extinct Peerage*.

The second son,

RICHARD LITTLETON, followed the profession of his father, and to him that learned and eminent person inscribed the "Treatise on Tenures." He *m.* Alice, daughter and heir of William Winesbury, esq. of Pillaton Hall, in the county of Stafford, by whom he had issue,

Richard, who *d. s. p.*

EDWARD, who became representative of the family.

Ellen, *m.* first, to John Cotes, esq. of Woodcote, in Shropshire, and secondly, to William Basset, esq. of Blore, in the county of Stafford.

Margaret, *m* first, to Humphry Pigot, esq. of Shropshire, and secondly, to —— Clifton, esq. of Derbyshire.

Lucy, *m.* to Robert Swinnerton, esq. of Eccleshall, county of Stafford.

Anne, *m.* to Thomas Middlemore, esq. of Edgbaston, in Warwickshire.

Mr. Littleton *d.* in the 9th of Henry VIII. and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, knt. who inherited in twelve years after the estates of his mother, upon that lady's decease. This gentleman had a grant from King HENRY VIII. for life, of the office of constable and keeper of the castle at Stafford; keeper of the king's parks, and bailiff of his manor of Fairhriggs, in Staffordshire. He was sheriff of Staffordshire in the 15th and 31st of the same reign, and in the 4th of EDWARD VI. He *m.* first, Helen, daughter of Humphrey Swynnerton, esq. of Swynnerton, and had surviving issue,

EDWARD, his successor.

Barbara, *m.* first to Henry Gower, esq. of Worcestershire, and secondly to John Folliot, of Pirton, in the same shire.

Constance, *m.* to Sir J. Fuljambe, knt.

Sir Edward was *s.* by his son,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, knt. This gentleman was sheriff of Staffordshire in the 5th of ELIZABETH. He *m.* Alice, daughter of Francis Cockain, esq. of Ashburne, in Derbyshire, by whom he had issue,

John, who *d. s. p.*

EDWARD (Sir), his successor.

Thomas, *m.* Cassandra, daughter of Thomas Lane, esq. of Bentley, and had issue.

Francis, of Melsho, in Salop, *m.* Gertrude, daughter of Thomas Sutton, esq. of Over-Haddon, in the county of York, and left issue.

Walter, of Eccleshall, in Staffordshire, *m.* Alice, daughter of John Comberford, esq. in the same shire, and left issue.

John, *d. s. p.*

James, *m.* Mercy, daughter of John Stone, esq. of London, and relict of William Bowyer, esq. by whom he left issue.

Devereux, *m.* Jane, daughter of George Allen, esq. of Woodhouse, in the county of Derby, and left issue.

Jane, *m.* John Lane, esq. of Bentley.

Constance, *m.* to Thomas Holt, esq. of Gristlehurst, in Lancashire.

Mary, *m.* to Walter Vernon, esq. of Hounhill, in Staffordshire.

Grace, *m.* first, to Francis Harnage, esq. of Belzardine, in Shropshire, and secondly, to Silvanus Lacon, esq. of the same shire.

Margaret, *m.* to Sir John Repington, knt. of Amington, in Warwickshire.

Sir Edward *d.* 19th July, 1574, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, who was high sheriff of Staffordshire, in the 25th and 35th of ELIZABETH, and represented that county in parliament, in the 39th of the same reign. Sir Edward *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Sir William Devereux, knt. youngest son of Walter, viscount Hereford, by whom he had issue,

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EDWARD, his successor.
Thomas, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Adam Morton, esq. of Wilbrighton, in Staffordshire, and left issue.
Mary, *m.* to Richard Fowler, esq. of King's Harnage, in Shropshire.
Anne, *m.* to Humphrey Salwey, esq. of Stanford, in Worcestershire.
Jane, *m.* to Richard Knightly, esq. of Fewesley, in Northamptonshire.
Ellen, *m.* to William Babington, esq. of Curborough, in Staffordshire.
Margaret, *m.* to Richard Skinner, esq. of Cofton, in the county of Worcester.
Lettice, *m.* to the Rev. John Fulnetley, archdeacon of Stafford.
Constance, *m.* to Richard Hill, esq. of London.

Sir Edward was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, M. P. for the county of Stafford, in the 21st JAMES I. and sheriff of the same shire in three years afterwards. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Clement Fisher, knt. of Packington, in Warwickshire, and had four sons and four daughters, viz.

EDWARD, his successor.
Fisher, *m.* Anne, daughter of James Baynton, esq. of Wilts.
Walter (Sir), chancellor of the diocese of Lichfield and Coventry. Sir Walter *m.* Priscilla, daughter of Sir Lewis Pemberton, knt. of Rushden, in Northamptonshire, and had four sons,
Walter, of Lichfield, who *m.* a daughter of William Talbot, esq. of Sturton Castle, in Staffordshire, and had issue.
Edward, *m.* Miss Mullins, but had no issue.
Fisher, LL.D. *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Pincebeck, of London, and relict of — Skegnes, but left no issue.
Henry, a merchant of London, *d. s.p.*
William, *m.* Miss Webster, daughter and heir of John Webster, of Amsterdam, merchant.
Lettice, *m.* first, to William Washbourne, esq. of Washbourne, in Worcestershire; and secondly, to John Clent, esq. of Knightwick, in the same county.
Mary, *m.* to Euseby Shuckburgh, esq. of Naseby, in Northamptonshire.
Margaret, *m.* first, to Sir George Browne, knt. of Radford, in Warwickshire; and secondly, to Francis, third son of Sir Robert Fisher, bart. of Packington.
Anne, *m.* to Sir Thomas Holte, bart. of Aston.

Sir Edward was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWARD LITTLETON, esq. of Pellaton Hall, in the county of Stafford, who was created a BARONET in the 3rd of CHARLES I. He *m.* Hester, daughter of Sir William Courteen, knt. of London, by whom, who espoused secondly Thomas Thorne, esq. of Shelvock, Salop, he had surviving issue,

EDWARD, his successor.
Anne, *m.* to — Cole, esq. of Shrewsbury.
Margaret, *m.* to Robert Napier, esq. eldest son of Sir Robert Napier, of Luton Hoo, in the county of Bedford.

Sir Edward was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, second baronet, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Sir Walter Wrotesley, bart. of Wrotesley, in Staffordshire, and had issue,

I. EDWARD, who *m.* Susanna, daughter of Sir Theophilus Biddulph, of Elmhurst, in Staffordshire, and dying before his father, (in 1704) left,
1. EDWARD, successor to his grandfather.
2. Theophilus, *d.* unmarried.
3. Fisher, *m.* Frances, eldest dau. and co-heir of James Whitehall, esq. of Pipe Ridware, in Staffordshire, and had issue,
EDWARD, who inherited as fourth baronet.
Fisher, barrister at law, who *m.* Mary, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Seace, esq. of Northreps, in Norfolk, but had no issue.
FRANCES, *m.* to MORETON WALHOUSE, esq. of Hatherton, in Staffordshire.
4. Susan, *m.* to Sir John Coryton, bart.
5. Mary, *m.* to Edward Arblaster, esq. of Longdon, in Staffordshire.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Humphry Hodgetts, esq.
7. Catherine, *m.* to John Floyer, esq. of London, in Staffordshire.
8. Jane, *m.* to John Egenton, esq. of Zodbaston, in the county of Stafford.

II. Walter, a major in Lord Oxford's regiment, *m.* Lady Anne Knowles, daughter of Nicholas, earl of Banbury, by whom he had a daughter, Anne, who *d.* unmarried. Major Littleton fell in a duel.

III. Elizabeth, *m.* to Walter Chetwynd, esq. of Ingestre, in Staffordshire, and had issue.

IV. Hester, *m.* to Humphry Persehouse, esq. of Reynolds Hall, in Staffordshire, and had issue.

The baronet espoused, secondly, Joyce, daughter of his cousin, — Littleton, esq. of Teddesley-hay, and had by that lady,

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i. Devereux, who *d.* a bachelor, at his seat at Tamworth, in Staffordshire, 7th June, 1747.
ii. Walter, *d.* unmarried.
iii. Henry, deputy governor of Cork, left no issue.
iv. Fisher, barrister at law, succeeded to the estates of his brother Devereux, but *d.* unmarried.
v. William, captain R.N. left a son, Edward, who inherited the estates of his uncle, Fisher. He *m.* his cousin, Joyce, eldest daughter of Stanford Wolferstan, esq. of Statfold, and *d. s. p.*
vi. Adam, killed in a duel, and *d.* unmarried.
vii. ———, *m.* to— Dilke, esq. of Maxtoke Castle, in Warwickshire, and had issue.
viii. Sarah, *m.* to Stanford Wolferstan, esq. of Statfold, and had issue. (See p. 189.)

Sir Edward Littleton was *s.* by his grandson,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, third baronet.—This gentleman *m.* Mary, only daughter of Sir Richard Hoare, knt. (who had been Lord Mayor of the City of London, and one of its representatives in parliament, temp. *Queen* ANNE), but died without issue, 2nd January, 1741-2, when he was *s.* by his nephew,

SIR EDWARD LITTLETON, fourth baronet, who removed the family seat from Pillaton to Teddesley. He *m.* Frances, eldest daughter of Christopher Horton, esq. of Catton, in the county of Derby, but *d. s. p.* in 1812, when the baronetcy expired, but the estates devolved upon his grand nephew,

EDWARD-JOHN WALHOUSE, the present proprietor, who assumed, as stated above, the surname and arms of LITTLETON, and now represents the Staffordshire branch of that family. It is singular that the inheritors of the honors and estates of this family have all borne the name of Edward since the 9th of Henry VIII.

Arms---Ar. a chevron, between three escallops, sa.

Crest---A stag's head caboshed, sa. attired, or; between the attires, a bugle horn of the second, hanging and fastened by a bend, gules.

Motto---Ung Dieu, et ung Roy.

Town Residence---Grosvenor-place.

Seats---Teddesley and Hatherton, both in Staffordshire.

METHUEN, OF CORSHAM.

METHUEN, PAUL, esq. of Corsham House, in the county of Wilts, a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant of that shire, and representative in parliament of its northern division, *b.* 21st June, 1779, *m.* in July, 1810, Jane-Dorothea, eldest daughter of the late Sir Henry St. John Mildmay, bart. of Dogmersfield Park, and has issue,

PAUL-MILDMAY, *b.* 31st January, 1814.
Frederick-Henry-Paul, *b.* 23rd February, 1818.
St. John-George-Paul, *b.* 23rd November, 1819.
Jane-Matilda.

Mr. Methuen succeeded his father in September, 1816. He represented the county of Wilts in two parliaments before 1819, but retired from ill health in that year.

Lineage.

The surname of METHUEN, written at different times *Meffan*, *Methfen*, *Methfin*, *Methfyn*, *Methwyn*, *Methwen*, and METHVEN, is local, and was assumed from the barony of Methven, in Scotland, as soon as such designations became hereditary in that kingdom.

"The traditional account of the origin of

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the Methvens (says Sir Robert Douglas) that a man of distinction accompanied *Queen* MARGARET from Hungary; and being of singular merit, as well as of high rank, became a mighty favorite with *King* MALCOLM CANMORE, who, to induce him to stay in his kingdom, bestowed upon him the lands and barony of Methven, in Perthshire, where he settled, from which his posterity assumed their surname; and, to keep in remembrance their descent from Germany, they often carried their arms blazoned on the breast of a spread eagle."

At such a distance of time, it is hardly possible to name with accuracy the person first called METHVEN, but we find many persons of distinction bearing that surname in the early annals of Scotland,—so far back even as the beginning of the thirteenth century.

PATRICK DE METHVEN, who possessed the lands and barony of Methven in the time of ALEXANDER III. was father of

SIR ROGER DE METHVEN, one of the gallant followers of ROBERT BRUCE, but compelled to submit to the Royal Invader in 1296. This eminent person espoused first the widow of Malise, Earl of Strathern, a lady who then enjoyed the largest fortune in the kingdom. By this marriage Sir Roger acquired the lands of Keiller, &c., but having no issue, those estates reverted, upon the decease of the Countess, to the family of Strathern. Sir Roger wedded a second time, and had two sons,

PAUL, his successor.
WILLIAM, heir to his brother

The name of Sir Roger Methven occurs in numerous charters; the last deed in which we find it mentioned is one from the Countess of Strathern to Sir Robert Erskine, knt. and Dame Christian Keith, his spouse, of the lands of Kentullock, in Perthshire, to which instrument Sir Roger is a subscribing witness. He died at an advanced age in the reign of *King* DAVID BRUCE, and was *s.* by his elder son,

PAUL DE METHVEN, of Methven, who was appointed in 1363 ambassador extraordinary to conclude a treaty of peace with England. He died without issue, and was *s.* by his brother,

WILLIAM DE METHVEN, of that Ilk, who was *s.* at his decease temp. ROBERT II. by his son,

WILLIAM DE METHVEN, of that Ilk. This laird had a charter under the great seal in 1376 from *King* ROBERT II. He died in the ensuing reign, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DE METHVEN, of that Ilk, who appears to have been accredited to England in 1397 as ambassador extraordinary. About this period the laird alienated the castle of Methven and part of the lands comprising the barony to John, Duke of Albany, which, on the forfeiture of Duke Murdock in 1425, passed to the Crown, and continued vested therein, until conferred by *King* JAMES V. upon his mother, *Queen* MARGARET. The laird died in the reign of JAMES I. and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DE METHVEN. This gentleman was distinguished at the court of JAMES II. and enjoyed in an especial degree the favor of that monarch. In 1440 he was one of the principal secretaries of state, and lord register of Scotland; and in 1449 he was employed upon an embassy to England, when he succeeded in his mission—that of prolonging an existing truce. The next year he revisited the English court, and again in a diplomatic capacity, to negotiate several important affairs of state. Thenceforward, scarcely any political transaction of moment occurred in which he was not engaged; and in all he acquitted himself with ability, honor, and fidelity. He wedded a daughter of Sir John Haldane of Gleneagles, and dying in the time of JAMES III. was *s.* by (his son or grandson),

JOHN DE METHVEN, who retained still a portion of the hereditary lands in Perthshire. He *m.* a daughter of John Blackadder of Tulliallan, and dying soon after the year 1502, was *s.* by his son,

ANDREW DE METHVEN, who wedded Isabel, daughter of Robert Bruce, of Airth, and had (with a younger son, Andrew, who seems to have obtained a share in his father's lands) his successor,

JOHN DE METHVEN, whose name occurs in a charter under the great seal, temp. JAMES V. of certain lands about Clackmannan. This gentleman having zealously espoused the opinions of the reformers, fled into England, alarmed at the death of Wyshart, and was most graciously received by *Queen* ELIZABETH, who conferred upon his son,

The Rev. PAUL METHUEN, several beneficial preferments in the county of Somerset, and a prebend in the cathedral church of Wells. The reverend gentleman *m.* Ann Rogers, of an old Somersetshire family, and dying in 1606 was *s.* by his son,

The Rev. ANTHONY METHUEN, Prebendary of Wells and Lichfield. This gentleman acquired considerable estates. He *m.* Jean, daughter and heiress of Thomas Taylor, Esq. of Bristol, and had three sons, namely,

PAUL, his heir.
Anthony, who married, and left issue.
Francis.

Mr. Methven died in 1640, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PAUL METHUEN, esq. of Bradford and Bishop's Cannings, in the county of Wilts,

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who wedded Grace, daughter of John Ashe, esq. of Treshford, in Somersetshire, and niece of Sir Joseph Ashe, bart. by whom he had issue,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Anthony, who inherited his father's estate at Bradford, and divers manors in Somersetshire. He *m.* Gertrude, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Moore, esq. of Spargrove, in the county of Somerset, (by Elizabeth, his wife, eldest daughter of Sir John Bampfield, bart. of Poltimore) and left at his decease, in 1717, an only son,
   THOMAS, who espoused Anne, dau. and sole heiress of Isaac Selfe, esq. of Beanacre, by Penelope, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Charles, Lord Lucas,* and was *s.* at his decease, in 1737, by his son,
   PAUL, of Corsham, of whom hereafter, as heir to his cousin, SIR PAUL METHUEN.
3. Paul,
4. William, } all died *s. p.*
5. Turner,
6. Elizabeth, *d.* unm.

Mr. Methven *d.* in 1667, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Right Honourable JOHN METHUEN, of Bishop's Cannings, member of parliament for Devizes, and one of the most eminent political characters of the time in which he flourished. He was of the privy council, and LORD CHANCELLOR OF IRELAND, in the reigns of *King* WILLIAM and *Queen* ANNE, and his name as a diplomatist, having been frequently engaged upon embassies of the highest importance, immortalized by the celebrated treaty, called after himself, concluded in 1703 with the court of Lisbon, and which has proved so beneficial to the commerce of Great Britain. He wedded Mary, daughter of Seacole Chevers, esq. of Cummerford, in Wilts, and had issue,

PAUL (Sir), his heir.
Henry, } both died young.
John,
Mary, *m.* first to Humphrey Simpson, esq. secondly to Sir Richard Anderson, and thirdly to Sir Brownlow Sherrard, bart.
Isabel, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Methuen died at Lisbon in 1706, whence his remains were conveyed to England, and interred in Westminster Abbey. His eldest son,

SIR PAUL METHUEN was a man of extraordinary accomplishments, singular integrity, and powerful abilities. In 1692 he accompanied the embassy to Lisbon in the capacity of secretary, and continued to fulfil the duties of that office for five years, when he succeeded his father, whose services were required in Ireland, as envoy. He remained at the court of Lisbon until 1705, when he was accredited envoy to the court of Savoy; but upon the decease of his father in the next year, he returned to Portugal as ambassador-extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary. In 1709 he was appointed one of the lords of the Admiralty, from which, in 1714, he was transferred to the Treasury, and then sworn of the privy council. At this period he was sent ambassador to the King of Spain. In 1716 he was constituted principal secretary of state; in 1720 made comptroller of the household; in 1725 installed a knight of the Bath, and the same year appointed treasurer of the household, which office he resigned in 1730. Sir Paul *d.* unmarried in 1757, when he was interred near his father in Westminster Abbey, and his estates devolved upon his cousin,

PAUL METHUEN, esq. of Corsham, M.P. for Warwick, who espoused Christian, dau. and co-heir of Sir George Cobb, bart. of Adderbury, in the county of Oxford, by whom he had issue,

PAUL-COBB, his successor.
Thomas.
Christian, *m.* to the 2nd Lord Boston.

Mr. Methuen was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

PAUL-COBB METHUEN, esq. of Corsham, in the county of Wilts. This gentleman *m.* Matilda, daughter of Sir Thomas Gooch, bt. of Benacre Hall, in the county of Suffolk, and had issue,

PAUL, his heir.
Thomas.
Anthony, in holy orders, rector of All-Cannings and Garsden, in the county of Wilts, chaplain to his Grace the Duke of Beaufort.
Charles-Lucas, a captain in the army, *d.* in 1826.
John-Andrew.
Matilda, *m.* to George, Lord Walsingham, *d.* in 1831.
Anne-Christian, *d.* unmarried, in 1828.
Gertrude-Grace, *m.* to Lord Edward O'Brien, youngest brother of the Marquess of Thomond, *d.* in 1820.
Catharine, *m.* to John Plumtre, esq. of Fredvile, M.P. for Kent.
Cecilia-Penelope, *m.* to the Hon. and Rev. Francis-James Noel, brother of Lord Barham.

* By the Lady Penelope Leke, youngest daughter of Sir Francis Leke, Lord Deincourt, of Sutton, and EARL OF SCARSDALE. (For an account of this nobleman, see *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*)

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Arms—Arg. three wolves' heads erased proper, on the breast of an eagle, with two heads displayed, sa. The spread-eagle was granted as a mark of honor to the family by ALBERT I. Emperor of Germany, 1304, and renewed by letters patent by *King* GEORGE III. in 1775.

Crest—A wolf's head as in the arms.

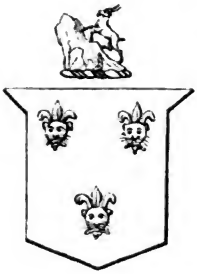
Motto—Virtus invidiæ scopus.

Estates—In Wilts and Somersetshire.

Seat—Corsham House.

GURDON, OF LETTON.

GURDON, THEOPHILUS-THORNHAGH, esq. of Letton, in Norfolk, and of Grundisburgh, in the county of Suffolk, *b.* 24th August, 1764, *m.* 25th July, 1796, Anne, daughter of William Mellish, esq. of Blyth, in Nottinghamshire, by whom he has issue,



BRAMPTON, *m.* in 1828, Henrietta-Susannah, eldest daughter of N. W. Ridley-Colborne, esq. of Hasling, in Norfolk, M.P. and has issue,
1. ROBERT-THORNHAGH.
2. Charlotte.

John.

Philip, in holy orders, rector of Reymerston and Cranworth-cum-Letton, in Norfolk, who *m.* Henrietta-Laura, daughter of John Pulteney, esq. of Netherwood, in Hampshire.

William, of the Inner Temple.

Edward

Anne, *m.* in 1825, to Henry Wodehouse, esq. eldest son of the Hon. JOHN WODEHOUSE, eldest son and heir of JOHN, LORD WODEHOUSE, and has (with other issue,) a son,
JOHN WODEHOUSE, *b.* 7th January, 1826.

Mr. Gurdon inherited the estates at the decease of his father, in 1820. He was formerly lieutenant-colonel of the West Norfolk militia, is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant, and served the office of sheriff of Norfolk in 1824.

Lineage.

This family came into England with the CONQUEROR from GOURDON, near Cahors, on the borders of Perigord, and the name is in the roll of Battel Abbey.

SIR ADAM DE GURDON, knt. living in the time of HENRY III. was in that monarch's reign bailiff of Alton, but was outlawed for treason and rebellion, as one of the Montford faction. He was restored, however, upon the accession of EDWARD, and constituted in 1272, keeper of the forest of Wolmer. He *m.* first, Constantia, daughter and heiress of Thomas Makarel, of Selborne, in the county of Southampton. He resided in that shire in a mansion-house, called the TEMPLE, which overlooked the forest. Sir Adam espoused secondly, Almeria ——— from whom he was divorced, after having had two sons, the elder of whom was seated in Wiltshire, and the younger settled himself in London. These sons appear, however, to have been disinherited, for their father had a third wife, Agnes, and by her a daughter, JOHANNA, to whom he left his property in Selborne. This lady wedded Richard Achard, and that estate, bearing still the name of Gurdon Manor, belongs now to Magdalen College, Oxford. The armorial ensigns of Sir Adam Gurdon are those still borne by the family of which we are now treating. Sir Adam's second son, (of the elder there is no further account)

ROBERT GURDON took up his abode in

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London. He *d.* in 1343, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GURDON, a merchant in London, who *d.* in 1385, leaving a son,

THOMAS GURDON, of Clyne, in Kent, who *d.* in 1436, and was father of

JOHN GURDON, of Clyne, who was *s.* in 1465, by his son,

JOHN GURDON, of Dedham, in Essex, who *d.* in 1487, leaving a son,

JOHN GURDON, of Dedham, father of

JOHN GURDON, of Dedham, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of John Butter, esq. of Dedham, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Anne, daughter of John Coleman, esq. of Lynes Hall, in Suffolk, and left a son,

ROBERT GURDON, esq. who wedded Rose, daughter and heiress of Robert Sexton, esq. of Lavenham, in Suffolk. This gentleman purchased Assington Hall, from Sir Miles Corbet. He served the office of sheriff for the county of Suffolk, and dying in 1577, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GURDON, esq. who *m.* Amy, daughter and heiress of William Brampton,* esq. of Letton, in Norfolk. This gentleman was sheriff of Suffolk in 1585. He *d.* in 1623, and was *s.* by his son,

BRAMPTON GURDON, esq. of Assington Hall and of Letton, high-sheriff for Suffolk in 1625, and several times representative for the borough of Sudbury in parliament. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Barrett, esq. of Bellhouse, in Essex, and had issue,

JOHN, who inherited ASSINGTON HALL, *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Calthorpe Parker. He represented the county of Suffolk in the long parliament, and was one of the committee appointed to set in judgment upon *King* CHARLES I. but did not attend the trial. This elder branch continues to be seated at ASSINGTON, this property having regularly descended to the present possessor, JOHN GURDON, esq.

Robert, *m.* Joyce, daughter of James Harvey, esq. of Essex.

Amy, *m.* to Sir Henry Mildmay.

Mr. Gurdon espoused, secondly, Muriel, daughter of Sir Martyn Sedley, of Morley, in Norfolk, by a daughter of John Knyvett, of Ashwellthorp, and had another son and two daughters, viz.

BRAMPTON, of whom presently.

Muriel, *m.* to Richard Saltonshall, esq. of Yorkshire.

Abigail, *m.* to Roger Hill, esq. of the county of Somerset.

Brampton Gurdon *d.* in 1649, and Assington Hall passed to his eldest son, while Letton devolved upon the son of his second marriage,

BRAMPTON GURDON, esq. barrister-at-law, and representative in parliament for the borough of Ipswich from 1640 to 1654. During the civil war, Mr. Gurdon was colonel of a regiment of horse, and at the siege of Colchester he was one of the court martial on Sir Charles Lucas and Sir George Lisle. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Henry Polstead, of London, and dying in 1669, was *s.* by his son,

BRAMPTON GURDON, esq. of Letton, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Thornhagh,* of Fenton, Nottinghamshire, son of Sir Francis Thornhagh, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1691, by his son,

THORNHAGH GURDON, esq. of Letton. This gentleman was receiver-general of the county of Norfolk in the reign of *Queen* ANNE, but was deprived of that office, as well as struck out of the commission of the peace, upon the accession of the house of Hanover, in consequence of his attachment to the Duke of Ormond. He was the author of an esteemed work upon the origin and rights of parliament. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Cooke, bart. of Brome Hall, Norfolk, M.P. for that county in several parliaments, and left at his decease, in 1713, one son and three daughters. Two of the latter died single; the other, Letitia, *m.* the Rev. Nathaniel Saltier, of Ashdon, in Essex. The son,

THORNHAGH GURDON, esq. succeeded his father, and *m.* Sarah, daughter and heiress of Theophilus Dillingham, esq. of Shelton, in Bedfordshire, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1783, by his son,

BRAMPTON GURDON, esq. of Letton, Norfolk, and of Grundisburgh, in the county of Suffolk. This gentleman assumed the surname of DILLINGHAM. He *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Philip Bedingfeld, esq. of Ditchingham, and had issue,

THEOPHILUS-THORNHAGH, his heir.

Thornhagh-Philip.

Philip-Brampton, captain in the 58th foot, who fell in action in the West Indies, in 1795.

He espoused, secondly, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Samuel Howard, esq. and had an only daughter,

MARY, *m.* to William Frere, esq. ser-

* The family of BRAMPTON is very ancient in Norfolk, and this branch had been long seated at Letton.—Vide Visitations of Norfolk, 1563 and 1613.

* Colonel Thornhagh was a very distinguished officer in the parliamentary army during the civil war.—Vide Mrs. Hutchinson's Memoirs.

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jeant-at-law, and master of Downing College, Cambridge, who has issue.

Mr. Gurdon-Dillingham served the office of sheriff of Norfolk in 1789, and dying in 1820, was *s.* by his son, the present THEOPHILUS THORNHAGH GURDON, esq. of Letton, in the county of Norfolk, and Grundisburg, in the county of Suffolk.

Arms—Sable, three leopards' faces jessant fleurs-de-lys, or, for Gurdon; quartering Sexton, Brampton, Cooke, and Stuart and Dillingham.

Crest—A goat climbing up a rock, all ppr.

Motto—In arduis viget virtus.

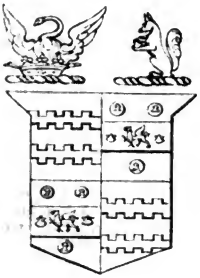
Estates—In Norfolk and Suffolk.

Town Residence—Gloucester-place, Portman Square.

Seats—Letton, Norfolk, and Grundisburgh, Suffolk.

GREVIS-JAMES, OF IGHTHAM COURT.

JAMES-GREVIS, DEMETRIUS, esq. of Ightham Court Lodge, in the county of Kent, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for that shire, sheriff in 1833, *b.* 1st May, 1776, *m.* 21st March, 1812, Mary, daughter of the late James Shutt, esq. of Humbleton, in Holderness, and has had issue,



1. Charles-Richard, } both deceased.
2. Demetrius, }
3. DEMETRIUS-WYNDHAM.
4. Arthur, *b.* in 1833.
5. Frances-Maria.
6. Emily.
7. Mary.
8. Caroline.
9. Rosa.
10. Lavinie.
11. Isabella.
12. Adelaide-Margaret.

This gentleman, whose patronymic is GREVIS, assumed, by sign manual, in 1817, the additional surname and arms of JAMES. Mr. Grevis-James is a captain of marines.

Lineage.

The manor of IGHTHAM was possessed temp. *King* JOHN, by Hamon de Crevequier, from whom it passed through the families of De Criol, De Inge, Zouch of Harringworth, Read and Willoughby, to the house of JAMES, by which it is now enjoyed.

The JAMESES were originally, says Philpot, called *Hæstrecht*,* from a lordship of that name, which they possessed near Utrecht.

ROGER, son of JACOB VAN HÆSTRECHT, emigrated into England in the reign of *King* HENRY VIII. and being known, after the Dutch manner, by the name of Roger Jacobs, the English at length called him Roger James. He espoused Sarah, only daughter and heir of Henry Morskin, esq. of London, and had issue,

ROGER, of Upminster, in Essex, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of John Smith, esq. of London, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROGER JAMES, of Rygate, in Surrey, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony Aucher, and had a daughter, ELIZABETH.

Arnold, of London, who *m.* Mary, dau. of John Vanhulst, of that city.

WILLIAM.

Thomas, who *m.* the daughter of Fulke.

Richard, who espoused Gertrude, dau. of John Smyth, and had, with other issue, a son, Sir John, of Cresshill, in Essex, and a daughter, Emlin, who *m.* to Mr. James Cane; and their son inheriting the estates of his uncle, Sir John, was advanced to the dignity of a baronet, 34 Car. II. This branch of the family is now EXTINCT.

John, of Grove Manor, who *m.* Susanna, daughter and co-heir of Peter Vandewall, of Antwerp, and had issue.

George, of Malendine, near Rochester, who *m.* Audrey, daughter of John Smyth, and had issue,

The third son,

WILLIAM JAMES, esq. acquired, temp. *Queen* ELIZABETH, by purchase, the manor of

* The family of HÆSTRECHT was allied by marriage to the ancient and eminent houses of Wassenaer and Waermout.

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Ightham Court, in the county of Kent. He wedded Jane, only daughter and heiress of Henry Kule, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Thomas.
Jane, *m.* to Henry Dixon, esq. of Hilden, in Kent, and *d.* in 1692.

The elder son,

WILLIAM JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court, *b.* in 1601, was a person of great influence during the protectorate, and enjoyed the confidence of CROMWELL. He was a member of the committee appointed for the sequestration of delinquent estates, and was, in five years, thrice chosen knight of the shire for Kent. He wedded Jane, daughter of Nicholas Miller, esq. of Crouch, and was *s.* by his only son,

SIR DEMETRIUS JAMES, of Ightham Court, who received the honor of knighthood from *King* CHARLES II. He *m.* Anne, only daughter of the famous physician, Dr. George Bate, and had (with other issue, who *d.* unm.)

WILLIAM, his successor.
Jane, *m.* to Sir John Rainey, bart.
Anne, *m.* to Thomas Puckle, esq. of the Middle Temple.

Sir Demetrius was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court, living in 1719. This gentleman *m.* Anne, only daughter, and heir general of Sir Thomas Wyndham, bt. of Trent, in Somersetshire, (son of the Sir Francis Wyndham, who, with his family, was so signally instrumental in the preservation of *King* CHARLES II. after the battle of Worcester). By this lady he had with two daughters, three sons, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.
Richard, of the Middle Temple, *d.* unm.
Demetrius, a colonel in the army, whose daughter, ELIZABETH, *m.* Charles Grevis, esq.* formerly of Moseley Hall, in Worcestershire, and had issue,

1. DEMETRIUS GREVIS, who eventually inherited the estates, and assuming the surname and arms of JAMES, is the present DEMETRIUS GREVIS-JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court Lodge.
2. Elizabeth.
3. Caroline.
4. Eleanor.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court, was high-sheriff for Kent, in 1732. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Haestreet James, of Reigate, and had, with a daughter, married to — Hindman, esq. two sons, viz.

RICHARD, his heir.
Demetrius, in holy orders, rector of Ightham, *d.* in 1781, *s. p.*

Mr. James, who was usher of the black rod in Ireland, was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

RICHARD JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court, who died without issue in Nov. 1817, when the family estates devolved upon his first cousin, the present DEMETRIUS GREVIS-JAMES, esq. of Ightham Court Lodge.

Arms—Quarterly: first and fourth arg. two bars embattled gu. for JAMES; second and third arg. on a fesse az. between three pellets, each charged with a lion's head erased of the first, a griffin passant between two escallop shells or, for GREVIS.

Crests—First for JAMES; out of a ducal coronet or, a demi-swan, wings expanded arg. beak gules. Second for GREVIS; a squirrel, holding between its paws an escallop shell or.

Motto—Fide et Constantiâ.

Estates—The manors of Wrotham, Stanstead, and Ightham, with estates therein, and also at St. Erith, all in Kent. Likewise in London, acquired from Sir John James, bart., a branch of the family.

Seat—Ightham Court Lodge.

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* Moseley Hall, in the parish of King's Norton, Worcestershire, together with considerable estates, and the extensive manor of Yardley, were long in the possession of the family of the Greves or Grevis—an ancient house, founded in England by one of the companions in arms of the CONQUEROR. THOMAS GREVIS entered his pedigree at the visitation of Worcestershire, in 1634, as did Richard, in 1683.

In the chapel of Kingsnorton, Worcestershire, on a very curious monument against the south wall of the chancel are the figures, in white marble, of a knight in armour, with his helmet under his head, his wife lying at his right hand. The inscription is as follows:—

"Here lie the bodies of Sir Richard Greves, knt. of Mosely, Deputy Lieutenant to his Majesty, in his principality of Wales; and Justice of the Peace and Quorum, and of Commission of Oyer and Terminer, in com. Wigorn, who departed this life, July 31, 1632, and Dame Anne, his wife, daughter of Thomas Leighton, of Wallesborough, in com. Salop, esq. who caused this vault and monument to be made in remembrance of her deere husbande deceased."

On the right side of the monument is this inscription:—

"Whom neither bribes nor servile fear hath swayde
From virtue's center, in this urne is laid.
The ayre was Justice which his body breathed,
And peace his beeing 'till the soul it leaved."

On the left, in letters of gold,

"His heart was fixt on heaven, and hee stood
Not for his own but for his countrye's good.
His mind was nobly balanced not to sell
His soul for wealth, yet used his talent well.
Wherefore his name hath broke detraction's fetters
And well abides the touche in golden letters.

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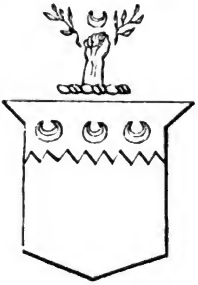
HARVEY, OF THORPE.

HARVEY, JOHN, esq. of Thorpe Lodge, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* 17th May, 1755, *m.* in December, 1783, Frances, daughter of Sir Roger Kerrison, and has issue,



I. ROBERT-JOHN,* (Sir), knt. C.B. of Mousehold House, near Norwich, knight of the Portuguese military order of the Tower and Sword, a colonel in the army, &c. *b.* 21st February, 1785.

Sir Robert possesses an estate at Tharston, in Norfolk, in tail male, bequeathed by his grandfather, Robert, and an estate at Stoke Holy Cross, derived from his great-grandfather, who purchased it in 1730. He *m.* Charlotte, daughter of Robert Harvey, esq. of Watton, and has with three daughters, three surviving sons, viz.

ROBERT-JOHN, *b.* in April, 1817.
John, *b.* in April, 1822.
Edward Kerrison, *b.* in December, 1826.

II. George, of Thorpe Grove, Norfolk, *b.* in 1793, *m.* Marianne, only child of Dr. Beevor, D.D. and niece of the late Sir Thomas Beevor, bart. and had issue. Mr. Harvey was drowned while bathing, 4th October, 1831.

III. Roger-Kerrison, who *m.* Elina, daughter of Sir Edmund Lacon, bart. and has issue.
IV. Fanny, *m.* to the Rev. Edward Bellman.
V. Emma, *m.* to Richard Day Squire, esq.
VI. Marianne, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Day.
VII. Caroline, *m.* to her cousin, Onley Saville-Onley, esq.
VIII. Harriott, *m.* to Captain Blakiston.
IX. Rosa, *m.* to John Ranking, esq.
X. Augusta, *m.* to Harry Goring, esq. eldest son of Sir Charles Goring, bart.
XI. Charlotte.

This gentleman, who is lieutenant-colonel commandant 3rd Norfolk cavalry volunteers, served the office of sheriff for that county in 1825. He was mayor of Norwich in 1792, is president of the Norwich Literary Institution, and chairman of the Merchants and Manufacturers in that town.

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* Sir Robert Harvey entered, at an early period of life, into the military service of his country, and proceeded in March, 1809, as captain of the 53rd regiment, to Portugal, where he was shortly afterwards appointed assistant quarter-master general of the British forces. In 1810, he was nominated major and assistant quarter-master general of the Portuguese army, and attached to the head quarters of the commander-in-chief, Marshal Beresford. In the following year, he was attached to the head quarters of the Duke of Wellington, as the organ of communication between his Grace and the Portuguese troops in the field, and remained in that situation with the army until the conclusion of the war in the Peninsula, having been present at the memorable battles of Oporto, Busaco, Salamanca, Vittoria, Nive, Nevelle, Orthes, and Toulouse, and at the sieges of Cuidad Rodrigo, Badajoz, Burgos, and St. Sebastian. In order to evince the sense which the King of Portugal entertained for the zeal manifested on the above important occasions, his most faithful majesty was pleased to nominate Major Harvey a knight of the Portuguese military order of the Tower and Sword, and to honor him with a medal of that order, also with a medal for six campaigns, and another, on which are inscribed the names of the chief conflicts in which Colonel Harvey was engaged. The Prince Regent of Great Britain was likewise pleased to present him with a gold medal for his conduct at the battle of Orthes, and to confer on him the honor of knighthood.

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Lineage.

JOHN HARVEY, esq. of Beacham Well, in Norfolk, inherited a considerable estate in that parish, and was buried there, in 1569. This estate passed in direct descent from father to son, to his great grandson,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. of Beacham Well, who died in 1678, leaving (with a younger child, William, ancestor of the present THOMAS HARVEY, esq. of Northwold) a son and heir,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. of Beacham Well, who left at his decease, in 1695, two sons, viz.

I. ROBERT, who espoused Mary, dau. of Wm. Nurse, esq. of Hilburgh, in Norfolk, and dying, in 1720, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN, lieut. R.N. who left at his decease a son,

EDWARD HARVEY, esq. of Watton, in Norfolk, who wedded, Mary, daughter of John Longe, esq. and was *s.* at his decease, in 1771, by his son,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. of Watton, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of Chas. Purdy, esq. and *d.* in 1820, leaving a dau.

CHARLOTTE - MARY, *m.* to her cousin, SIR ROBERT JOHN HARVEY, C.B. &c.

II. JOHN.

The second son,

JOHN HARVEY, esq. came to Norwich, and establishing himself as an eminent merchant there, was twice mayor of that city. He *m.* first, Ann, daughter of Wm. Straham, esq. and had a son, ROBERT, his heir. He wedded a second time,* and had further issue. Mr. Harvey died in 1742, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. mayor of Norwich, who *m.* Lydia, daughter of John Black, esq. and dying in 1773, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. twice mayor of Norwich. This gentleman espoused Judith, daughter of Captain Onley, R.N. and sister of the Rev. Charles Onley of Stisted Hall, in Essex, by whom he had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

JOHN, PRESENT PROPRIETOR.

Charles, barrister at law, and recorder of Norwich, chairman of the Norfolk county sessions, and twice M.P. for Norwich, and once for Carlow. This gentleman upon inheriting the estates of his maternal uncle, the Rev. Charles Onley, assumed in 1822, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of that gentleman, the surname and arms of SAVILLE-ONLEY. He *m.* first, Sarah, daughter of J. Haynes, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1800) he has issue,

ONLEY SAVILLE-ONLEY, who *m.* his cousin, Caroline, dau. of John Harvey, esq. of Thorpe, and has issue.

Sarah, *m.* to William Herring, esq.

Judith, *m.* to Charles Turner, esq.

Mr. Saville-Onley *m.* secondly, Charlotte, dau. of J. Haynes, esq.

Mr. Harvey *d.* in 1816, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT HARVEY, esq. mayor of Norwich. This gentleman, who was lieutenant-colonel of the East Norfolk militia, and subsequently colonel-commandant of the Norwich regiment of volunteers, *m.* Ann, dau. of Jeremiah Ives, esq. mayor of Norwich, but dying *s. p.* in 1820, he was *s.* by his brother, the present JOHN HARVEY, esq. of Thorpe.

Arms—Erminois, on a chief indented gu. three crescents arg. The augmentation to Sir Robert Harvey is, in lieu of the crescent in the centre in chief, the representation of the gold medal presented to him by command of H.R.H. the Prince Regent, for his services at the battle of Orthes, pendant from a ribband gu. fimbreated azure, beneath it the word "Orthes," and a canton ermine, charged with a representation of the insignia of a knight of the Royal Portuguese order of the Tower and Sword, pendant from a riband. To the crest of HARVEY, the augmentation of a mural crown, or, out of which the arm is issuant.

Crest—Over a dexter cubit arm, erect, proper, a crescent arg. between two branches of laurel, also proper.

Motto—Alteri si tibi.

Estates—TERRINGTON ST. JOHN, in Norfolk, purchased by the present proprietor's grandfather, in 1735: THORPE, acquired by himself, in 1799.

Seat—Thorpe Lodge, Norfolk.

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* From the second marriage lineally descend HENRY HARVEY, esq. now of the county of Suffolk, and

GEORGE HARVEY, esq. (his younger brother) of Catton, near Norwich, late a captain in the 18th Hussars, who espoused Lady Honora Elizabeth Hester Lambert, daughter of the Earl of Cavan, and has an only daughter.

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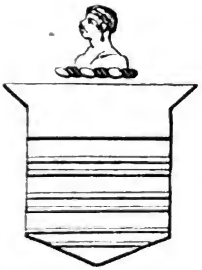
MEYNELL, OF NORTH KILVINGTON.

MEYNELL, THOMAS, esq. of the Fryerage and North Kilvington, in the county of York, and of Hartlepool in Durham, *b.* in April, 1775, *m.* 23rd August, 1804, Theresa-Mary, eldest daughter of John Wright, esq. of Kelvedon, in Essex, and has had issue,



THOMAS, *b.* in 1805.
Edward, *b.* in 1811.
Hugo-George, *b.* in 1813, and *d.* 17th February, 1828.
Edgar, *b.* 1st February, 1825.
Theresa-Mary.
Emma.

Mr. Meynell *s.* his father on the 8th June, 1808, and is in the commission of the peace for the county of Durham. He is also a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshire. In 1803, he raised a corps of volunteers, consisting of three companies of infantry, which he commanded during the period they were embodied, with the rank of major. In 1825, Major Meynell, being then chairman of the proprietors, laid the first rail of the Stockton and Darlington railway, the first *public* road of that description constructed in the kingdom.

Lineage.

Sometime in the twelfth century, WALTER DE MAINILL had a grant from his brother, Roger de Hilton, of lands, in Snotterdon. He was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT DE MAINILL, who had two sons,

WILLIAM, who granted to Hugh, his brother, the manor of HILTUM, Snotterdon, Hisilton, &c. and to these grants is affixed a seal exhibiting the same armorial ensigns as now borne by the family.

HUGH.

The second son,

HUGH DE MENELL, to whom his brother granted lands in, and the manors of Hilton, in Cleveland, Snotterdon, in Durham, Hisilton, &c. was living from 1203 to 1260. He *m.* Margaret, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN DE MENILL, of Hilton, living in 1303, who espoused Sibilla, and had issue,

Cuthbert, in ward to Thomas de Salcok, 12th EDWARD II. He *d. s. p.*

NICHOLAS.

William, mentioned in deed of wardship, July 8, 1318.

The second son,

NICHOLAS DE MEINELL, of Hilton, by deed, dated Durham, Tuesday after Pentecost, 15 years subsequent to the consecration of Lewis, bishop of Durham, entered into agreement with Adam de Meinill to levy a fine to the said Adam of the manor of Snotterdon, before the justices at Durham. The name of this Nicholas de Meinell appears in several charters from 1339 to 1360. He *m.* Cecilia, daughter and heiress of Thomas de Salcok, and had issue,

JOHN, successor to his father, who seems to have died without issue, having entailed the manor of Hilton, &c. upon his brother Robert.

ROBERT.

Hugh, living in 1345.

The second son,

ROBERT MEINELL, of Hilton, appears in deeds, from the years 1393 until 1444. He married twice, and left (with a daughter Janetta, who *m.* first, Watkyn Paycock, and secondly, Richard Kirkeby) a son and heir,

THOMAS MEINELL, who *m.* in July, 1417,* Jane, daughter of Richard Denom, of Denom, in the county of Durham, and died in 1447, as appears by bond, dated 33 Henry VI. wherein Matthew Purton, the guardian

* From the stipulations for the education of Thomas Meinell, during eight years after his marriage, it is probable, that at the time of the contract he was very young, and the marriage not consummated, till of maturer years.

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of John Meinell, son and heir of Thomas, impleaded Richard Coke of Hilton, and Jane, his wife, for the abduction of the said John Meinell, whose wardship had been granted to him by Sir James Strangwayes and others, Lords of Whorlton. Thomas Meinell was *s.* by his son,

JOHN MENNEL, of Hilton, *b.* in 1432, who was summoned as a grand juror, with twenty-two other gentlemen, by Sir Nicholas Constable, sheriff of Yorkshire, to meet the King's justices at Middleham, Oct. 29, 1479. He *m.* Jane, dau. of Richard Hansard, of Walworth, in the county of Durham, and had five sons, ROBERT, his heir, Thomas, William, Nicholas, and Anthony. The eldest son and successor,

ROBERT MENNELL, of Hilton, wedded Agnes, daughter of Sir John Lancaster, knt. of Sockbridge, in Westmoreland, and had issue,

I. ROBERT, of Hilton, who was appointed serjeant-at-law, in 1547. Upon the decease of his younger brother, Henry, he disputed the sanity of that gentleman's mind at the time of making his will. He married Mary, daughter of Thomas Pudsey, of Barforth, in the county of York, and dying in 1563, was found, by inquisition, taken at York Castle, the same year, to have deceased, possessed of the manors of Hilton, Normanby, Hawnby, &c. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROGER, of Hilton, Hawnby, &c. *b.* in 1539, who *m.* Jane, dau. of Sir Christopher Danby, knt. by Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Neville, Lord Latimer, (see p. 201) and had a son and heir,

EDMUND, of Hilton, who *m.* Thomasine, dau. of Ralph Tancred, esq. and dying, in 1615, left a son and successor,

CHARLES, of Hilton, &c. who sold his estates of Hawnby and Normanby, to James Morley, esq. one of the six clerks in Chancery.—He espoused Jane, dau. of Thomas Scudamore, esq. of Overton, in Yorkshire, and left, at his decease, an only daughter and heiress,

MARY, married to John Meynell, esq. of Thornaby.

II. HENRY,* joint tenant with his brother Anthony, under his father's will of the lease farmhold of Kilvington.

III. ANTHONY.

The third and youngest son,

ANTHONY MEYNELL, esq. was named joint tenant, with his brother Henry, of a lease of a farmhold in Kilvington, under his father's will. In 1556, he purchased lands in Scrooton of Sir Thomas Nevil, having previously, in conjunction with his brother Henry, acquired from Wm. and John Sewster, esqrs. all their lands in North Kilvington, formerly belonging to the convent of St. John of Egglestone, which had been granted to them by HENRY VIII. In 1558, he bought lands in Thirsk, lately in the possession of the monastery of Mount Grace. And, also, in the same year, the manor of Pickhall, in Yorkshire, of Thomas Nevil, of Holt, for £950. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Wm. Greene, esq. of Landwarth, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

ROGER, his heir.

Richard, upon whom his father settled a moiety of the manor of Pickhall, in 1576. This gentleman added greatly to his inheritance, by purchase, in Thirsk, and elsewhere. He

* This Henry dying unmarried, devised his estates to his two brothers. His will "made at the furthe going of the Skottes, after this last St. Peter day, called Lammas," was in substance as follows. He bequeathed to his brother Robert all his lands in Helsington, also his best horse or mare. He bequeathed to his brother Anthony, all his other lands, wheresoever to him and his heirs, with all his goods moveable and immoveable, and all his debts. And his said brother Anthony to find one honest priest to sing three yeare for his soule, and his father and mother's soule. He willed that his said brother Anthony see "that Jane Bainton have a lifting in sickness and in health, within his house, or without, as he and she agreed, whether she likes best, for she is a pore critor, and hath been my servand longe, and she hath nothing to liffe on; and if it please God that I die in time of peace at home," he bequeathed to Thornton-in-the-Street Church, 6*s.* 8*d.* and to Hilton, 4*s.* to pray for his father's, his mother's, and his own soul."

A dispute arose between the brother, Robert Meynell, the sergeant, and the nephew Roger Meynell (son and heir of Anthony) relative to the succession to Henry's estates, which was ultimately decided by a decree of the court of the lord president of the North, at York, the Earl of Rutland president, dated June 18, 1562. After reciting that Henry Meynell, uncle of Roger (the plaintiff) being seized in fee of six messuages and six hundred acres of land, in North Kilvington and Thornaby, did, by his will, devise the same to his brother, Anthony Meynell, father of Roger, the plaintiff, who conveyed them to the said Roger, his son, and by virtue thereof, the said Roger became seized in fee, and enjoyed the same until disturbed by the said Robert Meynell, the serjeant, decreed that the said complainant, Roger Meynell, should quietly enjoy the said premises.

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died in 1612, when he was found by inquisition* to have died without issue. His daughter Isabella, wife of James Danby, of Scruton, in the county of York, fourth son of Sir Christopher Danby, must have been dead, probably issueless.

Anthony Meynell wedded, secondly,† Catharine, daughter of — Rokesby, of Morton, by whom he had a son,

ROBERT, of Stank, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Christopher Nodding, and was *s.* by his son,

LAWRENCE, who purchased, in 1617, the lands and manor of THORNABY, from Ralph Appleby, and was ancestor of the Meynells of that place.

Anthony Meynell *d.* in 1576, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROGER MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, aged forty years and upwards at the time of his father's decease. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter and coheiress of Anthony Catterick, esq. of Stanwick, in the county of York, by Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Rowland Tempest, esq. of Holmside, in Durham, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

George, who took the oath of abjuration on the 19th of August, 1643. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Trotter, esq. of Skelton Castle, and had issue.

Margaret, *m.* to Sampson Trollop, esq. of Eden Dean, in Durham

Roger Meynell, having joined in 1569, the insurrection of the Earls of Northumberland and Westmoreland, was indicted of treason before Thomas Ratcliffe, Earl of Sussex, Lord President of the council in the North, but obtained a pardon from *Queen* ELIZABETH, dated 13th of her reign; notwithstanding which, part of his lands were confiscated to the crown. He *d.* in 1591, and was *s.* by his elder son,

THOMAS MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, *b.* in 1564. This gentleman, one of the victims of religious persecution, was committed in 1600, as a recusant, to the Block-house, at Hull, and in the following year imprisoned in York Castle. He obtained however in 1604 a general pardon under the great seal of JAMES the First, and in 1626 another from *King* CHARLES. He espoused first, Winefred, daughter of Thomas Pudsey, esq. of Barforth, in the county of York, by whom (who *d.* in 1604) he had issue,

ANTHONY, his heir.

Richard, of Little Broughton, in Cleveland, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Talbot, esq. of Thornton-le-street, by whom he had an only son,

John,* who *d.* without issue in 1690.

Mary, *m.* to George Pole, esq. of Spinkhill, in Derbyshire.

Ann, *m.* to Thomas Grange, esq. of Harlsey, in Yorkshire.

Thomas Meynell purchased in 1612, the manor of Sowerby for 650*l.* He appears to

* On the back of the inquisition is written by his nephew, Thomas Meynell, of North Kilvington:—

Officium post mortem
Rychardi Meynell qui
Multâ familiam de
Kilvington probitate
Morum et castetate
Vitæ locuplelavit. 1612

† According to other accounts, the second wife of Anthony Meynell was Catharine, daughter of Mr. Francis Howton, of Eddlethorpe.

* This John Meynell dying intestate, administration of his effects was granted to Stephen Kirk, of Thornton-le-street, yeoman, 16th September, 1690. The account of his funeral expenses, which is still preserved, states that two hundred and eighty-eight gallons of ale, and an equally amazing quantity of cakes and biscuits were consumed. The total cost was paid out of the effects of the deceased, by his uncle Major John Talbot, of Wood End, who, upon the demise of his nephew John Meynell, had taken possession of his estates in Little Broughton and Dromanby. About eight years subsequently to this event, in consequence of rumours being circulated that John Meynell had been murdered, Roger Meynell of North Kilvington, cousin of the deceased, filed a bill against Major John Talbot, for the recovery of the estates, which Major Talbot had taken possession of. From the pleadings in the cause, it appeared that John Meynell, being a Roman Catholic Recusant, conveyed his lands to his two protestant uncles, Roger and John Talbot, in order to avoid their seizure under the penal statutes then in severe force on account of the infamous plot of the perjured Oates; but with the implied understanding that his two uncles should only hold them in trust for him. Nevertheless upon the demise of John Meynell, Major John Talbot claimed and took possession of the estates, for the recovery of which the action was brought by the heir at law, Roger Meynell, in whose favour Sir John Trevor pronounced his decree. From the interrogatories administered to the witnesses, it appears that when suspicions of the murder arose, Cuthbert Brown, the servant of the deceased John Meynell, being apprehended and examined before the magistrates at Ripon, confessed the foul deed, and also declared at whose suggestions he had committed it. When he was however arraigned before the judges at York, he refused to plead to the indictment, and standing mute, suffered the punishment of the "Peine Forte et dure," and actually died under the horrible infliction of pain. The interrogatories tend to fix the guilt of instigation upon the uncle, Major John Talbot.

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have been a very devout person, and considered as such by his family, as his grandson William Meynell, in a letter dated Cliffe, 12th December, 1670, addressed to his nephew Roger Meynell, esq. of North Kilvington, requesting payment of his annuity, says, "Being hindered at present from coming to see you, I have sent the bearer to give my respects unto you, and to bring me word, how you all keep your health this cold wether, and in particular my little godsonne, to whom I send my harty blessing, wishing that he may live to the age and goodness of his great-great-grandfather, and then I believe, he will be both weary of this world and fit for heaven." Thomas Meynell died 13th July, 1653, leaving no further issue, by his second wife Mary Gale. He was *s.* by his elder son,

ANTHONY MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, who *m.* Mary, daughter of James Thwaites, esq. of Long Marston, in the county of York, and had issue,

- THOMAS, his heir.
- John, living in 1642
- Hugh.
- William.
- Anthony.
- James.
- Winefred, *m.* first to Thomas Killingbeck, esq. of Allerton Grange, and secondly to Thomas Barlow, esq.
- Clare, *m.* to Sir Richard Forster, bart. of Stokesley, in the county of York.
- Collett.
- Mary, *m.* to John Danby, esq. of Leek, in Yorkshire.
- Julyan.
- Catharine.
- Frances.

The eldest son,

THOMAS MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, *b.* in 1615, wedded in 1637 Gerard, daughter of William Ireland, esq. of Nostell Abbey, in Yorkshire, by whom (who *m.* secondly Capt. Edward Saltmarshe) he had, with several other children, who all *d.* unmarried, a daughter, Mary, *m.* in 1669 to John Brigham, esq. of Wyton, and a son,

ROGER MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, *b.* in 1639, who espoused Mary, daughter of Sir John Middleton, knt. of Thurntoft, second son of Sir Peter Middleton, of Stockeld, and had issue,

- THOMAS, his heir.
- Roger, successor to his brother.
- Ann, *m.* to Peter Middleton, esq. of Stockeld.
- Jane, *m.* to Marmaduke Palmes, esq. of Naburn.
- Teresa, *d.* unmarried.
- Mary, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Meynell, who was appointed, in 1688, by Charles, Viscount Fairfax, a Deputy-Lieutenant for Yorkshire, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, who *m.* in 1703, Ursula, daughter of Thomas Markham, esq. of Claxby, in Lincolnshire, by whom (who wedded after her first husband's decease, John Pole, esq. of Spinkhill, in Derbyshire) leaving no issue, the estates devolved upon his brother,

ROGER MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, living in 1720. This gentleman espoused Ann, daughter of Edward Charlton, esq. of Hesleyside, in Northumberland, by whom (who *d.* in 1748) he had issue,

- ROGER, his successor.
- George, *d.* unmarried in 1745.
- Edward, M.D. *d.* unmarried in 1746.
- Margaret, } both died nuns at Dunkirk.
- Anne, }
- Mary, *m.* to Thomas Selby, esq. of Biddlestone, in Northumberland.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to James Thornton, esq. of Nether Witton.

Mr. Meynell was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROGER MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, who *m.* in 1735, Barbara-Anne, eldest daughter of Thomas-William Selby, esq. of Biddlestone, in Northumberland, by whom (who *d.* in 1768) he had issue,

- Roger, who died unmarried.
- Thomas, *b.* in 1737, consecrated Priest of the *Soc. Jes.* who by deed, dated 22nd October, 1758, assigned over the estates to his younger brother, Edward, reserving to himself an annuity. He *d.* in 1804.
- George, *d.* unmarried.
- EDWARD, who continued the line of the family.
- Barbara, } twins, who both *d* unm.
- Eliza, }

The fourth son,

EDWARD MEYNELL, esq. of North Kilvington, by virtue of the limitations of the will of John Mayes, succeeded, in 1770, upon the demise of Cecilia, daughter of John Mayes and wife of James Fermor, esq. to the estates of the Fryerage, in the county of York, and fixed his residence there. The ancient mansion at North Kilvington being ruinous was pulled down. Mr. Meynell *m.* in 1764, Dorothy, daughter of Willm. Cary, esq. of Torr Abbey, in the county of Devon, by whom (who *d.* in 1802) he had issue,

- Edward, who pre-deceased his father in 1777.
- THOMAS, his heir.
- George, *b.* in 1778, of Lincoln's Inn, Barrister-at-law.
- Catharine-Dorothy, *m.* in 1789, to Simon-Thomas Scroope, esq. of Danby, in the county of York.

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Anna-Maria.
Barbara, *d.* young.

Mr. Meynell *d.* in 1808, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son, the present THOMAS MEYNELL, esq. of the *Fryerage and North Kilvington.*

Arms—Az. three bars gemelles, and a chief or.

Crest—A negro's head, encircled with a wreath.

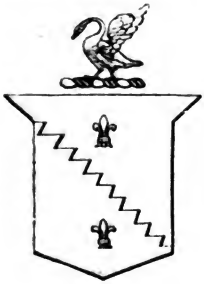
Motto—Deus non reliquit memoriam humilium.

Estates—Manors of North Kilvington; Thornton le Street; Pickhall, cum Roxby and Ness; Sowerby; and Yarm; together with possessions in Thornaby, all in Yorkshire. Lands in Egglescliffe and Aislaby in the county palatine of Durham.

Seats—The Fryerage near Yarm. and Hartlepool in Durham.

SHEE, (President of the Royal Academy.)

SHEE, SIR MARTIN-ARCHER, knt. President of the Royal Academy, an official trustee of the British Museum, F.R.S., honorary member of the Royal Hibernian Academy, and of the academies of New York, Charleston, and Philadelphia, *b.* 23rd December, 1770; *m.* in 1797, Mary, eldest daughter of James Power, esq. of Youghall, in the county of Cork, and has issue,



GEORGE-ARCHER, *b.* 21st June, 1800.
Martin-Archer, *b.* 14th November, 1804.
William-Archer, *b.* 28th August, 1810.
Anna-Archer.
Mary-Archer
Eliza-Jane-Archer.

Mr. Shee was elected a royal academician in 1800, and placed in the president's chair, vacated by the death of Sir Thomas Lawrence, in January, 1830. He received the honor of knighthood in the July ensuing.*

Lineage.

This is a branch of the ancient Milesian family of O'SHEE, now represented by Sir George Shee, Baronet of Dunmore, in the county of Galway, and which claims descent from OLIOLLOLIUM, King of Munster in the third century.

ROBERT O'SHEE, who settled at Kilkenny, fell at the Battle of Moyalla, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD SHEE, esq. who *m.* Miss Archer, of Ross, and was father of four sons and three daughters.

The youngest son,

ROBERT O'SHEE, esq. purchased lands in the county of Kilkenny, and was in the commission of the peace for that shire. He *m.* Miss Margaret Rothe, and had a numerous family. The eldest son receiving the honor of knighthood, became Sir Richard Shee; the second son,

ELIAS SHEE, esq. was of Clanmore, in the county of Kilkenny, but forfeited that estate. He *d.* in 1688, leaving an only son,

GEORGE SHEE, esq. who *m.* Miss Weyman, and left a son,

GEORGE SHEE, esq. This gentleman

* The following lines of Lord Byron attest the high reputation of Sir Martin Shee, as a painter and a poet:—

"And here let Shee and genius find a place,
Whose pen and pencil yield an equal grace;
To guide whose hand the sister arts combine,
And trace the poet's or the painter's line;
Whose magic touch can bid the canvass glow,
Or pour the easy rhyme's harmonious flow;
While honors, doubly merited, attend
The poet's rival, but the painter's friend."

These verses refer to "Rhymes on Art," and "Elements of Art."

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espoused Mary, daughter of Martin Kirwan, esq. of Blindwell, in the county of Mayo, and had four sons,

1. ANTHONY, of Castlebar, whose elder son,
   GEORGE SHEE, esq. was created a Baronet of Ireland in 1794, and was father of the present
   SIR GEORGE SHEE.
2. George.
3. MARTIN.
4. Patrick, who *d. s. p.*

The third son,

MARTIN SHEE, esq. of Dublin, wedded Mary, eldest daughter, and eventually co-heiress of Francis Archer, esq. of that city, and had two sons,

GEORGE.
MARTIN-ARCHER, the present SIR MARTIN ARCHER SHEE, P.R.A.

Arms—Party per bend indented, or, and azure; a fleur-de-lys in chief, another in base, counterchanged.

Crest—A swan rousant, wings indorsed, beaked, and unguled.

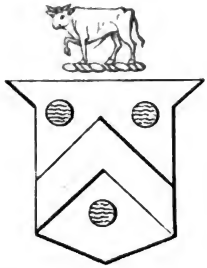
Motto—Cruce salus—or, vincit veritas.

Residence—32, Cavendish Square

SIKES, OF THE CHAUNTRY HOUSE.

SIKES, THE REV. JOSEPH, of the Chauntry House, in the county of Nottingham, LL.B. *b.* 13th November, 1781, succeeded his father in 1798.

Lineage



This ancient family, as we are informed by Mr. Thoresby in his "Ducatus Leodiensis," published in 1715, derives its surname from Sikes, or Sike-Dyke, near Carlisle, in Cumberland, among the gentry of which shire we find Walter de Sike returned about the commencement of the fifteenth century. One of its branches subsequently settled at Leeds, in Yorkshire, the same learned antiquary acquainting us (after describing the castle of that town besieged by King STEPHEN on his march to Scotland, and in which the ill-fated RICHARD II. lodged some time prior to his barbarous murder in Pontefract) that "where of old it stood, is now a capital messuage, and the ancient manor-house, lately with the park, &c. the estate of Richard Sikes, esq.; his grandson Richard having also it appears been Alderman of Leedes when first incorporated, and *his* son Richard, Parson of Kirkheaton, £1350 deep in the list of compounders,"—a circumstance of singular distinction at that period. The name was of eminency in RICHARD III.'s time, when, by the "inquisitiones post mortem, et ad quod damnum," we learn that a writ of mesne was sued by Robert de Sike against Daniel Fletwitch, to acquit him of services demanded by the King, the said Robert holding of the crown as mesne lord. It appears also, that Robert and Henrie de Sike were parties, or witnesses, to a deed of extensive transfer early in the reign of ELIZABETH; a curious portrait of the latter (Henrie) is now, among others of little less antiquity, at the Chauntry House. In a subsequent era, the close of Queen Anne's reign, a Captain Richard Sikes was sent on a military mission to Ireland, and appointed governor of the town and castle of Athlone.

THE REV. RICHARD SIKES, fifth in lineal descent from Richard Sikes, of Sikes Dyke, *temp.* HENRY VI. and eldest son of the Rev. Richard Sikes, the Rector of Kirkheaton, was himself Rector of Spofforth and prebendary of York. He espoused Anna, daughter of the Rev. Mark Micklethwait, Rector of Long Marston, and had, with other children, who *d.* issueless, a son and heir,

RICHARD SIKES, esq. M. A. who wedded Martha, daughter and heiress of SIR FRANCIS CAVENDISH BURTON, of St. Helens, in the county of Derby, and dying in 1696, left a son and successor,

JOSEPH SIKES, esq. *b.* in 1686. This gentleman espoused Hannah, daughter and heiress of William Chambers, esq. of Derby,

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uncle to the fifth Countess of Exeter, and left, at his decease in 1751, a son,

JOSEPH SIKES, esq. who was, for nearly half a century, one of the acting magistrates and deputy lieutenants for the counties of Nottingham and Derby, and was, as such, not less properly than liberally excused the office of sheriff for either county. He was during an extended period chairman of the Newark bench, as also of its local magistracy, and in those important capacities was in frequent correspondence at eventful epochs with several of the principal members of the then Governments. He held for some time the honorable station of one of the gentlemen of the privy chamber to King GEORGE III. and during the more meridian distinction of that celebrated military commander, the Marquess of Granby, was strongly urged by his Lordship, as well as by his own second cousin, Brownlow, ninth Earl of Exeter, (great uncle to the present Marquess) to accept, as a reward for his valuable and indefatigable public services, their recommendation for a baronetage, an honor which he more than once declined. This praiseworthy country gentleman, who was thrice Mayor of Newark, espoused first Jane, daughter of Robert Heron, esq. of Newark, and aunt to Sir Robert Heron, bt. but by her, who died in 1778, had no surviving issue. He wedded secondly Mary, daughter of the Rev. R. P. Hurton, Rector of Doddington, in Lincolnshire, and domestic chaplain to Lord Delaval, by whom he had

JOSEPH, his heir
Hannah-Maria, *m.* in 1824, to George Kirk, esq. of Leicester.
Sophia-Josepha, *m.* in 1821, to the Rev. H. Wade Gery, M. A. of Bushmead Priory, in the county of Bedford.

Mr. Sikes died 10th March, 1798, and was succeeded by the present Reverend representative.

Arms—Arg. a chevron sa. between three fountains ppr. Quartering, as heir general, the ensigns of the ancient family of BURTON, viz. azure, a crescent argent within an orle of estoiles, all within a bordure or.

Crests—1st a bull passant, over which the motto, Ferox inimicis: 2nd a ducal coronet, wherefrom issuing a wyvern.

Motto—Quod facio, Valde facio.

Estates—In dispersed parts of the county of Derby, (together with a much larger property in that and the county of Stafford, subsequently alienated) inherited from the BURTONS. In Nottinghamshire, patrimony of the Sikes's, and in Lincolnshire, bequeathed by a maternal aunt.

Seats—The Chauntry* House, Newark, and Shuckton Manor House, Derbyshire.

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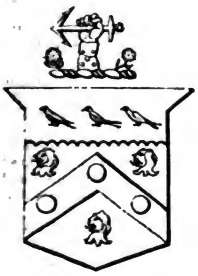
* This residence, a royal grant to the maternal ancestor of Mr. Sykes, (Sir Edward Snell), had been an establishment of observant friars, of the order of St. Francis, founded, according to Tanner, about 1499, but the present mansion was erected in 1725, by Samuel Foster, esq. the great grandfather of the existing possessor.

VIVIAN, OF PENCALENICK.

VIVIAN, JOHN, esq. of Pencalenick, in the county of Cornwall; *b.* 20th August, 1784; *m.* 4th October, 1817, Cordelia, second daughter of Thomas Grylls, esq. of Bosahan, and has issue,



JOHN-VIVIAN, *b.* 15th September, 1818.
James-Edwards, *b.* 22nd March, 1825.
Charles-Augustus, *b.* 16th April, 1827.
Francis-Henry, *b.* 4th September, 1828.
Marianne.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was Tippet, assumed, upon succeeding to Pencalenick, in 1820, the surname and arms of VIVIAN only.

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Lineage.

From John Vivian, (brother of Prior Vivian, of Bodmin) who *d.* in 1545, descended,

JOHNSON VIVIAN, esq. of Truro, at which place his ancestors had been settled for a considerable time. He purchased, about the year 1758, PENCALENICK, the present seat of the family, and dying without issue, in 1765, devised his estates to (the son of his brother, John Vivian, esq. of Rosewarne) his nephew,

JAMES VIVIAN, esq. of Pencalenick, who served the office of sheriff of Cornwall, in 1772. This gentleman died unmarried in 1782, and was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

THE REV. JOHN VIVIAN, of Pencalenick, who espoused his cousin, Alice, dau. of Matthew Vivian, esq. of Penelewey, in the county of Cornwall, and left at his decease, in 1802, an only son and heir,

JOHN VIVIAN, esq. of Pencalenick, who had been called to the bar, but retired from the profession soon after his father's decease. This gentleman was high sheriff of Cornwall in 1812. He *d.* unmarried, in 1817, and entailed his estates on his cousin,

JAMES-VIVIAN TIPPET, esq. grandson of Mary, eldest sister of the Rev. John Vivian, and her husband, Mr. James Tippet, of Nance, in Cornwall. Mr. James Vivian Tippet assumed, upon inheriting "Pencalenick," the surname and arms of VIVIAN. Dying unmarried, in 1820, the estates devolved, under the entail, upon his first cousin, JOHN TIPPET, another grandson of Mary Tippet, eldest sister of the Rev. John Vivian, who has assumed the surname and arms of VIVIAN, and is the PRESENT PROPRIETOR.

Arms—Erminois, on a chevron sa. between three lions' heads erased, purpure, as many plates, a chief engrailed gu. thereon three martlets or.

Crest—On a wreath, between two roses gu. slipped, vert, a dexter cubit arm vested az. charged with five plates in saltire, cuff arg. the hand proper, grasping an anchor in fess, the fluke towards the dexter sable.

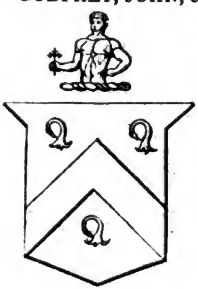
Mottoes—Non robore sed spe—for TIPPET.
Vive ut vivas—for VIVIAN.

Estates—In the boroughs of Bodmin and Truro, and in the several parishes of Camborne, St. Clements, Constantine, St. Enodor, St. Erme, Freock, Ladock, Padstow, Philluck, and Veryan, all in Cornwall. A considerable portion of these lands was purchased by Johnson Vivian, about the middle of the last century. Estates also in the parishes of Roborough and St. Giles, near Torrington, in Devonshire, bought by James Vivian, in 1781.

Seat—Pencalenick, two miles from Truro.

GODFREY, OF BROOK STREET HOUSE.

GODFREY, JOHN, esq. of Brook Street, House, in the county of Kent, *m.* 29th July, 1823, Augusta-Isabella, daughter of John Ingram, esq. of Staindrop, in the palatinate of Durham, and had issue,



INGRAM-FULLER, *b.* 24th December, 1827.
Arthur-William, *b.* 9th March, 1829.
Albert-Henry, *b.* 30th May, 1830.
Augusta-Frances-Elizabeth.
Christine-Eliza.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was JULL, assumed, by sign manual, in 1810, the surname and arms of GODFREY only.

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Lineage.

The ancient family of GODFREY is supposed to derive from Godfrey le Fauconer, lord of the manor of Hurst, in Kent, as early as the reign of HENRY II.

THOMAS GODFREY, who died in 1430, and was interred in Lydd Church, left by his wife, Joan Tamworth, a son and heir,

THOMAS GODFREY, of Lydd, in Kent, great-grandfather of

PETER GODFREY, of Lydd, who wedded Joan, daughter of John Epes, and dying in 1566, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GODFREY, esq. of Lydd, who espoused first, Mary, daughter and heiress of John Partricke, esq. of Iden, in Sussex, and by her (who died in 1580) had an only son,

I. PETER, of Lydd, *b.* in 1580, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Wilde, esq. of St. Martin's in Kent, and left at his decease, in 1624, with younger children,

1. THOMAS (Sir), knt. who purchased from the family of Hales, the manor, mansion, and lands of Heppington, in Kent. He *m.* Hester, daughter of Sir John Wilde, of St. Martin's, and died in 1684, leaving his wife Hester surviving, who, in 1698, settled the manor of Heppington on her late husband's great nephew, Henry Godfrey.

2. Peter (Sir), who wedded Sarah, daughter of Sir Peter Heyman, knt. of Somerfield, and was grandfather of

HENRY GODFREY, esq. who succeeded to Heppington. This gentleman espoused Catherine, daughter of Thomas Pittis, D.D. and left an only surviving daughter and heiress, MARY, who wedded Bryan Faussett, esq. The great grandson of this marriage is the present Rev. GODFREY FAUSSETT, D.D. of Heppington, Margaret Professor of divinity in the University of Oxford.

Thomas Godfrey married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Michael Pix, esq. of Folkstone, by Emma, daughter and heiress of Richard Strughill, and had another son,

II. THOMAS, who purchased in the reign of CHARLES I. the manor of Hodiford.

Mr. Godfrey, of Lydd, espoused thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Allard, of Biddenden, and had

III. Richard, M.P. for New Romney, *temp.* CHARLES I. ancestor of the GODFREYS of WYE, now extinct.

Mr. Godfrey died in 1623. His second son,

THOMAS GODFREY, esq. of Hodiford, married first, Margaret, sister of Sir Multon Lambard, knt. and had two sons, Lambard and Thomas, who both *d. s. p.* He wedded secondly, Sarah, daughter of Thomas Isles, esq. of Hammersmith, by whom he had, *inter alios*,

PETER, his heir.

Richard.

John.

EDMUNDBURY (Sir). This gentleman, SIR EDMUNDBURY GODFREY, being in the commission of the peace, fell a victim to the evil days of the infamous Tytus Oats, and was found murdered in a ditch near Primrose-Hill, in 1678. He died *s. p.*

Michael, *m.* Anna-Maria, daughter of — Chamberlain, esq. and dying in 1691, left issue,

1. Michael, slain at Namur, to whom a monument was erected at St. Swithin's, London.

2. Peter, of Woodford, in Essex, twice M.P. for London, who left five sons and a daughter; viz. THOMAS, who *s.* to Hodiford; Michael; Peter; Joseph; Cæsar; and Elizabeth: all of whom died issueless.

3. Hester, *m.* to Hugh Smithson, esq. of Armine and Tottenham, member in five parliaments for the county of Middlesex, by whom she had three sons and four daughters, who all died unmarried before their father. After her decease, Mr. Smithson wedded the Hon. Constantia Hare, daughter of Henry, Lord Coleraine, but had no other issue. Having survived his children, he devised his estates to his kinsman and next heir, Hugh, Duke of Northumberland.

4. Elizabeth.

Benjamin, of Norton Court, a manor he obtained in marriage with Mary, daughter and heiress of Baptist Piggot, esq. By this lady he had two sons and a daughter, namely,

1. JOHN, of Norton Court, a gentleman of literary reputation, and well versed in the antiquities of his county. He died *s. p.* in 1737, and bequeathed his estates to his nephew, Thomas Godfrey Lushington, esq.

2. Baptist, died *s. p.* in 1704.

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3. Catherine, *m.* to Stephen Lushington, esq. of Sittingbourne, and was mother of

THOMAS-GODFREY LUSHINGTON, esq. of Sittingbourne and Norton Court, which latter manor is now possessed by the Right Hon. Stephen Rumbold Lushington, governor of Madras.

Thomas Godfrey, of Hodiford, died in 1664, and was *s.* by his son,

PETER GODFREY, esq. of Hodiford, who *m.* Amye, daughter of Thomas Brett, esq. of Snave, and had issue,

THOMAS, of Hodiford, who wedded Mary, daughter of John Dallman, esq. of Denisthorpe, in Staffordshire, but dying without issue, in 1699, Hodiford passed to his cousin, Thomas Godfrey of Woodford.

AMYE.

The only daughter,

AMYE GODFREY, espoused William Courthope, esq. of Stodmarshe Court, and left at her decease, in 1742, two daughters, viz.

ANNE COURTHOPE, who *m.* John Hugesson, esq. and conveyed to him Stodmarshe Court,

and

SARAH COURTHOPE, who wedded John Jull, esq. of Ash, in Kent, and afterwards of Wodnesborough, by whom she left issue,

JOHN-GODFREY JULL, who died unmarried during his passage from St. Helena to England.

THOMAS JULL.

Sarah Jull, *m.* to John-Garland Hatch, esq. of Deal, and died in 1765.

The second, but only surviving son (at Mrs. Jull's decease in 1763),

THOMAS JULL, esq. of Ash, *b.* in 1729, married Susan, sister of W. Tully, of Sandwich, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

John, of Wingham, who *m.* in 1787 Anne-Sayer, daughter of William Reynolds, esq. and dying in 1812, left surviving issue,

JOHN, heir to his uncle.

William, *b.* 13th June, 1795.

Edward, *b.* 21st February, 1799.

George, *b.* 26th September, 1804.

Elizabeth, who died in 1817.

Mr. Jull was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

THOMAS JULL, esq. of Ash, *b.* in 1751, who assumed, by act of parliament, in 1799, the surname of GODFREY only. He was high sheriff of Kent, in 1802, and represented the borough of Hythe in parliament. Mr. Godfrey espoused, in August 1778, Elizabeth, only surviving child of John Fuller, esq. but dying *s. p.* in 1810, he was *s.* by his nephew, JOHN JULL, esq. who has likewise assumed the surname and arms of Godfrey, and is the present proprietor.

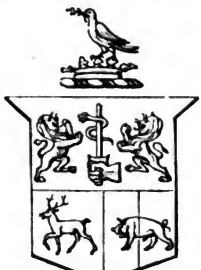
Arms—Sa. a chev. between three Pelicans' heads erased or, vulning themselves ppr.

Crest—A demi-negro ppr. holding in the dexter hand a cross crosslet fitchee arg.

Seat—Brookstreet House, Kent.

SULLIVAN, OF RICHINGS LODGE.

SULLIVAN, THE RIGHT HONORABLE JOHN, of Richings Lodge, in the county of Bucks, *b.* 7th April, 1749, *m.* 23rd May, 1789, Lady Henrietta-Anne-Barbara Hobart, dau. of George, Earl of Buckinghamshire, and twin sister to Maria, Countess of Guildford, by whom he has issue,



JOHN-AUGUSTUS, *b.* 19th August, 1798, Provost Marshal of Jamaica, and Secretary and Registrer of Demerara.

Albinia, *m.* first, in 1807, to Captain John James Stuart, R.N. only brother of Lord Stuart de Rothesay. Captain Stuart *d.* in 1811, leaving one son, Charles. Mrs. Stuart espoused, secondly, in September, 1825, the Reverend Marmaduke Thompson, and *d.* in June, 1827, leaving another son.

Harriet, *m.* in 1819, to Captain George Tyler, R.N. of Cottrell, in Glamorganshire, son of Sir Charles Tyler, K.C.B. by whom she has issue.

Maria, *m.* in 1824, to the Rev. Henry Pepys, rector of West Mile, Herts, and prebendary of Welles, and has issue.

Louisa-Eleanor.

Georgina-Vere, *m.* in 1826, to Robert Gosling, esq. of London.

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Mr. Sullivan passed the early part of his life in the civil departments of the public service in India, and in the year 1781, was vested with the powers of government over all the provinces south of the river Cavary. Upon the termination of the war with Tippoo Sultan in 1785, Mr. Sullivan returned to England. In 1790 he was elected to parliament for the borough of Old Sarum. In 1801, he was appointed under secretary of state for the war and colonial department. In 1806 he was sworn of the privy council, and in 1812, was appointed a commissioner of the board of control, where he continued to sit until 1828.

Lineage.

This family is descended from the very ancient house of "O'Sullivan More," whose possessions formerly extended over the greater part of the counties of Cork and Kerry. A curious document relative to the family is still preserved in the Record Office in Dublin. Sir Owen O'Sullivan, who, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth was *Tanist*, or representative of the Sullivans, during the minority of the son of the elder brother, having refused to relinquish the distinction, when his nephew became of age, the queen instituted a special commission to enquire into the cause. The report of the Lord President of Munster upon the matter, forms the ground of the document in the Record Office, and gives much information on the custom of *tanistry*, which at that period generally prevailed in Ireland. The lineal representative of this ancient family,

PHILIP O'SULLIVAN, esq. of the city of Cork, died in 1737, leaving two sons,

JOHN, whose male line terminated with his son, Phillip O'Sullivan, esq. a captain in the East India Company's service.

And,

BENJAMIN SULLIVAN, esq. of the city of Cork, *b.* 15th June, 1720. This gentleman, who discontinued the prefixed O to his surname, was appointed in 1752, by letters patent, clerk of the crown for the counties of Cork and Waterford. He *m.* in 1742, Bridget, daughter of the Rev. Paul Limric, D.D. by whom he had with five daughters, three sons, viz.

BENJAMIN (Sir) who, while one of the puisne judges of the supreme court of judicature at Madras received the honor of knighthood. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of admiral Sir Digby Dent, and had issue.

JOHN, the present *Right Honorable* JOHN SULLIVAN, of Richings.

Richard-Joseph, of Thames-Ditton, created a baronet 22nd of May, 1804. He wedded, in 1778, Mary, daughter of Thomas Lodge, esq. of Leeds, and was father of the present SIR CHARLES SULLIVAN, bart. (See Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.)

Arms—Per fesse, the base per pale: in chief or, a dexter hand, couped at the wrist, grasping a sword, erect gu. the blade entwined with a serpent ppr. between two lions rampant, respecting each other, of the second; the dexter base vert, charged with a buck trippant or: on the sinister base, per pale ar. and sa. a boar passant counterchanged.

Crest—On a ducal coronet or, a robin, in the beak a sprig of laurel ppr.

Motto—Lamh foisdineah an vachter.

Estates—Richings Lodge, purchased in 1786 from the Countess of Charleville. Thorney and Drominagh, all in the county of Bucks.

Town Residence—Harley Street.

Seat—Richings Lodge, Colnbrook, Bucks.

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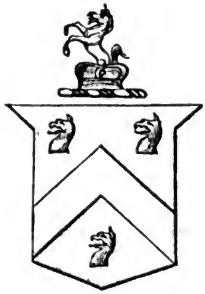
HOWES, OF MORNINGTHORPE.

HOWES, *The Reverend* THOMAS, of Morningthorpe, in the county of Norfolk, *m.* in 1798, Anne, only daughter of J. Fairfax Francklin, esq. of Attleborough, but has no issue.

Mr. Howes succeeded his father in 1796.

Lineage.



ROBERT HOWSE, esq. removed from Berkshire, (where his ancestor John de Huse, had settled in 1066,) into Norfolk, and took up his abode at Besthorpe. He died in 1618. His eldest son,

JOHN HOWSE, esq. was of Carleton Rode, and dying in 1663, was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS HOWSE, esq. who wedded Tabitha, only daughter of John Rope, esq. of Morningthorpe, and had with other issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Anne, *m.* to J. Dalling, esq. of Denton.

Tabitha, *m.* to William Holmes, esq. of Mundham.

He *d.* in 1671, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HOWSE, esq. who settled in the old Mansion House of the ROPE family at MORNINGTHORPE, in 1697, and purchased adjoining property at Shelton and Tritton, from Maurice Shelton, esq. and Sir Peter Gleane, bart. who was ruined in the Civil Wars. Mr. Howse served the office of sheriff for the county of Norfolk, in 1718, and then altered his name to HOWES in conformity with an error in the writ by which he was so designated. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of H. Keddington, esq. of Hockham, and had issue,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Thomas, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Colman, esq. of Hardingham, and was father of,
   - Thomas, a literary person, author of "Observations on Books ancient and modern."
   - Elizabeth, *m.* to George Wegg, esq. of Colchester.
3. Elizabeth, *m.* to J. Colman, esq. of Hardingham, and had a daughter,
   - Elizabeth Colman, who *m.* the Rev. Richard Potter, prebendary of Norwich, and the translator of Æschylus.

Mr. Howes *d.* in 1737, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN HOWES, esq. of Morningthorpe, who wedded Barbara, daughter of Thomas Syner, esq. of Hiningham, (who had a grant of arms in 1519,) and had (with six daughters) two sons,

JOHN, who was commandant of Negrais, and died there in 1756.

Thomas.

He *d.* in 1763, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

THE REV. THOMAS HOWES, of Morningthorpe, who espoused in 1758, Susan, only daughter of Francis Linge, esq. of Spinworth, in the county Norfolk, and had issue,

1. JOHN, of Gray's Inn, *d. s. p.* in 1787.
2. THOMAS, in holy orders, his successor.
3. George, *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Fellowes, esq. of Shotisham, and has George, Edward, Henry, and Henrietta. He wedded secondly, Maria, daughter of D. Blake, esq. of Scotton, and has another son, Frederick.
4. Francis. This gentleman translated Persius. He *m.* Miss Susan Smithson, and has several children.
5. Anne.
6. Margaret, *m.* in 1787, Edward, youngest son of Sir Cæsar Hawkins, of Kelston, and has, with other issue,

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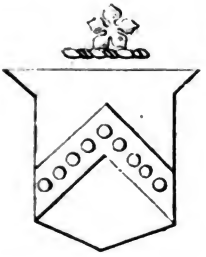
Edward Hawkins, provost of Oriel College, Oxford.
Francis Hawkins, M.D.
Cæsar Hawkins, a surgeon.

Mr. Howes *d.* in 1796, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son, the present REV. THOMAS HOWES, of Morningthorpe.

Arms—Arg. a chevron between three griffins' heads sa.
Crest—A demi unicorn, issuing from a crown ppr.
Motto—Stat fortuna domus.
Estates—In Norfolk.
Seat—Morningthorpe.

SEVERNE, OF WALLOP HALL.

SEVERNE, SAMUEL-AMY, esq. of Wallop Hall, in the county of Salop, of Rhosgoch, in Montgomeryshire, and of Thenford, in the county of Northampton, *b.* in 1772, *m.* 10th April, 1794, Anne, daughter of Thomas Brayne, esq. of Barton, in Warwickshire, and has had issue,



JOHN-MICHAEL, of Norton, *b.* in 1798, *m.* in 1825, Anna-Maria, daughter of Edmund Meysey Wigley, esq. of Shakenhurst, in the county of Worcester, and has issue.
Samuel, of the royal artillery, *b.* in January, 1799.
Henry, in holy orders, *b.* in June, 1800.
Charles, *b.* in January, 1804.
William, *b.* in March, 1805.
Mary-Anne.
Elizabeth, *d.* young.
Catherine, *m.* in 1829, to the Rev. Francis Leighton, nephew of Sir Baldwin Leighton, bart.
Julia, *m.* in 1830, to John Morris, esq. of Ross Hall, in Salop.

Mr. Severne *s.* to the family estates upon the demise of his kinsman, General Severne, in 1787, and inherited Thenford from Mrs. Mary Ingram. He served the office of high-sheriff for the county of Montgomery in 1824, and for Northamptonshire in 1829. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for both those counties.

Lineage.

THOMAS SEVERNE, esq. of Broadway, and Powych, in the county of Worcester (son of John Severne, of Shrawley, living temp. HENRY VIII.), espoused Elizabeth, dau. of John Nash, esq. of Martly, in the county of Worcester, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1592, by his son,

JOHN SEVERNE, esq. of Powych, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Langley, esq. of the Abbey, Shrewsbury, and great aunt to Sir Henry Langley, by whom he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
Thomas, in holy orders, A.M. of Powyck, in Worcestershire, who *d.* unm. in 1698.
Mary, *m.* to John Walsh, esq. of the Moore, near Hereford.
Elizabeth, who *d.* unm. in 1675.
Catherine, *m.* to John Somers, esq. of White Ladies, and had issue,

1. JOHN SOMERS, Baron Somers, of Evesham, LORD HIGH CHANCELLOR OF ENGLAND—"A genius," says Walpole, "of the finest taste, a patriot of the noblest and most extensive views, an incorrupt lawyer, and an honest statesman." His lordship dying unmarried, in 1716, the title became EXTINCT, while his estates devolved upon his sisters, as co-heirs.
2. Mary Somers, *m.* to Charles Cocks, esq. M.P. and had, with other issue, JOHN COCKS, esq. of Castleditch, grandfather of the present EARL SOMERS.
3. Elizabeth Somers, *m.* to Sir Joseph Jekyll, Master of the Rolls.

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Mr. Severne *d.* in 1660, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN SEVERNE, esq. of Wallop Hall, in the county of Salop, mayor of Shrewsbury, in 1675, who wedded Alice, daughter of Richard Bagot, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1693) he had issue,

I. THOMAS, his heir.
II. John, in holy orders, of Christ church, who *d. s. p.*
III. Samuel, of Claines, in Worcestershire, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Charles Frewen, esq. of Northiam, in Sussex, and dying in 1712, was *s.* by his eldest son,
   SAMUEL, *b.* in 1704, who espoused Amy, daughter of Robert Young, esq. of Hammersmith, and was *s.* by his son,
   SAMUEL, of Enfield, in Middlesex, *m.* in 1770, Elizabeth Mary, daughter of George Gorst, esq. of Chester, and dying in 1788, left issue, a daughter, Elizabeth, who *d.* unm. in 1801 and an only son,
   SAMUEL-AMY, eventual inheritor, and PRESENT PROPRIETOR of the estates.
IV. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Gough, esq. of the Marsh, in the county of Salop.
V. Elizabeth.
VI. Alice, *d.* young.

Mr. Severne died at Westbury, in 1689, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS SEVERNE, esq. of Wallop Hall, in Shropshire, and of Rhosgoch, in the county of Montgomery, gentleman of the bedchamber to *King* WILLIAM III. who served the office of sheriff of Montgomery in 1697. He *m.* Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir John Pye, bart. of Hone, by whom he left at his decease, in 1737, a son and heir,

JOHN SEVERNE, esq. of Wallop Hall, a general officer, and colonel of the 8th light dragoons, who inherited, by will, from his cousin, MARY PYE, the Clifton and Haughton estates, in Staffordshire. General Severne *d.* unm. in 1787, at the advanced age of eighty-nine, and was *s.* in his patrimonial inheritance by his kinsman, the present SAMUEL AMY SEVERNE, esq. of Wallop Hall. The estates of Clifton and Haughton devolved, by a limitation in the will of the above-mentioned Mary Pye, upon the REV. RICHARD WATKINS, by whose brother, the Rev. John Watkins,* they are now enjoyed.

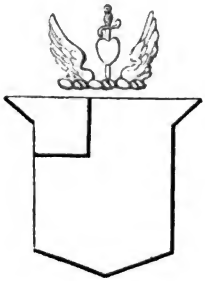
Arms—Arg. on a chev. sa. nine bezants.
Crest—A cinquefoil or.
Motto—Virtus præstantior auro.
Estates—In Northamptonshire, Salop, and Montgomery.
Seats—Thenford, near Banbury, and Wallop Hall, in Shropshire.

* At the decease of Mr. Watkins, the Clifton and Haughton estates will devolve upon HENRY JOHN PYE, esq. (*See family of Pye of Faringdon.*)

BLENCOWE, OF MARSTON ST. LAWRENCE.

BLENCOWE, JOHN JACKSON, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, in the county of Northampton, *b.* in February, 1810, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 28th August, 1830.

Lineage.



The Blencowes (a branch of a very old Cumberland family, which had property at Greystock in that county) have been seated at Marston, earlier than 1446.

THOMAS BLENCOWE, grandson of John Blencowe, living at Marston St. Lawrence, temp. HENRY VI. obtained in the year 1540, a grant from the crown of the demesne lands and rectorial tithes of the manor of "Lawrence Merston, alias Merston St. Lawrence." He died in two years after, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN BLENCOWE, of Marston St. Lawrence, who espoused, first, Anne, daughter of Robert Pargiter, of Gretworth, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, the daughter of John Secole, of Eynesham, in the county

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of Oxford, and dying in 1562-3, was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BLENCOWE, of Marston St. Lawrence, at whose demise, unmarried, in 1569, the estates devolved on his brother,

JOHN BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter of John Sanders, esq. of the county of Bucks, and dying in 1604-5, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of John Waleston, esq. of Rislip, in Middlesex, and had several children. He *m.* secondly, Joyce, relict of the Rev. Francis Savage, D.D. and daughter of Thomas Cooper, esq. of Powich, in Worcestershire, by whom (who *d.* in 1679-80) he had no other issue. Mr. Blencowe *d.* about the year 1643, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, who *m.* first, Susan, daughter of John Burgoyne, esq. of Rowington, in the county of Warwick, by whom he had an only daughter, Mary, *m.* to Samuel Hill, esq. of Rowington. Mr. Blencowe wedded secondly, in 1640, Mary, daughter of the Rev. Francis Savage, D.D. of Ripple, in Worcestershire, by whom (who *d.* in 1678) he had issue,

- JOHN (Sir), his heir.
- Thomas, in holy orders, M.A. rector of Thenford, *b.* in 1650; *m.* Mary, dau. of Wm. Knight, gent. of Banbury, in Oxon, and had two daughters, viz. Mary, the wife of John Townshend, esq. of Marsh, and Joyce, of the Rev. John Thicknesse, rector of Farthinghoe.
- William, of London, *b.* in 1656, who *m.* Lettice, daughter of the Rev. John Knight, of Northampton, and had two daughters, Lettice, *m.* to the Rev. John Pereth, and Mary, who *d.* unm.
- Nathaniel.
- Jonathan.
- Joyce, *m.* in 1670, to John Botry, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence.

Mr. Blencowe *d.* in 1673-4, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN BLENCOWE, of Marston St. Lawrence. This eminent person, a profound and able lawyer, was born at Marston, in 1642. From 1690 to 1695, he sate as member of the borough of Brackley; but in the latter year retiring from parliament, he devoted his time and abilities to his profession, in which he acquired high reputation. In 1696 he was appointed a baron of the exchequer, in 1697, a judge of the common pleas, and, in 1702, of the king's bench. In 1714, he was re-appointed to the common pleas, and remained on that bench until 1722, when he retired, his salary being, as a token of respect, continued to him, during the remainder of his life. "In his professional character," says Mr. Baker, (*History of Northamptonshire*) "he was distinguished by an honest, blunt integrity, and in the intercourse of private life, by a considerate, humane disposition, of which the following anecdote furnishes a pleasing illustration: An old man, whom he had employed in hewing stones, lived to be above ninety years old, and for some time had daily spoiled the stones, instead of rendering them fit for use. Lady Blencowe perceiving it, begged the judge to continue him his eight-pence a day, and desire him to stay at home. "No, no," said the judge, "let him spoil on; he has a pleasure in thinking he earns his daily bread at fourscore years and ten: but if you turn him off, he will soon die with grief."

Sir John Blencowe wedded Anne, eldest daughter of the Rev. John Wallis,* D.D. F.R.S., the famous Savilian Professor of Oxford, by whom (who *d.* in 1718) he had issue,

- JOHN, his heir.
- Thomas, of Hayes, in the county of Middlesex, a bencher of the Inner Temple, London, who *m.* Martha, eldest daughter and co-heiress of William Perris, esq. of Hayes.
- William, who *d.* unmarried, in 1712. To this gentleman a marble tablet is erected in the church of Marston St. Lawrence.
- Mary, *m.* to Alexander Prescott, esq. of Thoby Priory, Essex.
- Anne, *m.* in 1720, to Sir Edmund Probyn, of Newlands, in Gloucestershire, chief baron of the Exchequer.
- Elizabeth.
- Susannah, *m.* to Richard Jennens, esq. of Princethorp, in Warwickshire.

Judge Blencowe *d.* in 1726, at the age of eighty-four, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Holbeck, esq. of Farnborough, in

* This celebrated person, one of the most eminent of English mathematicians, was born at Ashford, in Kent, Nov. 23, 1616, and was educated at Emanuel College, Cambridge. About 1640, he took orders, and was elected Fellow of Queen's College, and in nine years after appointed Savilian Professor of Geometry, at Oxford. In 1665 we find him among those enlightened persons who laid the foundation of the Royal Society, and after its establishment contributing to its reputation and continuance, by his communications.—Dr. Wallis was author of many mathematical, theological, and controversial works, "excelling," says a recent writer, "more in judgment and industry than in genius." He *d.* in 1703.

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Warwickshire, by whom (who *d.* in 1756) he left issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Jane, who *m.* the Rev. Samuel Jackson, rector of Stisted, in Essex, by whom (who *d.* in 1792) she had

SAMUEL JACKSON, heir to his uncle.

JOHN JACKSON, of Duton Hill, in Essex, who *m.* in 1792, Mary, dau. of the very Rev. Dr. Nicholas Wakeman, dean of Bocking, and *d.* in 1826.

Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Bree, M.A. rector of Allesley, in Warwickshire, and *d.* in 1801.

Elizabeth, Mary, } both *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Blencowe *d.* in 1740, and was interred at Marston St. Lawrence, where the following inscription is engraved upon his tomb: "To the memory of John Blencowe, esq. eldest son and heir of Sir John Blencowe, knight, by Ann, daughter of the learned Dr. Wallis; a man of strict virtue and integrity. He was bred to the bar, but falling early into an ill state of health, he was soon obliged to decline the pursuit of his profession, and retire to a private line in the country. Having a plentiful fortune, he enjoyed it with credit, and managed it with so much economy, as to make a very ample provision for his family. He *d.* 19th day of November, 1740, in the 63 year of his age." His only surviving son,

JOHN BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, dying unmarried in 1717, devised his estates to his nephew,

SAMUEL JACKSON, esq. who thus became of "Marston St. Lawrence," and assumed, upon inheriting, the surname and arms of BLENCOWE. He *m.* first, Anne, youngest dau. of the Rev. Thomas Bree, of Allesley, by Anne Blencowe, and had by her (who *d.* in 1789) five sons, viz.

JOHN-JACKSON, his heir.

Thomas, in holy orders, vicar of Marston St. Lawrence-cum-Warkworth, *b.* 15th November, 1782.

Samuel-William, of Lincoln, *b.* in 1784, *m.* Miss Anne Bell, of that town.

James, in holy orders, *b.* in 1785, *m.* in 1818, Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John Beauchamp, esq of Pengreep, in Cornwall, and relict of James Nagle, esq.

Henry, *d.* unmarried in 1808.

Mr. (Jackson) Blencowe espoused secondly Elizabeth-Gramer, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Biker, rector of Culworth, (by his first wife), by whom, who *d.* in 1814, he had further issue,

Charles, in holy orders, *b.* in 1793.

Peter-Gramer, in holy orders, *m.* 2nd January, 1829, Loveday, eldest dau. of Isaac Sparkes, esq. of Crewkerne, in Somersetshire.

Robert, of the Inner Temple, London *b.* in 1801.

George, *b.* in 1803.

Edward, *b.* in 1805.

Elizabeth.

Rhoda-Maria.

Sophia.

Mr. Blencowe was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN JACKSON BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, *b.* in 1780, who *m.* in 1804, Louisa-Anne, daughter and co-heiress of the Rev. Thomas Biker, rector of Culworth, by his second wife, and had issue,

JOHN JACKSON, his successor.

Samuel, twin with John.

Thomas, of Wadham College, Oxford.

James.

Louisa-Anne, relict of the Rev. Francis Gottwaltz, late vicar of Coughton, in Warwickshire.

Mary-Anne.

Susannah-Judith.

Mr. Blencowe, who served the office of sheriff of Northamptonshire in 1827, *d.* 28th August, 1830, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JOHN JACKSON BLENCOWE, esq. of *Marston St. Lawrence.*

Arms—Gu. a canton arg. quartering the arms of WALESTON and BIKER.

Crest—A sword in pale, arg. hilt in chief or, enfiladed with a human heart gu. all between two wings expanded arg.

Estates—In Marston St. Lawrence, and adjacent parishes, granted in 1540 to Thomas Blencowe, of Marston.

Seat—Marston House, Northamptonshire.

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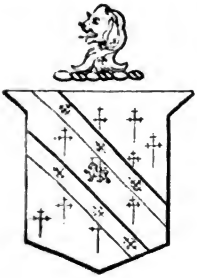
MARSHAM, OF STRATTON STRAWLESS.

MARSHAM, ROBERT, esq. of Stratton Strawless, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* 24th June, 1783; *m.* 26th, June, 1804, Frances-Anne, daughter of John Custance, esq. of Weston House, and has had issue,



STRATTON-ROBERT-JOHN, a magistrate and deputy-lieut. of Norfolk, *b.* 1805, *m.* 1828, Amelia-Charlotte, eldest dau. and co-heir of the late Matthew-Richard Onslow, esq. eldest son of Adm. Sir Rich. Onslow, bt.

Charles-William, *b.* 30th August, 1814.

Henry-Philip, *b.* 10th January, 1817.

Thomas-John-Gordon, *b.* 19th September, 1821.

George-Augustus, *b.* at Tours-sur-Loire, 6th August, 1824.

Frances-Sophia-Georgiana, *m.* 7th September, 1830, to the Rev. William Arnold-Walpole Keppel, youngest son of Frederick Keppel, esq. of Lexham Hall, in Norfolk, and has issue,

Frederick-Charles Keppel, *b.* 25th August, 1831.

Agnes-Sophia-Katherine, *m.* 23rd June, 1830, to Sir Henry Durrant, bart. of Scottow, and died in child-bed 28th April, 1831.

Mr. Marsham, who is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Norfolk, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1812.

Lineage.

This ancient house derives its surname from the town of Marsham, in Norfolk, where it maintained a prominent rank as far back as the reign of HENRY I. There remains, however, at present no regular record of the family until the time of EDWARD I. when

JOHN DE MARSHAM was living at Marsham. He *d.* in 1325, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE MARSHAM, who bore for arms, "a chevron between a mullet and crescent in chief, and a croslet in base." His son and heir,

ROBERT DE MARSHAM, was the first of the family that settled at Stratton. He espoused Katherine ——, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, of Stratton, living in 1465, who *m.* Margaret ——, and had four sons, viz. JOHN, his successor; Andrew and Robert, who both left issue; and Richard, a monk and almoner in the priory at Norwich. The eldest,

JOHN MARSHAM, of Stratton, appears to have used the present armorial ensigns of the family. He *d.* in 1473, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN MARSHAM, of Stratton, who *d.* in 1515, leaving by his wife Ellyne, who deceased the same year, three sons and a daughter, viz.

1. THOMAS, his heir.
2. John, who was sheriff of Norwich in 1510, and mayor in 1518. He wedded Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Hamond Claxton, of Chedeston, in Suffolk, and dying in 1525, left with two daughters, two sons, viz.

Thomas, sheriff of Norwich in 1543, M.P. for the same town in 1548, and mayor in 1554, who *d. s. p.* in 1557, bequeathing his moiety of Melton to his brother,

Ralph, of Melton Parva, alderman of Norwich, living in 1578, who *m.* his cousin, Miss Elizabeth Claxton, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. of Melton Parva, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Downes, esq. of Great Melton, in Norfolk, and had with other issue, who *d.* unmarried,

EDWARD, who *m.* Eliza-

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beth, daughter and co-heir of Edmund Grey, esq. of Bunwell, but *d. s. p.* in 1612.

John, lord and patron of Wramlingham, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Christopher Hyrne, and niece of Sir Thomas Hyrne, of Heverland, and had issue, the male line of which is now EXTINCT.

Thomas, from whom it is frequently, but erroneously, supposed the Earl of Romney descends.

Ann, *m.* to William Drake, gent.

Dorothy, *m.* to Edmund Anguish.

Jane, *m.* to Duncan Burnet, M.D. of Norwich.

3. James, of St. Julian's, who was sheriff of Norwich in 1539. He *d.* in 1544, leaving,

John.

James, who *d.* unmarried.

William.

THOMAS, alderman of London, ancestor of the EARLS OF ROMNEY.

The eldest son,

THOMAS MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton, attained his majority prior to the year 1508. He left at his decease, with other issue, a son and successor,

HENRY MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton, who purchased in 1544, the manor and advowson of Stratton Strawless. He wedded Rose, daughter of Thomas Aldriche, by Cicely, his wife, eldest daughter and coheiress of Richard Bishop, esq. of Yarmouth, and dying in 1573, was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, who espoused Margaret, daughter of John Branthwaite, of Norwich, gent. by whom (who *m.* after her first husband's decease, Henry Lovell, esq. and *d.* in 1604) he had issue,

MILES, who left at his decease an only daughter, Constance.

THOMAS, who *m.* first, Lucy, daughter of the very Rev. Edmund Suckling, dean of Norwich, and secondly, a Miss Rede, from which latter lady he was separated. He *d. s. p.* 1638, and and lies interred in Stratton church, where a fine monument is erected to his memory.

ROBERT, *b.* in 1591.

Thomasine, *m.* to Thomas Hancock, gent.

Mary, *m.* to George Roberts, gent.

The third son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, continued the line of the family. He wedded Anne, daughter of John Noblett, esq. of Semere, in Suffolk, by whom (who *d.* in 1665) he had issue,

THOMAS, who predeceased his father in 1661, *s. p.*

WILLIAM, successor.

HENRY, heir to his brother.

Ann, *m.* to Thomas Bulwer, esq. of Buxton, and *d.* in 1704.

Margaret, *d.* in 1634.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Scambler, esq. of Heveningham, son of the bishop of Norwich, and *d.* in 1688.

Mr. Marsham *d.* in 1661, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, *b.* in 1626. This gentleman espoused Ellinor, daughter of Samuel Harsnett, esq. of Great Fransham, by whom (who subsequently *m.* Sir Robert Drury, bart. of Ridlesworth, and was killed by the falling of a stack of chimneys, in 1703) he left no issue at his decease in 1674, and was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

HENRY MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, *b.* in 1628, who *m.* first, Ann, daughter and heiress of Charles Themilthorpe, esq. of Worsted, and had by her, two sons and a daughter. He wedded, secondly, Grace, daughter of Thomas Bishop, esq. of Hasley Hall, in Suffolk, by whom (who *m.* secondly, John Cornwallis, esq. of Wingfield College) he had no further issue. Mr. Marsham *d.* in 1692, and was *s.* by his only surviving child,

THOMAS MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, *b.* in 1669. This gentleman *m.* Dorothy, daughter and co-heiress of Leonard Gooch, esq. of Earsham Hall, and had, with several other children, who all died unmarried,

ROBERT, his heir.

Mary, *m.* to John Croshold, esq. of Norwich.

Phillippa, *m.* to Peter Elwin, esq. of Thurning.

He was *s.* at his demise in 1749, by his eldest son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. F.R.S. of Stratton Strawless, *b.* in 1707, who espoused, first, Miss Mary Browne, and had a son, ROBERT, his heir. He *m.* secondly, Miss Elizabeth Newby, and had another son, Thomas, who *d.* in 1773, aged fifteen years. "Mr. Marsham," says a writer, in the Gentleman's Magazine, "spent many years of his long life at his seat at Stratton, where he particularly attended to planting, an employment that had from his earliest years afforded him the greatest pleasure. He was not only a great planter, but a very considerable

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naturalist. To all lovers of a country life, his *Indications of Spring* will be a continued source of reference, and they point out to us, without error, on an average, how little variable nature is in all her ways." Many and most useful were his other productions. He *d.* universally regretted in 1797, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless, *b.* 18th December, 1749, who *m.* 17th April, 1781, Sophia, daughter of Edward Hase, esq. of Sall, by whom, who *d.* 28th November, 1824, he had issue,

ROBERT, his successor.

Edward, in holy orders, *b.* 1st April, 1787, Rector of Sculthorpe, and also of Stratton Strawless, and Wramplingham.

Henry, in holy orders, *b.* in 1788, and *d.* in 1815

Sophia-Virtue.

Lucy, *m.* 14th May, 1818, to the Rev. John Edwards, of Hardingham, in Norfolk, and has issue, two sons and a daughter.

Mr. Marsham, who was high sheriff of Norfolk in 1801, *d.* 15th April, 1812, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present ROBERT MARSHAM, esq. of Stratton Strawless.

Arms—Arg. crusily fitchee sa. a lion passant gu. between two bendlets az. each charged with three crosslets or. Quartering, the arms of THEMELTHORPE.

Crest—A lion's head erased gu. charged with three crosslets fitchée or.

Motto—Quod adest.

Estates—The manor and advowson of Stratton Strawless, purchased in 1544, Heveningham, Haynford, Buxton, and Felthorpe, all in Norfolk.

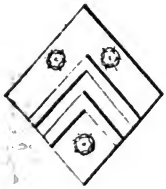
Seat—Stratton Strawless.

WYKEHAM, OF THAME.

WYKEHAM, SOPHIA-ELIZABETH, of Thame Park and Swalcliffe, both in the county of Oxford.

Miss Wykeham inherited the estates and became, at the decease of her father, William Humphrey Wykeham, esq. in July, 1800, representative of the Wykeham family, and of the houses of Fiennes and Wenman, the former Viscounts Saye and Sele, in England; the latter, Viscounts Wenman, in Ireland.

Lineage



The family of WYKEHAM has been settled at SWALCLIFFE from a very remote period; we find mention made of a SIR RALPH WYKEHAM, living in the time of *King* JOHN, and of a Sir ROBERT WYKEHAM, contemporary with HENRY III.; but of these knights little more is recorded. The great luminary of the family was the celebrated Bishop of Winchester, WILLIAM OF WYKEHAM, the founder of Winchester College, and of New College, Oxford. It is still however a contested point, whether this eminent churchman was or was not a lineal descendant of the Wykehams of Swalcliffe.* They have from time immemorial claimed him as one of their race; and in later times an intermarriage has taken place between Richard

* The following facts are advanced in support of the affirmative:

1. The tradition which has ever existed in the family.

2. The distinct assertion of Nicholas Harpspell, himself a fellow of New College, and described as "omni literarum genere ornatus," that the prelate was a descendant of the Sir Ralph Wykeham mentioned above.

3. The circumstance that there were members of

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Wykeham of Swalcliffe, and the sister of Richard Fiennes, last Viscount Say and Sele, who was the lineal descendant and ultimate heiress of WILLIAM of WYKEHAM.*

From the time of the above Sir Robert Wykeham, there is a chasm until about the commencement of the fourteenth century, when

ROBERT WYKEHAM, Lord of Swalcliffe, espoused Maud, daughter and heiress of Reginald Waterville. He was *s.* by

SIR ROBERT WYKEHAM, kt. Lord of Swalcliffe and Wykeham, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Le Sore, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WYKEHAM, who wedded Alys Lyggarde, and had a son and successor,

THOMAS WYKEHAM, whose son and heir, by his wife Joyce Hanbury,

SIR EDWARD WYKEHAM, married Isabella, daughter of Gyles Powlton, and was *s.* by his son,

HUMPHRY WYKEHAM, esq. living in 1569, who *m.* the daughter of Edward Underhill, and left a son and successor,

RICHARD WYKEHAM, esq. who wedded Anne Houldbrook, and was *s.* by his son,

HUMPHRY WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe. This gentleman espoused Martha, daughter of Rowley Ward, esq. serjeant-at law, and had issue,

HUMPHRY, *b.* in 1668.
Richard.
Joyce.
Anne.
Martha.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

HUMPHRY WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe, who *m.* in 1698, Susanna, daughter of Richard Orlebar, esq. of Hinwick House, and dying in 1703, was *s.* by his only surviving child,

RICHARD WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe, who espoused Vere-Alicia,† daughter of the Rev. Richard Fiennes, and sister and co-heir of Richard, sixth and last Viscount Say and Sele, by whom (who *d.* in 1768,) he had surviving issue,

WILLIAM-HUMPHRY, *b.* in 1734.

Richard, in holy orders, vicar of Sulgrave, and Chacombe, in the county of Northampton, and of Newton Purcell, in Oxfordshire, *m.* Mary, daughter of Charles Fox, esq. of Chacombe Priory, in the county of Northamp-

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the Swalcliffe family living in Hampshire, the native county of William, of Wykeham.

4. The more than ordinary connexion which appears to have existed between the Swalcliffe family and the bishop. He gave the manors of Newton and Broughton for two lives to Thomas Wykeham, of Swalcliffe. He made extensive purchases in the neighbourhood, and he devised large legacies to four members of that family. One of them, Nicholas de Wykeham, was the first warden of New College. John Wykeham was elected to the same college, about the time of the founder's death, and Richard, one of the Hampshire branch, soon afterwards. The bishop's heir took the name of Wykeham.

5. The fact that though he entered the service of EDWARD the III. as secretary at twenty-four, we never find him called by any other name.

* This eminent person, who was born at WYKEHAM, in Hampshire, anno 1324, owed his early education to the liberality of Sir Nicolas Uvedale, to whom, after quitting Oxford, he acted for some time as private secretary; a situation which he also filled in the service of Edington, Bishop of Winchester. About the period he had reached his twenty-fourth year, he was similarly employed by *King* EDWARD III. and became so great a favorite with his Royal Master, that he was appointed surveyor of the important castles of Windsor, Leeds, Dover, Hadleigh, and of twelve smaller ones, with the parks, manors, &c.: henceforward he was loaded with preferments until at the age of forty-two (1369) he was constituted Bishop of Winchester, and soon afterwards, upon the resignation of Archbishop Langham, made CHANCELLOR OF ENGLAND. So great was his influence at court, that Froissart says: "En ce temps regnoit ung prestre que on appelloit Messire Guillaume de Wickham. Guillaume de Wickham estoit si bien en la grace du Roy Angleterre, que par luy estoit tout fait, et sans luy on ne faisoit riens."

Towards the close of EDWARD's reign he was deprived of his preferments through the enmity of the Duke of Lancaster, but his disgrace was of brief duration, and he was fully reinstated. After the death of the King he was impeached, but most honorably acquitted, and he then obtained a pardon from the crown, to protect him from similar persecution in future. Having escaped these perils he directed his mind to acts of benevolence, and commenced the building of New College in 1379, which he completed in seven years. In 1387 he laid the foundation of his college at Winchester, and finished that work in 1393. These two establishments were subsequently adopted as models for the colleges of Eton and Westminster, and for King's College, Cambridge.

He was again chancellor from 1389 to 1392; again impeached in 1397, and again acquitted. From this period he mixed little in politics, but devoted himself almost entirely to the affairs of his diocess and colleges. He died in 1404, and lies buried in Winchester cathedral.

† William Fiennes, second Lord Say and Sele, espoused Margaret, daughter and heir of William Wickham, son and heir of Sir Thomas Wickham, knight, grandson maternally of William Champneis and his wife Agnes, sister of WILLIAM of WYKEHAM. The family of Fiennes is one of the highest antiquity, and can be traced to CHARLEMAGNE. There are still members of it living in the vicinity of Calais, which city was indebted to John de Fiennes, with Eustace de St. Pierre, and four other patriotic individuals for its safety in the reign of EDWARD III.

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ton, and had issue. (See WYKEHAM MARTIN).

George, lieut. R.N. *m.* Mary, daughter of — Waddington, esq.

Vere, *m.* to the Rev. Richard Nicoll, D.D. of Boddicot House, chaplain to *King* GEORGE III. and had issue,

Susanna, *m.* to Benjamin Holloway, esq. of Lee Place, and left issue.

Mr. Wykeham *d.* in 1751, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HUMPHRY WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe, who *m.* the *Hon.* SOPHIA WENMAN, eldest daughter of Philip, VISCOUNT WENMAN, and eventually sole heiress of her brother, Philip, the last viscount, (see family of Wenman at foot), by whom (who *d.* in 1791) he left issue,

WILLIAM-RICHARD, *b.* 24th October. 1769.

Philip-Thomas, *m.* first, Hester Louisa, daughter of Fiennes Trotman, esq. of Siston Court, in the county of Gloucester, and had two sons,

Philip-Thomas-Herbert.

Aubray-Wenman.

He wedded secondly, Eliza, eldest daughter of Fiennes Wykeham-Martin, esq. of Leeds Castle, and dying in 1832, was *s.* by his elder son, the present PHILIP-THOMAS-HERBERT WYKEHAM, *esq.* of Tythrop House, in Oxfordshire, a property left her brother by the Hon. Mrs. Herbert, sister of the Viscountess Wenman.

Sophia-Anne, *d.* unmarried.

Harriet-Mary, *m.* first, to the Rev. Willoughby Bertie, and secondly, to Edward Johnson, esq.

He *d.* in 1784, and was *s.* by his eldest son.

WILLIAM-RICHARD WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe. This gentleman espoused first, Elizabeth, daugnter of W. Marsh, esq. and had a son and daughter, viz.

William, *b.* in 1791; *d.* in 1798.

SOPHIA, his heiress.

Mr. Wykeham wedded, secondly, Miss Hughes, but had no other issue. He died in 1800, and was *s.* by his only surviving child, the present MISS WYKEHAM, of THAME PARK and SWALCLIFFE.

Family of Wenman.

The Wenmans were seated at a remote period in the counties of Oxford and Berks.

HENRY WENMAN, of Bluebury, in the latter shire, wedded, in 1481, Emmote, daughter and heiress of Symkin Hervey, of the county of Hereford, and was grandfather of

SIR THOMAS WENMAN, knt. living temp. *Queen* ELIZABETH, who *m.* Ursula daughter and heir of Thomas Gifford, esq. of Twyford, in the county of Buckingham, and acquired with that lady the manors of Twyford, Pounden, and Charndon. His eldest son,

SIR RICHARD WENMAN, knt. sheriff of the county of Oxford in 1562, espoused the *Hon.* ISABEL WILLIAMS, elder daughter and co-heir of John, LORD WILLIAMS, of THAME,* and was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD WENMAN, whose son and successor, another

SIR RICHARD WENMAN, received the honor of knighthood for his gallant conduct at the taking of Cadiz in 1596, where he served as a volunteer. He was sheriff of Oxfordshire in 1627, and the next year was created a peer of Ireland by *King* CHARLES I. in the dignities of Baron Wenman of Kilmaynham, and VISCOUNT WENMAN. He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WENMAN, second Viscount. This nobleman was one of the adventurers in Ireland, when that kingdom was reduced by the English Parliament, and subscribing six hundred pounds, had an allotment of land in the barony of Garry Castle, and King's County. His lordship was appointed by the parliament, one of the commissioners to carry the proposition for peace to the king at Oxford, in 1644; and was again appointed commissioner for the treaty at Uxbridge in the same year; and for the treaty at Newport in 1648. He was one of the forty-one members, who for voting, "That the concessions of his Majesty to the propositions, upon the treaty of Newport, were sufficient grounds for the House to proceed upon, for the settlement of the peace of the kingdom," were seized by the army, and committed to close imprisonment. In the

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* This nobleman *d.* in 1559, leaving two daughters,

ISABEL, married, as in the text, to SIR RICHARD WENMAN.

MARGERY, married to Sir Henry Norris, knt. Lord Norris, of Rycote; and her grandson, Francis, second Lord Norris, was created, in 1620, Viscount Thame and EARL OF BERKSHIRE. His lordship *d.* in the same year, leaving an only daughter, Lady Elizabeth Norris, when the viscounty and earldom became *extinct*. Lady Elizabeth *m.* Edward, son of Sir William Wray, of Glentworth; her daughter and heiress, BRIDGET WRAY, married for her second husband, Montagu Bertie, Earl of Lindsey; and from this union the Earls of Abingdon descend.

Upon the decease of Lord Williams, the barony of WILLIAMS OF THAME fell into ABEYANCE between his daughters, the above ladies, Isabel and Margery.

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year 1645, he was considered one of the sufferers, and received four pounds per week, by order of the parliament, for the damage he had sustained from the king's troops upon his estates in Oxfordshire. His lordship married, and had two daughters, viz.

FRANCES, *m.* to Richard Samwell, esq. of Upton. The lineal descendant and representative of this marriage is the present

WENMAN-LANGHAM WATSON-SAMWELL, esq. of Upton Hall. (See that family, p. 440).

Penelope, *m.* to Sir Thomas Cave, bart. of Stamford.

Dying thus, without surviving male issue, Lord Wenman was *s.* by his uncle,

PHILIP WENMAN, third viscount, who having no male issue, procured from *King* CHARLES II. a new entail of the honors upon his next heir, Sir Richard Wenman, bart. of Caswell, in the county of Oxford, with the same precedency as the original creation, and was succeeded accordingly by the said

SIR RICHARD WENMAM, of Caswell, as fourth viscount, who *d.* in 1727, and was *s.* by his son,

PHILIP WENMAN, fifth viscount, who *m.* July 13, 1741, Sophia, eldest daughter, and co-heir of James Herbert, esq. of Tythrop, in the county of Oxford, (descended from James Herbert, second son of Philip, fourth Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery) and had surviving issue,

PHILIP, his successor.

Thomas-Francis, *b.* in 1745, now deceased.

SOPHIA, *m.* to WILLIAM HUMPHREY WYKEHAM, esq.

His lordship *d.* August 16, 1760, and was *s.* by his son,

PHILIP, sixth viscount, who wedded, in 1766, Eleanor, daughter of Willoughby, Earl of Abingdon, but dying without issue, his honors became EXTINCT, and his estates devolved upon his only surviving sister, SOPHIA, grandmother of the present MISS WYKEHAM.

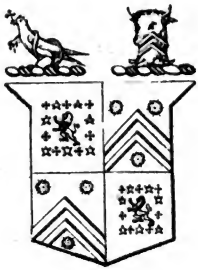
Arms—Ar. two chevronels between three roses.

Estates—Swalcliffe, (possessed by the family since the year 1200) Thame Park, Sydenham, Thame, and other large estates in the county of Oxford; Pounden, Charndon, and Haddenham, in Buckinghamshire; Milton, in Kent.

Seats—Thame Park, and Swalcliffe House, Oxfordshire.

WYKEHAM-MARTIN, OF LEEDS CASTLE.

MARTIN-WYKEHAM, FIENNES, esq. of Leeds Castle, in the county of Kent, and of Chacombe Priory, Northamptonshire, *b.* 12th January, 1769, *m.* Eliza, daughter of R. Bignell, esq. and has had issue,



CHARLES, *b.* 11th September, 1801; *m.* 12th April, 1828, Jemima-Isabella, only daughter of James, present Earl Cornwallis, by whom he has

PHILIP, *b.* 18th January, 1829.

Fiennes, *b.* 1st November, 1831.

Richard-Fiennes, in holy orders, *m.* 24th April, 1832, Anne-Catherine, daughter of Robert Mascall, esq. of Peasmarsh Place, in Sussex

Fiennes, who *d.* unmarried, in June, 1828.

Burton-Morice, died young.

Francis-William.

Nigellus D'Oyley, died young.

William-Fiennes.

Eliza, *m.* to Philip-Thomas Wykeham, esq. of Tythrop House, in the county of Oxford, by whom, who *d.* in 1832, she has no issue.

Mary.

Jean, *m.* in 1828, to William Blake, esq. and has issue.

Susannah-Frances-Vere.

Frances-Elizabeth-Caroline.

Anna-Philippa, *d.* young.

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This gentleman *s.* his maternal kinsman, General Philip Martin, 6th August, 1821, and thereupon assumed the additional surname and arms of MARTIN. Mr. Wykeham-Martin is a magistrate for Kent, and served the office of sheriff for that county in 1824.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the ancient family of *Wykeham*, of *Swalcliffe*, now, represented by MISS WYKEHAM, OF THAME.

RICHARD WYKEHAM, esq. of Swalcliffe, espoused Vere-Alicia, only daughter of the Rev. Richard Fiennes, and sister and co-heir of Richard Fiennes, last Viscount Say and Sele, by whom (who *d.* in 1768) he had issue,

- Richard, *b.* in 1732, and *d.* in 1735.
- WILLIAM-HUMPHRY, who succeeded to SWALCLIFFE. (See WYKEHAM of *Thame*).
- RICHARD, of whom presently.
- George, lieutenant, R.N. who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Waddington, esq. and *d.* in 1776, leaving issue.
- Vere, *m.* to the Rev. Richard Nicoll, D.D. chaplain to *King* GEORGE III. and left issue,
  1. John Nicoll, bencher, of the Middle Temple.
  2. Richard Nicoll, in holy orders, rector of Cherrington, in Oxon.
- Susanna, *m.* to Benjamin Holloway, esq. of Lee Place, in Oxfordshire, and left issue.

The third son,

THE REV. RICHARD WYKEHAM, vicar of Sulgrave, and of Chacombe, in Northamptonshire, and rector of Newton Purcell, in Oxfordshire, wedded Mary, only surviving daughter of Charles Fox, esq. of Chacombe Priory (see family of FOX at foot) and had issue,

- FIENNES, who having adopted the additional surname of MARTIN, is the present FIENNES WYKEHAM-MARTIN, esq. of Leeds Castle.
- Richard, *d.* unm.
- Frances-VERE, *m.* to the Rev. William Hughes, rector of Bradenham, in the county of Bucks, by whom (who *d.* in 1831) she has a son, Charles, in holy orders, and a daughter, Harriet.
- Mary-Lucy, *m.* to the Rev. Egerton Stafford, vicar of Chacombe, and rector of Thenford, in the county of Northampton, and has issue.

Mr. Wykeham *d.* in 1805.

FAMILIES OF FOX AND MARTIN.

MICHAEL FOX, *b.* in the reign of HENRY VII. purchased from the crown, at the dissolution of religious houses, the priory of CHACOMBE. He married twice, and died in 1568, leaving by his second wife, Clemence, daughter of John Hawton, esq. a son and heir,

RICHARD FOX, esq. of Chacombe Priory, *b.* in 1530, who *m.* Alice, daughter of — Gibbons, esq. and dying in 1599, was *s.* by his son,

MICHAEL FOX, esq. of Chacombe Priory, *b.* in 1565, who wedded Catherine, daughter of Sir Thomas Bigge, and *d.* in 1649. His third son,

CHARLES FOX, esq. espoused Mary, daughter of Thomas Shirley, esq. of Preston, in the county of Sussex, and was *s.* at his demise in 1661, by his son,

CHARLES FOX, esq. *b.* in 1661, who wedded MARY, daughter of JOHN MARTIN,* esq. of Ripe, in Sussex, and dying in 1722, was *s.* by his son,

CHARLES FOX, esq. of Chacombe Priory, *b.* in 1687, who *m.* Frances, daughter of John Bradley, esq. and left at his decease in 1749, one son and two daughters, viz.

CHARLES, his successor, *b.* in 1737, who *m.* first, Anne-Eliza, daughter of the Rev. William Egerton, rector of Far-

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* This JOHN MARTIN, of Ripe, had beside the daughter MARY, who *m.* Charles Fox, esq. a son,

DENNY MARTIN, esq. of Loose, in the county of Kent, who wedded Frances, daughter of Thomas, fifth Lord Fairfax, and had issue,

- DENNY.
- John, a major in the army.
- Thomas-Brian.
- PHILIP, heir to his brother Denny.
- Frances.
- Sibylla.
- Anna.

The eldest son,

The Rev. DENNY MARTIN, D.D. assumed the surname and arms of FAIRFAX, upon inheriting the estates of Leeds Castle, in the county of Kent, and in the Isle of Wight, from his maternal uncle, Robert, seventh Lord Fairfax. These possessions had been acquired by the fifth Lord Fairfax, in marriage with Catherine, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Baron Colepeper, of Thorsway. Dr. Martin died in 1800, and was *s.* by his brother,

GENERAL PHILIP MARTIN, at whose decease, unmarried, in 1821, the estates devolved upon the representative of his aunt, and his heir at law, the present FIENNES WYKEHAM-MARTIN, esq.

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thingo, in the county of Northampton, and secondly, Jean, relict of Dr. Scott, M.D. but dying *s. p.* in 1810, he was *s.* by his nephew, the present possessor.

MARY, *m.* to the *Rev.* RICHARD WYKEHAM, and was mother of the present FIENNES WYKEHAM-MARTIN, esq.

Frances, *d.* unmarried.

Arms---First and fourth, Gu. a lion rampant within an orle of cross crosslets and mullets alternately, or, for MARTIN. Second and third, Arg. two chevronels between three roses gu. for WYKEHAM.

Crests—A martin entwined by a serpent ppr. in the beak a cross crosslet fitchee or, for MARTIN. A bull's head erased sa. armed or, charged with two chevronels or, for WYKEHAM.

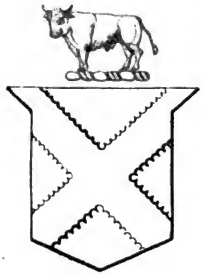
Motto—Manners makyth man.

Estates—Chacombe, in the county of Northampton; Leeds Castle, in the county of Kent, and in the Isle of Wight.

Seats—Chacombe Priory, in Northamptonshire; Leeds Castle, Kent.

POLWHELE, OF POLWHELE.

POLWHELE, THE REV. RICHARD, of Polwhele, in the county of Cornwall, vicar of Newlyn, *b.* 6th January, 1760, *m.* first, Loveday, daughter of Samuel Warren, esq. of Truro, and had issue to survive infancy,



Edward-Collins, lieutenant R.N. now deceased.
Maria.
Louisa

Mr. Polwhele wedded, secondly, Mary, daughter of Richard Tyrrell, esq. of Starcross, in Devonshire, by whom he has

RICHARD-GRAVES, of the Hon. East India Company's Service, captain in the artillery, Madras establishment, *m.* Louisa-Frances-Amelia, only daughter of the late Rev. Robert Greville, of Wyastone, in the county of Derby.

Thomas, captain in the East India Company's Infantry, Bengal establishment, *m.* Edith-Hoskin, daughter of the late John James, esq. of Truro, and has a son,
Thomas.

John.

Francis, lieutenant R.N.

William, in holy orders, vicar of St. Anthony, in Meneage, *m.* Georgiana, daughter of Mr. Roskruge of Trenevas, by whom he has a son,
Richard.

Lawrence.
Robert.
Edward.
Marianne.
Grace.
Isabella.
Elizabeth.

This gentleman, one of the most eminent of our literary veterans, is known as a poet, essayist, and local historian, and has acquired in each department a well earned reputation. His works have passed through several editions, and been favorably received by the critics. Amongst the admirers of his genius, and they are numerous, he had the honor of ranking Sir Walter Scott, with whom he maintained an interesting correspondence.

Mr. Polwhele has acted for thirty years as a justice of the peace and deputy-warden of the stannaries of Cornwall.

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Lineage.

This family claims Saxon origin, and takes its name from the manor of Polwhele, (in Domesday Polhel) in the county of Cornwall, a manor occupied, under EDWARD *the Confessor*, by WINUS DE POLHAL (Polwel or Polwyl), and then by ULFIUS, a villein of the earl of Moreton; but that was a temporary possession. To make room for the earl of Moreton, the CONQUEROR had expelled the former earl, and all his adherents, from their hereditary lands. In the year 1140, the EMPRESS, then triumphant over STEPHEN, and rewarding her victorious adherents, conferred* lands in Cornwall, upon her chamberlain,

DROGO DE POLWHEILE, with whom the pedigree of the family commences. From this Drogo, we pass to his lineal descendant,

JOHN POLWHYLL, of Polwhyll, living in the time of HENRY V. who *m.* Alicia ——, and had (with a daughter, Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Tonkin, of Trevawnance) his successor at his decease, 20th of HENRY VI.

JOHN POLWHYLE, of Polwhyle, who wedded Alicia, daughter and heiress of Otho Lukie, and was *s.* by his son,

OTHO POLWHEILE, of Polwheile,† living *temp.* EDWARD IV. who espoused Mary, the daughter and heiress of Walter Killegrew, and had a son and heir,

STEPHEN POLWHEILE, of Polwheile, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Erisie de Erisie, and left a son,

JOHN POLWHEILE, of Polwheile. This gentleman *m.* the daughter and heiress of John Tresawell, of Tresawell, and was *s.* by his son, another

JOHN POLWHEILE, esq. of Polwheile, who represented the county of Cornwall in parliament, in the 4th and 5th of PHILIP AND MARY. It is worthy of remark, that of the families which had the honor of sitting in parliament for this shire, from EDWARD I. to PHILIP AND MARY, three only are now extant—Basset, Tremayne, and Polwhele. John Polwheile espoused Grace, daughter of Nicholas Lower, esq. of Trelask, and was *s.* by his son,

DEGORY POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele and Treworgan: the latter estate, acquired by his marriage with Catherine, one of the daughters and co-heirs* of Robert Trencreek, of that place, the first recorder of the borough of Truro, under the charter of ELIZABETH. By this lady he had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
John.

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* By a deed which begins thus, "Drogoni de Polwheile Camerario meo," &c.

† At the time of the Norman Conquest, stood about two miles east of Truro, the *castle of* POLWHELE, not far probably from that high ground called "The Barrows," in which sepulchral urns had been deposited, and between which and the present mansion house, fragments of gothic arches and pillars, and sculptured and inscribed stones, and baptismal fonts (the work of after ages), have been discovered, and are perhaps still discoverable.

At the other extremity of what is now the parish of St Clement, stood the *Castle* of MORESK, overshadowing from its turrets "a branch of the sea." . . . . .

Of these castles we have no distinct account till the reign of EDWARD the Fourth. It was then, in 1473, that William of Worcestre came into Cornwall; and in the vicinity of Truro he notices the two rival castles. The castle of Polwhele was the property of a gentleman then in the service of the King. The castle of Moresk was occupied by a vassal of the Duke of Cornwall, standing near the sea, at the extreme point of the Duchy Manor. Polwhele, unconnected with the Duchy, and independent of the Dukes, "in Villa Polwhele," or "on the manor," (as Worcestre expresses it) had towered on a commanding site for ages. But we are told by Worcestre, who passed the night in "Villa Polwhele," a guest of Otho, that the castle of Polwhele was then reduced to ruins; and it was so reduced, probably by the adherents of *Queen* MARGARET.

Polwhele's Traditions and Recollection.

* The daughters of Trencreek were,
1. Julian, *m.* to Carminow.
2. Jane, *m.* to Penwarn.
3. Catherine, *m.* to Polwhele.
4. Honor, *m.* to Mohun.

Some little scattered property still remains with the Polwhele family, a memorial of their alliance with Mohun and Carminow; as also a few small tenements commemorative of their connexion with Edgcumbe, Glanville, and Godolphin. In the north side of the old church at St. Erme, there was an aged monument, (now placed in the vestry room of the new church,) charged with five shields of armorial bearings. 1st. *Trencreek*, quartering a chevron between three Dolphins, and impaling *Vivian*. 2d. *Carminow*, impaling *Trencreek*. 3d. *Penwarne*, impaling *Trencreek*. 4th. *Polwhele* impaling *Trencreek*. 5th. *Mohun* impaling *Trencreek*.

It is remarkable, that Vivian's arms, Az. three fishes in pale, arg. are the same as those which belonged to the Bodmin Priory.

Polwhele's Traditions.

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Philip.
William, of London
Otho, in holy orders, rector of Maidenhead.
Degory, of London.
Jonathan, in holy orders, rector of Bagshot.
Susanna, *m.* to John Webber, esq. of St. Kew.
Anna, *m.* first to William Herle, esq. of Berian, and secondly, to --- Canham, esq.
Isabella, *m.* to Richard Chiverton, esq.* of Trehunsey Quethiock, and had eleven children, one of whom,
SIR RICHARD CHIVERTON, was lord mayor of London, in 1658.
Maria, *m.* to John Chattye, esq. of Truro.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele and Treworgan, living in 1620, who espoused Dionysia, dau. of John Glanville, of Tavistock, one of the judges of the court of King's Bench, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor, *b.* in 1606.
Francis, *b.* in 1608.
Thomas, *b.* in 1610, in holy orders, vicar of Newlyn.
Degory, *b.* in 1616, fellow of Exeter College, Oxford.†
Robert, *b.* in 1618.
Alicia, *b.* in 1611.
Anna.

Mr. Polwhele was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele. This gentleman wedded Anne, youngest daughter of Thomas Baskerville, esq. of Richardston, in the county of Wilts (see p. 93). He represented the borough of Tregoney, in parliament, in conjunction with Sir Richard Vyvyan, of Trelowarren. "In 1643, we observe him (says his representative, the present Mr. Polwhele) and his relations and friends, Lord Mohun, and Edgecumbe, and Glanville, and Godolphin, and Lower, and Killegrew, rallying round the sacred person of Majesty; and at Oxford, the magnificent hall of Christ Church was their senate house." To his loyalty Mr. Polwhele * devoted a large part of his patrimonial estate. He was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

JOHN POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele and Treworgan, who *m.* ---, daughter of --- Redinge, esq. of Northampton, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele and Treworgan. This gentleman, who was high sheriff of Cornwall in the reign of GEORGE I. is thus spoken of by the Cornish historian, CAREW, who wrote at that period. "We will close this hundred with the gentleman of mark..... Polwhele, whose name is deduced from his dwelling, and his dwell-

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* The epitaphs on the Chivertons, in Quethiock church, are curious.

On Richard Chiverton, who died 28th July, 1617.

"Friends (whoe'er you be) forbeare
On this stone to shed a teare:
Keep thine ointment, for indeede
Bounty is made goode by neede.
Here are *they* whose *amber* eyes
Have embalmed their obsequies:
Who will think you doe them wronge,
Offeringe what to them belonge?
Beside this, their sacred shrine
Sleights the *myrrhe of others* eyne.
Then forbeare — when these growe drye,
We will weepe both thou and I."

Epitaph of Isabella, his wife, who died May 25th, 1631.

"My birth was in the month of May,
And in that month my nuptial day.
In May a mayde, a wife, a mother;
And now in May not one nor other.
So flowers do flourish, so they fade;
So things to be undone are made.
My stalk here withers; yet there bee
Some lively branches sproute from me.
On which bestowe thine April rayne,
So they the livelier may remayne:
But here forbeare — for why! 'tis said,
Tears fit the living not the dead.

† This gentleman was created M. D. by the University of Oxford in 1660. In the Chancellor's letters for that purpose, we find the following account of him. "That he had from the beginning of the late unhappy troubles, vigorously and faithfully served his Majesty, under the command of Ralph Lord Hopton, then Sir James Smith, in the quality of a Major of Horse, and continued in arms until the surrender of Pendennis Castle; from whence he went to his late Majesty of blessed memory, and afterwards followed his now Majesty (Charles II.) in Holland and Flanders, and in and about the year 1650, he returned into Cornwall, his native county, where he betook himself to the study and practice of physic."

* There was a great intimacy between *John Polwhele*, and the grandfather of Tonkin, the Cornish Historian. "My grandfather (says the credulous historian,) being seized with the spotted fever, which carried him off, July 6th, 1672, and his old friend *John Polwhele, esq.* (who had been his fellow prisoner in Pendennis Castle) dying the same night, and, as it is supposed, the same moment, at his seat of Treworgan . . . . . my grandfather, as he was expiring, cried out three times, Polwhele! Polwhele! Polwhele! . . to signify, as it were, that as they had suffered together in this world, so they were going together to partake of an eternal reward in the next. This I had both from the eldest daughter of my aunt Ley, and from a servant of his, Will. Rickard, who were both present when he died."—Tonkin's MSS. *penes De Dunstanville.*

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ing may be interpreted *the miry work;* linked in wedlock with the co-heir of Trencreek, in English, the *town of the borough.* His mother was Lower of Trelask. Polwhele beareth sable, a saltier engrailed erm." To which Tonkin subjoins: "I think Polwhele should rather signify 'the top of the work,' according to the situation of the place, it lying high. This place gave name to a family of very great antiquity, which flourished here before the Conquest; about which time they were so eminent, that Drew de Polwhele was chamberlain to William the Conqueror's Queen.* Ever since the said Drew, they have lived in much esteem in this their ancient habitation, till Degory Polwhele, on his marriage with Catherine, daughter of Trencreek, removed to Treworgan." Richard Polwhele wedded Mary, sister of the *Rev.* Edward Collins, vicar of St. Erth and Breage, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS POLWHELE, esq. of Polwhele, who espoused Mary, daughter of R. Thomas, an alderman of Truro, and had issue,

RICHARD, his heir.

Mary.

Grace, who died at eleven years of age. "This gentleman," says Gilbert, "was much respected and esteemed both in public and private life, for his sound judgment, impartiality, and integrity, as well as for the urbanity of his manners and benevolence of his heart. By his noble relation, Edgecumbe, of Mount Edgecumbe, he was presented with a sword, in 1745, which he had no sooner drawn against the rebels, than their defeat at the battle of Culloden restored it to its sheath; and, as deputy-lieutenant, &c. he was equally inclined to serve his country. Much, however, is it to be regretted, that his severe lot was, seclusion from that society to which those abilities, and that disposition, might have been so highly beneficial; as the gout, to which he died an early victim, long chained him to his couch. It was there his exemplary fortitude and resignation were witnessed by many who still survive to lament how rare, at this moment, are such truly Christian virtues." Mr. Polwhele was *s.* at his decease, by his only son, the present *Rev.* RICHARD POLWHELE, of Polwhele.

* It should be the *Empress* MAUD.

Arms—Sa. a saltire engrailed, ermine. Quartering the arms of LUKIE, TRESAWELL, TRENCREEK, &c.

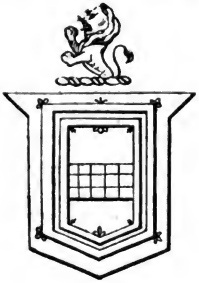
Crest—A bull gu. with horns, or. Another crest of the family is, a Blackmore's head, with an olive branch in its mouth.

Estates—POLWHELE, Calerrick, Tregontilian, Lanely, North Downs, Silver Closes Lastingarth, Eight Kemblins, with other property situated near Truro; all in the county of Cornwall: possessed time immemorial.

Seat—Polwhele House.

STUART, OF TEMPSFORD.

STUART, WILLIAM, esq. of Tempsford Hall, in the county of Bedford, late M. P. for that shire, *b.* 31st October, 1798, *m.* 9th Aug. 1821, Henrietta-Maria-Sarah, eldest daughter of the late Admiral Sir Charles Morice Pole, bart. K.C.B. &c. and has issue,



WILLIAM, *b.* 7th March, 1825.
Charles-Pole, *b.* 7th May, 1826.
Clarence-Esme, *b.* 27th May, 1827.
Mary-Pole.
Henrietta-Pole.

Mr. Stuart succeeded his father, 6th May, 1822. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Bedford, and also in the commission of the peace for Herts and the liberty of St. Albans.

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Lineage.

JOHN, THIRD EARL OF BUTE, the celebrated minister of GEORGE III. espoused Mary, only daughter of Edward Wortley Montague, esq. M. P. and dying, in 1792, left with six daughters, five sons, viz.

JOHN, his successor, as fourth Earl of Bute.

James-Archibald, who assumed the additional surname and arms of WORTLEY. He wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir David Cunyngham, and had, with other children,

JAMES-ARCHIBALD, created BARON WHARNCLIFFE, (see *Burke's Peerage.*)

Frederick, M.P. for the county of Bute, *d.* unmarried, 1802.

CHARLES (Sir), a lieutenant-general in the army, governor of Minorca, which island, amongst his other military services, he had reduced in 1798. He *m.* Louisa, second daughter and co-heiress of Lord Vere Bertie, and had issue,

1. CHARLES, created LORD STUART, DE ROTHESAY.
2. John, Captain, R.N. who *m.* in 1807, Albinia, eldest daughter of the Right Hon. John Sullivan, and left at his decease, in 1811, an only son, Charles.

WILLIAM, of whom we have to treat.

The youngest son,

The HON. WILLIAM STUART, a churchman, was consecrated Archbishop of Armagh and PRIMATE OF IRELAND. His grace wedded, 3d May, 1796, Sophia Margaret Juliana, daughter of Thomas Penn, esq. and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Henry, attached to the British Embassy at St. Petersburgh.

Mary-Juliana, *m.* in February, 1815, to Thomas, Viscount Northland, eldest son of the Earl of Ranfurly, and has issue.

Louisa, *d.* unmarried in 1823.

The archbishop died, 6th May, 1822, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present WILLIAM STUART, esq. M.P. of Tempsford Hall.

Arms—Or, a fesse chequz az. and arg. within a double tressure, flory, counterflory, gu.

Crest—A demi-lion rampant gu.

Motto—Avito viret honore.

Estates—In Bedfordshire, &c.

Seat—Tempsford Hall, Bedfordshire.

CROMWELL, OF CHESHUNT PARK,

(Representative of the Protector.)

CROMWELL, ELIZABETH-OLIVERIA, of Cheshunt Park, in the county of Herts, *b.* 8th June, 1777, *m.* 18th June, 1801, Thomas-Artemidorus Russell, esq. and has issue,

JOHN-HENRY-CROMWELL RUSSELL, of Sittingbourne, *b.* 29th August, 1807, *m.* 14th August, 1832, Eliza, only daughter of Morris Lievesley, esq.

Thomas-Artemidorus Russell, *b.* 25th October, 1810.

Charles-William-Cromwell Russell, *b.* 18th May, 1814.

Elizabeth-Oliveria Russell, *m.* 17th November, 1823, to Frederick-Joseph, only son of Frederick Prescott, esq. of Theobalds Grove, Herts.

Mary-Esther Russell, *m.* 14th August, 1832, to Lieutenant-General Armstrong.

Letitia-Cromwell Russell.

Emma-Bridget Russell.

Mrs. Russell succeeded her father, OLIVER CROMWELL, esq. on the 18th June, 1821, and became representative of the family of CROMWELL.

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Lineage.

The family of the PROTECTOR, which arose in Wales, and was deemed illustrious by the genealogists of the principality, bore the surname of CROMWELL, by assumption only, its patronimic, WILLIAMS, having been abandoned at the special desire of *King* HENRY VIII. "That monarch," saith Noble, "strongly recommended to the Welch, (whom he incorporated with the English) to adopt the mode of most civilized nations, in taking family names instead of their manner of adding their father's, and perhaps grandfather's name to their own Christian one, with *nap*, or *ap*, between the Christian and sirname, as Morgan ap Williams, or Richard ap Morgan ap Williams, *that is*, Richard, the son of Morgan, the son of Williams; and the king was the more anxious, as it was found so inconvenient in identifying persons in judicial matters.—Richard's* father seems to have taken the name of Williams for his family name; but as the sirname of Williams was of so late a standing, his Majesty recommended it to Sir Richard to use that of CROMWELL, in honor of his relation, the EARL OF ESSEX, whose present greatness entirely obliterated his former meanness."

RALPH BROOKE, York Herald, drew up a pedigree of the family, which he entitled, "A Genealogy of the CROMWELL FAMILY, descended from the WILLIAMS OF WALES, whose predecessors were LORDS OF POWES and CARDIGAN, from 1066 to 1602." He commences with

GLOTHIAN, Lord of Powes, who *m.* Morveth, daughter and heiress of Edwyn ap Tydwall, Lord of Cardigan, whom the British historians affirm lineally sprang from Caredig, from whom the county of Cardigan took the name of Caredygion. The heir of this marriage,

GWAITH-VOED, was Lord of Powes and Cardigan, Gwente and Gwynvaye. He was wounded to death in a battle against one Avisa, a Scythian infidel, in defending the temple or church of St. David's, and died about the time of the Norman Conquest. He was *s.* by

GWIVESTAN AP GWAITH VOED, Lord of Powes,† from whom we pass to his lineal descendant,

YEVAN AP MORGAN, of New Church, near Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, who wedded Margaret, daughter of Jenkin Remys, esq. of Bagam, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM AP YEVAN, servant to Jasper Tudor, Duke of Bedford, and to *King* HENRY VII. whose son and heir,

MORGAN WILLIAMS, espoused the sister of THOMAS CROMWELL, Earl of Essex,* and had issue,

RICHARD, his successor.
Walter, who left two daughters, Joan and Anne.
Richard, who left a son, Henry.

The eldest son,

SIR RICHARD WILLIAMS, assumed, as already stated, at the desire of HENRY VIII. the surname of his uncle, CROMWELL, and through the influence of that once powerful relative, himself and his family obtained wealth and station. "As Vicar-General of all spiritual, the Earl of Essex had an opportunity of obliging his kinsman, then Richard Williams, alias Cromwell, esq. and others, with the sale of the lately dissolved religious houses, at sums infinitely below the very great value of most. Some of the most advantageous purchases were made by this ancestor of the Huntingdonshire Cromwells; and among others, those of the nunnery of Hinchinbrooke, and the monastery of Saltry-Judith, in that county, and all the manors situate in the same county, together with the site of the rich abbey of Ramsey. Additions were made to his possessions by the king, even after the fall of the favorite, Cromwell; so that at the period of his death, Sir Richard's estates probably equalled in value (allowing for the alteration in the value of money) those of the wealthiest peers of the present day. At a tournament held by his royal master in 1540, and described by Stowe, Richard Cromwell, esq. is named as one of the challengers; all of whom were rewarded on the occasion by the king with an annual income of an hundred marks, granted out of the dissolved Franciscan monastery, of Stamford, and with houses each to reside in. His Majesty was more particularly delighted with the gallantry of Sir Richard Cromwell (whom he had knighted on the second day of the tournament), and exclaiming, 'formerly

* SIR RICHARD WILLIAMS, who first assumed the name of CROMWELL.

† From whom (continues Brooke) is descended Sir Henry Cromwell, of Hinchinbroke, knt. as heir-male, and by female, many of the nobility of this realm, living in the year 1602.

* For an account of this celebrated favorite of HENRY VIII. refer to *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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thou wast my *Dick*, but hereafter thou shalt be my *Diamond*,' presented him with a diamond ring, bidding him for the future wear such an one in the fore-gamb of the demi-lion in the crest, instead of a javelin, as heretofore. The arms of Sir Richard, with this alteration, were ever afterwards borne by the elder branch of the family; and by Oliver himself, on his assuming the protectorate, though previously he had borne the javelin."* Sir Richard Cromwell served the office of sheriff for the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in 1541, and was member for the latter shire in the parliament which began January 16, 1542. He wedded in 1518, Frances, daughter and co-heir of the then lord-mayor of London, Sir Thomas Murfyn, of Ely, and had two sons, viz.

HENRY (Sir) his successor.

Francis, of Hemingford, in the county of Huntingdon, M.P. for that shire in the 15th of ELIZABETH, and sheriff for the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in the 29th of the same reign. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Henry Mannock, of Hemingford, and died in 1598.

The elder son and heir,

SIR HENRY CROMWELL, of Hinchinbrooke, received the honor of knighthood from *Queen* ELIZABETH, in 1563, and the same year was returned to parliament by the county of Huntingdon. He was sheriff for the shires of Huntingdon and Cambridge in the 7th, 13th, 22nd and 34th of ELIZABETH. Sir Henry married twice, but had issue only by Joan, daughter of Sir Ralph Warren, knt.† his first wife, namely,

I. OLIVER, who inherited Hinchinbrooke at his father's decease, in 1603. He was knighted by *Queen* ELIZABETH, and created a knight of the bath by *King* JAMES. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of the Lord Chancellor (Sir Thomas) Bromley, and had four sons and three daughters, viz.

1. HENRY, of Ramsay, colonel in the army of *King* CHARLES. This gentleman married thrice, and had several children. Colonel Cromwell died in 1657, and his only surviving son and successor,

HENRY CROMWELL, of Ramsay, reassumed the surname of WILLIAMS.

2. Thomas, also in the service of *King* CHARLES.
3. John, a colonel in the royal army, had an only daughter, Joan.
4. William, like his brothers, a cavalier officer, *d.* unmarried, in 1665.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Richard Ingoldsby, knt. and died in 1666.
6. Catherine, *m.* to Sir Henry Palavicini, knt. of Babesham, in the county of Cambridge.
7. Joan, *m.* to William Baker, esq. of Bury.
8. Jane, *m.* to Tobias Palavicini, esq.

Sir Oliver Cromwell wedded secondly, Anne, daughter of Egideus Hiffman, of Antwerp, and widow of Sir Horatio Palavicini, and had other children.

II. ROBERT, of whom presently.

III. Henry, of Upwood. This gentleman *m.* twice, and left a son and two daughters, by Mrs. Jones, his first wife,

Richard, whose only surviving child, ANNE (a poetess), *m.* her kinsman, Henry Williams (alias Cromwell) of Ramsay.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Oliver St. John, lord chief justice of the Common Pleas.

Anne, *m.* to John Neale, esq. of Dean.

IV. Richard.

V. Philip (Sir) of Biginhome, *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Tounsend, chief justice of Chester.

VI. Ralph.

VII. Joan, *m.* to Sir Francis Barington, bart.

VIII. Elizabeth, *m.* to William Hampden, esq. of Great Hampden.

IX. Frances, *m.* to Richard Whalley, esq. of Kirkston.

X. Mary, *m.* to Sir William Dunch, of Little Whittenham.

XI. Dorothy, *m.* to Sir Thomas Fleming, son of the Lord Chief Justice.

The second son,

ROBERT CROMWELL, settled in the town of Huntingdon, and became a brewer there. Coke says, (Delection ii. 57. London, 1694) "that his father being asked whether he knew the Protector, replied, yes, and his father too, when he kept his '*brew-house*' in Huntingdon." And Sir William Dugdale relates, that "Robert Cromwell, though he was, by the countenance of his elder brother, made a justice of the peace in Huntingdonshire, had but a slender estate, much of his support being a *brew-house* in

* Oliver Cromwell and his Times, by Thomas Cromwell.

† Son of Sir Ralph Warren, knt. twice lord-mayor of London, by Joan, daughter and co-heir of John Trelake, alias Davy, of Cornwall.

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Huntingdon." He *m.* Elizabeth,* daughter of William Stewart, esq. of Ely, and widow of William Lynn, esq. and had surviving issue,

OLIVER, his successor.

Catherine, *m.* first, to Captain Roger Whitstone, and secondly, to Colonel John Jones, one of the Judges whose signature appears to the warrant for the execution of *King* CHARLES I.

Margaret, *m.* to Colonel Valentine Waughton, another of the regicides.

Anne, *m.* to John Sewster, esq. of Wistow.

Jane, *m.* to John Desbrow, esq. one of the King's judges, but his name does not appear to the warrant for the execution.

Robina, *m.* first, to Doctor Peter French, canon of Christ church, Oxford, and secondly, to Doctor John Wilkins, bishop of Chester.

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* Of this lady nothing is very certainly known: according to Noble, as well as Brooke, she sprang from a branch of the royal family of STUART, and the descent is thus deduced:

BANQUO, Thane of Lochabar, slain by MACBETH, was grandfather of

WALTER, who was created LORD HIGH STEWARD of Scotland. His son,

ALEXANDER, second Lord Steward, had with other issue,

JOHN, or JAMES, (the eldest son) who succeeded as third Lord Steward. His son,

WALTER, Lord Steward, espoused MARGERY, only daughter, by his first wife, of *King* ROBERT BRUCE, and had a son,

ROBERT STUART, who ascended the Scottish throne at the decease of his uncle, DAVID II. in 1370, as ROBERT II. (the first monarch of the house of STUART.)

Andrew, (the third son.)

ANDREW (the third son) Steward, of Dundavale, was father of

SIR ALEXANDER STEUART, in the service of the King of France, and slain at Vannoile. His son,

SIR JOHN STEWART, knt. settled in England, and was grandfather of

THOMAS STEWART, esq. of Swaffam Market, in the county of Norfolk, whose grandson,

NICHOLAS STEWART, of Well, in Norfolk, *m.* Cicely, daughter and heiress of — Baskerville, esq. and was grandfather of

WILLIAM STEWART, esq. of Ely, whose daughter, ELIZABETH STEWART, wedded first, William Lynn, esq. and after his decease became the wife of ROBERT CROMWELL, and mother of the PROTECTOR.

Note—This connection between the Usurper and his ROYAL VICTIM, may or may not be authentic, all it shows, however, is that they descended from a common progenitor.

Robert Cromwell, who sate in Parliament for the borough of Huntingdon, died in 1617, leaving his son,

OLIVER CROMWELL, then a youth of eighteen, having been born in the parish of St. John, Huntingdon, on the 25th April, 1599. The education of this eminent man was at first entrusted to the Rev. Mr. Long, of his native town, but he was afterwards placed under the care of Doctor Beard, master of the free grammar school in the same place, whence he removed to Cambridge, and entered Sydney Sussex College, as a fellow commoner, 23rd April, 1616. Subsequently he is stated to have become a member of Lincoln's Inn, and to have given himself up to "a habit of gaming, the juice of the grape, and the charms of the fair." His career of intemperance was not however of long duration, for we find him before he had quite attained majority "returning to Huntington, harkening to the advice of his mother, attending divine service regularly in his parish church, renouncing his former vicious companions, and with them his extravagancies." He *m.* on the 20th August, 1620, ELIZABETH BOURCHIER, daughter of Sir James Bourchier, of Fitsted. in Essex, and had by that lady nine children, of whom survived infancy,

I. ROBERT, *b.* in 1621, *d.* unmarried, before his father.

II. OLIVER, *b.* in 1622, killed in 1648, fighting under the parliamentary banner.

III. RICHARD, who succeeded his father in the PROTECTORATE,* *m.* Dorothy,

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* RICHARD CROMWELL was born at Huntingdon, 4th October, 1626; educated at Felsted, in Essex, and admitted of the society of Lincoln's-Inn, 27th May, 1647, Mr. (afterwards secretary) Thurloe, becoming one of his securities. On his marriage he became a resident at Hursley; and was distinguished only as the complete country gentleman, devoted entirely to his wife, and to his horses, hounds, hawks, &c. In this comparatively happy retirement he lived for some time; but on his father's advancement to the Protectorate, he was made first Lord of Trade and Navigation, (11th November, 1655) and returned soon after one of the members for Hampshire. In August, 1657, he had a narrow escape from being crushed to death, by the giving way of the stairs of the Banquetting-house, when the members were going to pay their respects to his father; he had some of his bones broken by the accident, but youth and a good constitution soon enabled him to get the better of it. The Protector having resigned the chancellorship at Oxford, in 1657, the University elected Richard, his successor, and he was at the same time created a master of Arts. Shortly afterwards he was sworn a Privy Counsellor, made a colonel in the army, placed at the head of the newly constituted House of Lords, and entitled "the Right Hon. the Lord Richard,

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daughter of Richard Major, esq. of Hursley, in Hants, and left surviving issue,

Elizabeth, who *d.* unmarried, in 1731.

Anne, *m.* to Thomas Gibson, M.D. physician general to the army, and *d. s. p.* in 1727.

Dorothy, *m.* to John Mortimer, esq. of the county of Somerset, and *d.* in 1681.

IV. HENRY, of whom presently.

V. BRIDGET, *m.* first, in 1646-7, to lieutenant general Henry Ireton, lord deputy of Ireland, who died of the plague at the seige of Limerick, 26th November, 1561. She espoused, secondly, general Charles Fleetwood, also lord deputy of Ireland, and died in 1681.

VI. ELIZABETH, *m.* in 1645-6, to John Claypole, esq. of Norborough, in the county of Northampton, master of the horse to the Protector, and *d.* in 1658.

VII. MARY, *m.* in 1657, to Thomas Belasyse, viscount (afterwards earl of) Fauconberg, and died *s. p.* in 1712-13. This lady, Burnet describes as "a wise and worthy woman, more likely to have maintained the post of Protector, than either of her brothers; according to a saying that went of her, (he continues) that those who wore breeches deserved petticoats better, but if those in petticoates had been in breeches, they would have held faster."

VIII. FRANCES, *m.* first, in 1657, to the Hon. Robert Rich, grandson of Robert, earl of Warwick, and secondly, to Sir John Russel, bart. of Chippenham, in Cambridgeshire. Her ladyship *d.* in 1720-1.

Cromwell, after a series of military triumphs, was declared LORD PROTECTOR on the 12th December, 1653, and inaugurated on the 16th of the same month. There is hardly one man in the whole range of history whose good sword achieved an empire, with less of the hero in his composition, than this successful soldier. Fanaticism superstition, and cruelty, were the predominating traits of his character. A profound hypocrite, he regarded every body who approached him with suspicion; his nearest kindred were objects of distrust. He had no friends; and when, with himself, the influence of his name expired, his family fell without a struggle. Cromwell died at Whitehall, on the 3d September, 1658, and was publicly interred, with regal pomp, in HENRY VII.'s chapel, on the 23d November following. His remains, with those of Ireton and Bradshaw, were dug up, after the Restoration, and being pulled out of their coffins, hanged at Tyburn on the 30th January, 1660-1, until sunset; when they were taken down, beheaded, and flung into a deep hole under the gallows. When the coffin of Cromwell was broken into, a leaden canister was found lying on his breast, and within it a copperplate, gilt, with the arms of England, impaling those of Cromwell, on one side, and on the other the following inscription: "Oliverius Protector Reipublicæ Angliæ, Scotiæ, et Hiberniæ, natus 25° Aprilus, anno 1599°; inauguratus 16° Decembris, 1653; mortuus 3° Septembris, anno 1658, hic situs est." The Protector's mother died four years before himself, and was buried in Westminster Abbey. His fourth son,

HENRY CROMWELL, *b.* 20th January, 1627-8, entered on a military life at the age of sixteen, and served under his father in Ireland, of which kingdom he was afterwards lord deputy. "In every situation," says Doctor Leland, "Henry Cromwell was penetrating, just, and generous." So great, indeed, was his prudent conduct during his lieutenancy, that he brought the nation into a flourishing condition, and he behaved with such strict impartiality in his government, as to extort esteem from the most uncompromising royalists. He was endowed, however, with the same moderate disposition as his brother Richard, and on the demise of his father, quietly resigned his command, returning to England, where he continued afterwards to reside as a country gentleman, unconcerned in the various changes of the state, and unembittered by the ills of ambition. It is even thought that he rejoiced in the restoration of the king, and he was not only included in the act of indemnity, but received some marks

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eldest son of his serene highness, the Protector." On the demise of his father, he succeeded to the sovereign power; it has been remarked as tranquilly, and with as little opposition as though he had been the descendant of a long line of princes. But according to Bishop Burnet, "he had neither genius, nor friends, nor treasure, nor army to support him," and his sway was consequently brief. His reign lasted but seven months and twenty-eight days. He resided abroad until about 1680; but where his various peregrinations led him, is not known with any degree of certainty. When he returned to his own country he appears to have assumed the name of Clark, and to have resided at Serjeant (afterwards Chief Baron) Pengelly's house, at Cheshunt; to the end of his life courting privacy and retirement, and cautiously avoiding so much as the mention of his former elevation, even to his most intimate acquaintance. He died at Cheshunt, 13th July, 1712, in the eighty-eighth year of his age, and was buried with some pomp in the chancel of Hursley church, Hampshire, near his deceased lady.—*Thomas Cromwell.*

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of royal favor. He *m.* in 1655, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir Francis Russell, bart. of Chippenham, and had issue,

OLIVER, *b.* in 1656.
HENRY, *b.* in 1658.
Francis, *b.* in 1663; *d.* unm. in 1719.
Richard, *b.* in 1665; *d.* unm. in 1686.
William, *b.* in 1667; *d.* unm. in 1691.
Elizabeth, *m.* to William Russell, esq. of Fordham, and *d.* in 1711. The lineal descendant and representative of this marriage is the present WILLIAM ANDREW DYER, esq.

Henry Cromwell died in 1673, and was *s.* at Spinney Abbey, by his eldest son,

OLIVER CROMWELL, esq. of Spinney Abbey, in the county of Cambridge, who was *s.* at his decease, by his next brother,

HENRY CROMWELL, esq. who disposed of the estate at Spinney Abbey, and entered the army. By the interest of the Duke of Ormonde (who was under obligations to his father and grandfather), he became a major of foot; and would probably have obtained further promotion, had he not been cut off by a fever, whilst serving under Lord Galway, in Spain. His death occurred in 1711. He had espoused Hannah, eldest daughter of Benjamin Hewling, a Turkey merchant, and left issue,

I. WILLIAM, *b.* in 1693; *m.* in 1750, Mary, daughter of William Sherwell, esq. of London, and relict of Thomas Westby, esq. of Linton, in Cambridgeshire, but had no issue.
II. Richard, *m.* in 1723, Sarah, daughter of Ebenezer Gatton, of Southwark, and dying in 1759, left,
Robert, who *d.* at Cheshunt, in 1762.
Elizabeth, Anne, Lætitia, } all died unmarried, bequeathing their estate to their cousin.
III. Henry, *d.* unmarried in 1769.
IV. THOMAS, of whom presently.
V. Oliver, an officer in the army, *d.* unmarried in 1748.
VI. Mary, VII. Hannah, } both died unmarried.

The fourth son,

THOMAS CROMWELL, esq. *b.* in 1699, wedded first, Miss Frances Tidman, and had surviving issue,

Henry, who *d.* unmarried in 1771.
Anne, *m.* to John Field, of London, and had issue,
Henry Field, of Woodford, Essex, *m.* Esther, daughter of John Barron, esq. of Deptford.
Oliver Field, *m.* in 1787, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Gitting, esq. of Salop.
John Field, an officer in the Mint, *m.* Mary, only child of Charles Pryer, esq. of London, merchant.
William Field, *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. John Wilkins, of Bourton, in Gloucestershire.
Anne Field, *m.* to Thomas Gwinnell, of Worcester, merchant.
Elizabeth Field, Sophia Field, } both died unm.
Mary.
Letitia Field, *m.* to the Rev. John Wilkins, of Bourton, in Gloucestershire.

Mr. Cromwell *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of Nicholas Skinner, esq. merchant, of London, and had two other sons and two daughters, viz.

OLIVER, his successor,
Thomas, lieutenant in the East India Company's service, *d.* in India, anno 1771, unmarried.
Elizabeth, Susannah, } *d.* unmarried.

The elder son of the second marriage,

OLIVER CROMWELL, esq. succeeded to the estate at Theobalds, under the will of his cousins, Elizabeth, Anne, and Letitia, daughters of Richard Cromwell, esq.* He espoused, in 1771, Mary, daughter and coheir of Morgan Morse, esq. and had a son and daughter, viz.

OLIVER, who died in his father's lifetime.
ELIZABETH-OLIVERIA, the present Mrs. Russell.

Mr. Cromwell, who published Memoirs of the Protector Oliver Cromwell, and his sons, Richard and Henry, died in 1821, when the representation of the Protectorate family devolved upon his only surviving child, ELIZABETH-OLIVERIA RUSSELL.†

Arms—Sa. a lion rampant arg.
Crest—A demi-lion rampant arg. in his dexter gamb a gem ring or.
Motto—Pax quæritur bello.
Estates — In the parish of Cheshunt, Herts.
Seat — Cheshunt Park, formerly called Brantyngeshay Park.

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* And Sarah, his wife, daughter of Ebenezer Gatton, of Southwark, by Eleanor, surviving sister of Sir Robert Thornhill. The Thornhills acquired the estate at Theobalds by purchase from MONK, DUKE of ALBEMARLE, to whom it was granted by *King* CHARLES II.

† Mr. Cromwell, wishing to perpetuate the name of his great ancestor, applied, it is said, in the usual quarter, for permission that his son-in-law should assume the surname of CROMWELL, when to his astonishment (considering that such requests are usually granted on the payment of certain fees, as a matter of course,) the PERMISSION WAS REFUSED. Such a course of proceeding is too contemptible for comment.

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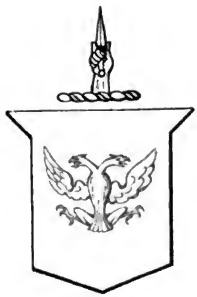
DUNLOP, OF THAT ILK.

DUNLOP, JOHN, esq. of Dunlop, in the county of Ayr, an officer in the 1st Grenadier Guards, *b.* in 1806, *m.* in 1829, Charlotte-Constance, daughter of Major-General Sir Richard-Downs Jackson, K.C.H. and has issue,

JAMES, *b.* in 1830.
Charlotte-Constance.

Captain Dunlop, who succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1832, represents the county of Ayr in parliament.

Lineage.



Of the establishment of the family of DUNLOP of that Ilk, we have no authentic accounts. The first is in the reign of ALEXANDER III. when,

DOM. GULIELMUS DE DUNLOP appears as one of those who sate on an inquest to settle a dispute between Dom. Godfredus de Ross and the borough of Irvine, anno 1260. In 1296,

NIEL FITZ ROBERT DE DUNLOP signed the Ragman's Roll. In 1351

JAMES DUNLOP was in possession of Dunlop as appears from an old valuation of the county of Ayr. He was *s.* by

JOHN DE DUNLOP, who had a charter from Hugh de Blair, dated 1407.

ALEXANDER DUNLOP, mentioned by Rymer, as Alexander Dunlop, of that Ilk, in the reign of JAMES I. and in the early part of JAMES II. appears to have been succeeded by

CONSTANTYNE DUNLOP, as there is a charter in the Dumbarton Rolls, from Constantyne Dunlop, of that Ilk, to his son, Alexander Dunlop, of the lands of Hanthall, dated 1471. This son, his successor,

ALEXANDER DUNLOP, of Dunlop, was father of

CONSTANTYNE DUNLOP, whose retour as Dunlop of that Ilk is dated 1476. He was *s.* by his son,

CONSTANTYNE DUNLOP, of that Ilk, who was appointed by parliament, in 1489, among other lords (as they were termed) to collect the by-gone rents and casualties of the crown. He is, also, mentioned as a member of an inquest on the retour of Mathew, earl of Lennox. Constantyne Dunlop *d.* in 1505, leaving (with a daughter, Jannet, *m.* to James Stuart, sheriff of Bute, great-grandson of King ROBERT II.) a son and successor,

JOHN DUNLOP, of that Ilk, whose infeoftment is not dated till 1507. This gentleman *m.* in 1492, Marion Douglas, and had one son, ALEXANDER, and a daughter, who wedded Hugh Maxwell, of Auld House. He *d.* in 1509, and was *s.* by his son,

ALEXANDER DUNLOP, of that Ilk, who wedded Ellen Cuninghame, of the house of Glencairn, and had five sons, JAMES, William, Constantyne, Robert, and Andrew; by the eldest of whom,

JAMES DUNLOP, of that Ilk; he was succeeded at his decease in 1549. This gentleman espoused Isabel, daughter of Gavin Hamilton, of Orbieston, and had two sons, JAMES and Allan. He was *s.* at his decease, by the elder,

JAMES DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk, who wedded in 1574, Jean, daughter of Somerville of Cambermathan, descended from Sir John Somerville, son of John, third Lord Somerville, and had issue,

JAMES, his heir.
John, who purchased the lands of Garnkirk.
Thomas, who *m.* Grizell, daughter of

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Cochrane, of that Ilk, and from this alliance are descended the Dunlops of Househill.

Robert, to whom his father left the lands of Bloak.

The laird of Dunlop died in 1616, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk. This gentleman *m.* in 1614, Margaret, relict of John Campbell, bishop of Lismore, or Argyle, and daughter of Gavin Hamilton, bishop of Galloway, son of John Hamilton, of Orbieston, slain at the battle of Langside. By her he had a son JAMES, who eventually succeeded. Resisting the government of CHARLES I. in its attempt to introduce episcopacy into Scotland, the laird of Dunlop, for the purpose of security executed a deed making over his estate to his brother, John of Garnkirk; this deed was acted on in 1633, when his brother took possession, and in five years after, made a resignation to his nephew,

JAMES DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Alexander Cunninghame, esq. of Corsehill, by Mary, daughter of Sir Patrick Houstoun, of that Ilk, and had issue,

ALEXANDER, his heir.

John, of whom nothing is known.

Jean, *m.* in 1674, to William Ralston, esq. of Ralston.

Marion, *m.* to David Montgomery, esq. of Lainshaw.

During the civil wars Dunlop appears to have acted a prominent part. He was subsequently a warm supporter of the Presbyterians, and was obliged, in consequence, to make over a considerable portion of his estates to Lord Dundonald. From 1665 to 1667, he suffered imprisonment, but was liberated in the latter year under a bond of 12,000 marks, notwithstanding which, we find him, within a few months only, joining in the rising of the Pentland Hills. He was *s.* at his demise, by his elder son,

ALEXANDER DUNLOP, esq. who does not appear ever to have obtained possession of the barony of Dunlop, which his father had made over to Lord Dundonald. This laird was a zealous supporter of the cause of liberty and the covenant. Upon suspicion of being concerned in the rising of Bothwell Bridge, he was arrested on the 30th July, 1683, compelled to surrender a portion of his estates, and to execute a bond for £12,000 to appear in the November following. He was indicted anew in April, 1684, when he made over to his son, John, the lands which had been settled upon him on his marriage. He emigrated soon after to America, and was appointed in 1685, sheriff of South Carolina. He married in 1667, Antonia, daughter and heiress of Sir John Brown, of Fordal, by Mary Scott, daughter and co-heiress of Sir John Scott, of Rossie, quarter master general to the army in the early part of CHARLES the First's reign. He left a son and heir,

JOHN DUNLOP, esq. who obtained the barony of Peacock Bank and other farms, from his father in 1684: and in the following year the Earl of Dundonald resigned to him the possessions which he had acquired from his grandfather. In 1687, the laird of Dunlop, by an adjudication in his favour, recovered all his grandfather's estates, though heavily burdened by expenses and fines. He does not appear ever to have been married, and dying in 1706, was *s.* by his brother,

FRANCIS DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk. This gentleman was one of those who were appointed March 26, 1707, to see the regalia of Scotland, built up in the crown-room in the castle of Edinburgh, as appears from the minute of proceedings, taken at the time, and left amongst his papers. In 1715, he took an active part against the Chevalier, and was lieutenant-colonel, under the Earl of Kilmarnock, of a regiment of Fencible cavalry then raised. Colonel Dunlop espoused first, in 1709, Susan, only daughter and heiress of John Leckie, esq. of Newlands, by whom he had three sons and one daughter, viz.

JOHN, his heir.

Hugh, who died young.

Alexander, Major of the Enniskillen dragoons.

Antonia, *m.* to Sir Thomas Wallace, bt. of Craigie.

The laird of Dunlop wedded, secondly, a daughter of Sir — Kinloch, of Gilmourton, by whom he had two daughters, Frances, *d.* unm. and Magdalene, *m.* to Robert Dunlop, esq. He died in 1748, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk, who was deputed in 1745 by the gentleman of Ayrshire, together with Sir Thomas Wallace, of Craigie, to offer the assistance of the county to the Duke of Cumberland. He wedded Frances-Anne, last surviving child of Sir Thomas Wallace, of Craigie, by Eleanor, his wife, daughter and heiress of Agnew, of Lochryan, by whom he had six sons and six daughters, viz.

Francis, who *d.* young.

THOMAS, who *s.* his maternal grandfather, and assumed the surname and arms of WALLACE. He espoused Eglinton, daughter of Sir William Maxwell, bt.

ANDREW, heir to his father.

JAMES.

John, who *m.* his cousin, Magdalene, daughter of Robert Dunlop, esq. and had issue.

Anthony, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Alex. Cunningham, esq. younger

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brother of Sir Wm. Cunningham, bt. of Robertland.
Eleanor, *m.* to Monsieur Pirochon.
Henrietta, died young.
Susan, *m.* to Monsieur Henry.
Frances, *m.* to Robert Vans-Agnew, esq. of Barnbarroch. (See that family).
Rachel, *m.* to Robert Glasgow, esq. Keith.

Mr. Dunlop *d.* in 1784, and was *s.* by his second surviving son,

ANDREW DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk. This gentleman entering into the military service of his country, served in the first American war, and attained the rank of major. He afterwards raised a regiment of horse called the Ayrshire fencible cavalry, which he commanded until its reduction in 1800. Sometime, subsequently, he was sent to the West Indies, and dying unmarried, in 1804, a brigadier-general, in command of the troops in the island of Antigua, he was *s.* by his brother,

JAMES DUNLOP, esq. of that Ilk, who, adopting, like his predecessor, the profession of arms, served likewise in the American war. In 1787, he proceeded to India, as captain of the 77th regiment, where he remained thirteen years, and commanded one of the assaulting columns at the storming of Seringapatam, when he was severely wounded. He returned soon after to England, and was employed at home. In 1810, having attained the rank of major-general, he was appointed to the command of a brigade in the fifth division of Lord Wellington's army, and he remained at the head of that division during the campaign of 1811. In 1812, General Dunlop was elected member for the stewartry of Kirkcudbright, as he was in the two ensuing parliaments. He *m.* in 1802, Julia, dau. of Hugh Baillie, esq. younger son of Baillie, of Monckton, by whom he had three sons and two daughters, viz.

JOHN, his heir.
Hugh, lieut. R.N. *m.* 1831, Ellen-Clementino, only daughter of Robert Cockburn, esq.
Andrew, *d.* 1831.
Anna, *m.* 1824, Francis John Davies, captain in the Grenadier Guards, and *d.* 1825.
Frances.

General Dunlop died in 1832, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JOHN DUNLOP, esq. of that ilk.

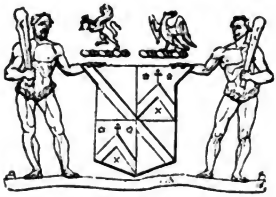
Arms—Arg. an eagle with two heads displayed gu.
Crest—A dagger in a dexter hand erect.
Motto—Merito.
Estates—Dunlop, situated in the county of Ayr—the family estate since 1260.

Southwick, in the stewartry of Kirkcudbright, purchased by General James Dunlop.

Seat—Dunlop.

VANS-AGNEW, OF BARNBARROCH.

AGNEW-VANS, PATRICK, esq. of Barnbarroch, in the county of Wigton, a lieutenant-colonel in the East India Company's service, on the Madras Establishment, and a Companion of the Bath, *b.* 6th January, 1783, *m.* 7th September, 1813, Miss Catherine Fraser, of Inverness, and has issue,



ROBERT.	George.
Patrick-Alexander.	Frances.
William.	Mary.
John.	Elizabeth.
James.	Catherine.

Colonel Vans-Agnew,* who is a deputy-lieutenant and justice of the peace for Wigtonshire, succeeded his brother, on the 12th October, 1825.

* Colonel VANS-AGNEW served with distinction in India for twenty-five years, during which period he was never absent from his duty beyond a few months. He participated in most of the important actions which occurred, and was almost constantly in the field. He repeatedly traversed the Madras and Bombay territories, as well as the Deccan and Malwah, and has frequently filled high and influential situations.

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Lineage.

The family of VANS or VAUS claims to be a branch of the great house of VAUX, so celebrated in every part of Europe. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*) In page 133 of Sir David Lindsay's Heraldry certified by the privy council, VAUS is mentioned as one of "*the surnames of thame that come furth of Ingland with Sanct Margeret;*" and in page 17 of the selection of the Harleian Miscellany by Kearsley, printed in 1793, it is said, "Out of these confusions in England, Malcolm King of Scotland did take his opportunity for action. He received into protection many from England, who either from fear or discontentment forsook their country, of whom many families in Scotland are descended, and namely, these, Lindesay, VAUS, Ramsay, &c. &c." Lord Hailes, Rapin, Hume, and other authorities, notice the reception of the Anglo-Normans by Malcolm.

NISBET (Ar. Vans of Barnbarroch) says, "The learned antiquary and historian, Sir James Dalrymple, observes that the ancient surname VANS, in Latin Charters called De Vallibus, is the same with the name of VAUX in England, and is one of the first surnames which appear there after the Conquest. One of the family came to Scotland in the time of King David I. and in the reign of his grandson and successor Malcolm IV. mention is made of Philip de Vallibus who had possessions in the South, and soon after that we find the family of Vallibus or Vans, proprietors of the lands and Barony of Dirletoun in East Lothian."

JOHN DE VALLIBUS is a witness to two charters of *King* MALCOLM IV. the one No. 31 in the Coldingham Chartulary, and the other among the Lundin Charters.

In 1174,

JOHN DE VALLIBUS was one of the hostages to the English, for the ransom of the Scots' King, William. He was *s.* by his nephew or cousin,

JOHN DE VALLIBUS, designed son of Robert of Ellebottl. The son and heir of this John,

JOHN DE VALLIBUS, is called John the younger, Dominus de Dirleton, when granting five marks yearly out of his Fair of St. James's in Roxburgshire, as a composition regarding his disputed patronage of Wilton. This John in 1244, is mentioned as one of the *Magnates* of Scotland, in the Pope's ratification of the peace between England and Scotland. In 1255 he was one of the Barons who counselled, or rather forced, *King* ALEXANDER III. to change his ministers. His grandson,

JOHN DE VAUX, appears to have been the second husband of Dervorgill,* (the dau. of Allan, Lord of Galloway, by Margaret, eldest daughter of David, Earl of Huntingdon, third son of *King* DAVID I. of Scotland,) the widow of Sir John Baliol, and mother of JOHN BALIOL, who claimed and obtained the Crown of Scotland. He sate in the parliament of Brigham, in 1290, and the next year swore fealty at Berwick to EDWARD I. In 1298 he defended the Castle of Dirleton against the famous Anthony Beke, Bishop of Durham. In 1304 he was a principal party to the agreement between EDWARD of England, and John Comyn, and according to Ryley's Placeta, John Comyn, Edmund Comyn, John de Graham, and John de Vaux, sealed this agreement at Strathord, the 9th February, 33 EDWARD I. The sincerity of this submission seems to have been more than doubtful, for in 1306, mention is made of him as a friend of ROBERT BRUCE. To this John succeeded

THOMAS DE VAUX, who is mentioned by Guthrie, and Brady as being one of the sixty-five Earls and Lords who led the Scotch army at the battle of Halidon Hill, 19th July, 1333. He was slain in 1346 at Nevil's Cross, where also his successor,

WILLIAM VAUX, was taken prisoner. After being detained for some time in England, in captivity, he returned to Scotland, and his name appears in many of the transactions of that period, especially as a party to the ransom of *King* DAVID II. He died in 1364, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM VAUX, who *d.* in 1392, and was succeeded by two co-heiresses; but whether they were his own daughters or those of his elder brother, Thomas, who had been killed at the siege of Berwick, in 1355, is uncertain. The elder wedded Sir John Halyburton,† and the second, Sir Patrick Hepburn, younger, of Hailes, ancestor to

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* This second marriage of the grandaughter of the Earl of Huntingdon, is not mentioned by Wyntoun or others, but the evidence of it is to be found in the Dryburgh Chart, (Nos. 126, 127, 128, 129,) where is given a Charter by Alexander de Baliol of the wood of Gleddiswood, "qui quondam fuit cum Domni. Johannis de Wallibus, et Dna, Dervorgill Sponse sue"

† The family of Sir John Halyburton, who became (jure uxoris) Lord of Dirleton, ended, after a few descents, in three sisters, viz.

Janet, *m.* to William, second Lord Ruthven.
Mariota, *m.* to George, fourth Lord Home.
Margaret, *m.* to George Ker, of Faudenside.

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the well known Earl of Bothwell, husband to *Queen* Mary.

In his account of the Dirleton family, Chalmers, (Caledonia, vol. ii. p. 436.) omits several generations, and in vol. iii. page 396, talking of Wigtonshire, he makes a curious mistake, for he considers the Barnbarroch, and the Sheuchan families as distinct, whereas they are the same. On the same page however he justly observes, "the name has been changed from Vaus to Vans, a change peculiar to this shire," and although he does not dispute the Barnbarroch branch being descended from a younger son of the Dirleton family, he thinks Alex. Vaux, Bishop of Galloway in 1426, was the first of his name in Wigtonshire.

Nisbet, vol. ii. App. p. 250, says positively, that the Barnbarroch branch are the only remaining heirs male of the Dirleton family, that they descend from a younger son, and although they have no charter older than 1451, yet "that the Vanses of this house have subsisted long before that," Nisbet also says, that, "now since they represent the principal family, by the rules and maxims, that are laid down in Herauldry, they may strike out the mollet, the brotherly difference, and wear and carry the *Bend Simple*, as they have done for some centuries." Tradition says the same, and that the first Vaux in Wigtonshire married an heiress there; it is said a de Morville.

In "l' Histoire des Malheures de la France sous le Roi Jean," publié à Paris chez Barde, 1611, vol. ii. p. 103, it is stated, talking of the battle of Poictiers, (A. D. 1356.) and of the Scots of note who fell there, "*et André Vaus de Galloway, le frere d'armes du Seigneur Archimbald.*"—*Douglas.* Barnes, Hollingshed, Abercrombie, and others, mention Sir Andrew Vaux to have been killed at the battle of Poictiers; and this Andrew is believed to have been the younger brother of Willielmus of Dirleton, to have settled in Galloway, and to have been succeeded by another Sir Andrew whose name appears in the settlement of the Scot's Crown, made at Scone, 4th April, 1373, although in Robertson's records the name is erroneously given, Andreas de Valonius. His younger son was Alexander, Bishop of Galloway from 1426 to 1451, and he was *s.* by his eldest,

John Vans, who was sent, in 1437, together with Alexander Do^nus^ de Gordon, Alexander Do^nus^ de Montgomery, and Johannis Methven, clericus, as ambassadors from James II. of Scotland, to Henry VI. of England; and along with these persons concluded a truce the following year. He espoused E. Kennedy, and had issue,

Robert, his heir.

Ninian, who is believed to have been Bishop of Galloway.

Martin, who was almoner and confessor to James III. and ambassador to Denmark, in 1468.

John, of Lochslin,* in Rosshire.

The eldest son,

Robert Vans, acquired from the Earl of Douglas, a charter of the lands of Barnbarroch, dated 26th January, 1451, which was ratified by the crown, 13th August of the same year. This gentleman wedded the Lady Euphemia Graham, of the house of Menteth, who long survived him, and became the third wife of Sir William Stewart, ancestor of the Earl of Galloway. By this lady he had issue,

Blaize, his heir.

Thomas, ambassador to England in 1457, dean of Glasgow, secretary to the king, and keeper of the privy seal.

George, Bishop of Galloway.

Patrick, Prior of Whitehorne.

Robert Vans was *s.* by his eldest son,

Blaize Vans, of Barnbarroch, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir John Shaw, of Haillie, and widow of Sir John Stewart, of Garlies, by whom he had a son and heir,

Patrick Vans, of Barnbarroch. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter of Gilbert, second Lord Kennedy, one of the regents of Scotland, and grandson of the Princess Mary, daughter of King Robert III. by whom he left at his decease, in 1528, a son and successor,

Sir John Vans, of Barnbarroch, who *m.* Janet, daughter and heiress of Sir Simon M'Culloch, of Myretoun, by Marion, dau. of Gordon, of Lochinvar, and thus acquired the hereditary coronership or crownership† of Wigtonshire. Sir John, being slain at the Battle of Pinkie, in 1547, was *s.* by his son,

Alexander Vans, of Barnbarroch, who espoused first, Janet Kennedy, daughter of Gilbert, second Earl of Cassilis, by his wife Isabel, daughter of Archibald, second Earl of Argyle; and secondly, Euphemia, daughter and co-heiress of Sir John Dunbar, by Elizabeth, daughter of Mungo Muir, of Rowallan. Dying, however, issueless, in 1568, he was *s.* by his brother,

Sir Patrick Vans, of Barnbarroch, who wedded first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hugh Kennedy, of Girvan Mains, but by her had no male issue. He married secondly, the Lady Catherine Kennedy, daughter of Gilbert, third Earl of Cassilis, by

* The Lochslin branch ended in females about the year 1600; and about the same period, and in the same manner, terminated the Vanses, of Manie, in Aberdeenshire, a branch certainly connected with the Barnbarroch family, but how does not appear.

† The crowner of each county or district, commanded the troops raised in it, and attached all those guilty of breaches of the king's peace.

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whom he had a son, JOHN, his heir. Sir Patrick Vans was of the privy council, a judge, ambassador to Denmark, and one of the commissioners appointed to govern the kingdom during the royal absence. He died in 1597, and was succeeded by his son,

SIR JOHN VANS, of Barnbarroch, who, when under age, was appointed commendator of the famous Abbey of Crossraguel, which, a few years before, had been the scene of those cruelties (mentioned in Pitcairn's History of the Kennedys,) from which Sir Walter Scott has sketched his torturing of the Jew in Ivanhoe. Sir John *m.* Margaret, daughter of Uchtred M'Dowall, of Garthland, by Margaret, daughter of Henry Steward, first Lord Methven, and had issue. Sir John, who was of the privy council, and a gentleman of the chamber to James VI. died in 1642, and was *s.* by his son,

PATRICK VANS, of Barnbarroch. This gentleman espoused Grizel, daughter of John Johnston,* of Annandale, lord justice general of Scotland, and widow of Sir Robert Maxwell, of Spotts, by whom he left at his decease in 1673, a son and successor,

JOHN VANS, esq. of Barnbarroch, who dissipated the greater part of the family estates. He wedded Grizel, daughter of Sir John M'Culloch, of Myretoun, but dying *s. p. m.* in 1696, was *s.* by his brother,

ALEXANDER VANS, esq. of Barnbarroch, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir William Maxwell, of Monreith, by Agnes, daughter of Sir John M'Culloch, of Myretoun. In 1709, their son,

PATRICK VANS, esq. of Barnbarroch, succeeded, and an accumulation of debts forced him to sell every thing but the barony of Barnbarroch. He represented Wigtonshire in the first Union Parliament, and afterwards the Wigton district of boroughs. He *m.* first, a daughter of Sir James Campbell, of Lawers, by whom he had a son, who died without issue; and secondly, Barbara, daughter of Patrick M'Dowall, esq. of Freugh, by a daughter of Haltridge, of Dromore, in Ireland, and had issue. Colonel Vans retired, early in life, from the army, but died suddenly in 1733, owing to the breaking out of a wound received at the Battle of Almanza. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN VANS, esq. of Barnbarroch, who wedded Margaret, only child and heiress of Robert Agnew, esq. of Sheuchan, by Margaret, another daughter of Patrick M'Dowall, of Freugh,† and upon his marriage, under a mutual entail, assumed the additional surname and arms of AGNEW. He died in 1780, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT VANS-AGNEW, esq. of Barnbarroch and Seuchan, who *m.* Frances, daughter of John Dunlop, esq. of that Ilk, by Frances, only surviving child of Sir Thomas Wallace, bart. of Craigie, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
PATRICK, successor to his brother.
Henry-Stewart, an advocate at the Scottish bar.
Margaret.
Frances-Georgiana
Anna-Maria.

Mr. Vans-Agnew, died in 1809, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN VANS-AGNEW, esq. of Barnbarroch, and Seuchan, at whose decease, unmarried, in 1825, the estates devolved upon his next brother, the present COLONEL PATRICK VANS-AGNEW, C. B. of Barnbarroch and Seuchan.

FAMILY OF AGNEW.

PATRICK AGNEW, esq. first possessor of Seuchan, was the second son of Sir Patrick Agnew, first baronet of Lochnaw, by Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Kennedy, of Culzean, uncle and tutor to the then Earl of Cassilis. He espoused in 1638, Janet, daughter of William Gordon, of Craichlaw, cadet of the Kenmure family, and was *s.* by his son,

ANDREW AGNEW, esq. of Seuchan, who wedded in 1675, Elizabeth, daughter of Patrick M'Dowall, esq. of Logan, and had a son and successor,

ROBERT AGNEW, esq. of Seuchan. This gentleman married Margaret, daughter of Patrick M'Dowall, esq. of Freugh, and their only child and heiress,

MARGARET, espoused, as stated above, JOHN VANS, esq. of Barnbarroch.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. a bend gu. Second and third, arg. a chev. between in chief two cinquefoils gu. with a cross crosslet fitcheé sa. in centre and in base a saltire couped.

Crests—First, A lion rampant, holding scales in the dexter paw. Second, An eagle issuant and regardant ppr.

Supporters—Two savages, with clubs in their hands, and wreathed about the middle with laurel.

Mottoes—Be faithful, for VANS. Consilio, non impetu, for AGNEW.

Estates—In Wigtonshire, and a small portion in Kirkcudbrightshire.

Town Residence—26, Upper Harley-street.

Seats—Barnbarroch, near Wigton. Park House, near Stanraer.

* By Margaret, daughter of Sir W. Scott, of Buccleuch.

† The M'Dowalls of Freugh became Earls of Dumfries; and the title is now enjoyed by the Marquess of Bute, in right of his mother, who was daughter and heiress of the late earl.

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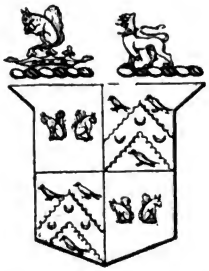
SAMWELL, OF UPTON HALL.

SAMWELL-WATSON, WENMAN-LANGHAM, esq. of Upton Hall, in the county of Northampton, succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his brother, 15th January, 1831, and assumed by act of parliament, in 1832, the additional surname and arms of SAMWELL.

Lineage.



The very ancient family of SAMWELL was originally of Cornwall, and seated at Restormel Castle, and other residences within that county.

JAMES SAMWELL, a younger branch of this Cornish house, was grandfather of

RICHARD SAMWELL, who *m.* Amy, daughter of Thomas Gyfford, esq. of Twyford, in Bucks, and had a son,

FRANCIS SAMWELL, who removed from Cotsford, in Oxford, and settled, first at Northampton, and subsequently at Thorpe. This gentleman, who was auditor to *King* HENRY VII. wedded Mary, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. William Bill, D.D. of Ashwell, in Herts, Lord Almoner, to *Queen* ELIZABETH, and had (with a daughter Margaret, *m.* to Robert Pargeter, esq. of Gretworth) a son and heir,

SIR WILLIAM SAMWELL, auditor to *Queen* ELIZABETH, who received the honor of knighthood at the coronation of *King* JAMES I. He wedded Jane, daughter of Sir Henry Skipwith, knt. of Keythorpe, in Leicestershire, and left surviving issue, at his decease in 1627,

I. RICHARD (Sir), his successor.

II. Arthur, of Morton-Murrell, in Warwickshire, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Stephen Harvey, K.B. and dying in 1667, left two daughters, Mary and Anne.

III. Robert, who *d.* unmarried.

IV. Anthony, of Dean's Yard, Westminster, who *m.* Anne, daughter of — Haynes, esq. of Chesington, in Surrey, and had, with other issue, a son and heir,

WILLIAM, of Dean's Yard, Westminster, and of Watton, in Norfolk, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir Denner Strut, bart. of Little Warley, in Essex, by whom (who *m.* after Mr. Samwell's decease, John, third son of Sir Philip Wodehouse, bart.) he left at his demise, in 1676, an only daughter and heiress,

ANNE, who espoused William Henry Fleming, esq. and conveyed to her husband the manor of Watton. She *d.* in 1728.

V. Frances, who *d.* unmarried.

VI. Jane, *m.* to Sir Spacote Harrington, knt. of Exton, in Rutlandshire, and Milton, in the county of Northampton, by whom she had a son, the famous JAMES HARRINGTON,* author of the OCEANA.

* This gentleman, one of the most eminent political writers of the seventeenth century, received his education at Trinity College, Oxford, under the care of the celebrated Chillingworth. Upon first entering into political life, though a zealous republican in principle, he formed a strong personal attachment to *King* CHARLES I. and after serving for years, with the most constant fidelity, attended, at length, his ill-fated monarch to the scaffold, where he received, it is reported, a token of his Majesty's affection. Retiring into private life, during the protectorate, he devoted his leisure to the production of his celebrated work, "The Commonwealth of Oceana," which, by the order of CROMWELL was seized in the press, but restored again through the medium of Mrs. Claypole, the Usurper's favorite child, at whose suggestion it was dedicated to her father, on its publication in

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Sir William Samwell was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

SIR RICHARD SAMWELL, knt. of Upton, and Gayton, in the county of Northampton, who *m.* Mary, dau. of Sir Richard Verney, kt. of Compton, in Warwickshire, by Margaret, sister and heiress of Fulke Greville, Baron Brooke, and had issue,

RICHARD, his heir.
Frances, who *m.* Rebecca, daughter of Robert Selsby, esq. of Duston, in Northamptonshire, and had issue.
William, *d.* young.
Jane, *m.* to Sir Edward Rossiter, knt. of Somerby, in Lincolnshire.

Sir Richard Samwell *d.* in 1688, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD SAMWELL, esq. of Upton. This gentleman wedded, in 1637, Frances, eldest daughter and co-heir of Thomas, Viscount Wenman, of Tuam, in Ireland, by Margaret, daughter and heiress of Edmund Hampden, esq. of Hartwell, in Bucks, and had issue to survive youth,

THOMAS, his heir.
Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Catesby, esq. of Ecton.
Penelope, *m.* to Sir William Yorke, kt. of Lessingham, in Lincolnshire.
Elizabeth, who *d.* unm.
Agnes, *m.* to Robert Codrington, esq. of Codrington, in Gloucestershire.
Frances, *m.* to Sir Thomas Wagstaff, of Tachebrooke, in Warwickshire, by whom she had one daughter, Frances* *m.* first, to Sir Edward Bagot, bart. and secondly, to Sir Adolphus Oughton, bart.
Mary, *m.* to Adolphus Oughton, esq.

He was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS SAMWELL, of Upton, who was created a BARONET, 28 CHARLES II. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of George Gooday, esq. of Bower Hall, in Essex, by whom he had two surviving daughters, viz.

ELIZABETH, *m.* to Sir John Langham, bart. of Cottesbrooke Park, and was great-grandmother of the present SIR JAMES LANGHAM, bart.
Frances, *m.* to Sir Richard Newman, bart.

Sir Thomas wedded, secondly, Anne, dau. and heiress of Sir John Godschalk, of Atherston upon Stower, in the county of Warwick, by whom he left at his decease, in 1693, an only son and heir,

SIR THOMAS SAMWELL, second baronet, of Upton. This gentleman *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Fuller, D.D. rector of Hatfield, in Herts, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS (Sir) his successor.
Richard, who *d.* young.
Millicent, *d.* unm.
Frances, *m.* in 1740, to John Ashe, esq. of Langley Burrell, Wilts.
Anne, *m.* to Timothy, Stoughton, esq. of Allesley, in Warwickshire.
Mary, *m.* to the Rev. Stephen Langham, rector of Cottesbroke, fourth son of Sir John Langham.

Sir Thomas *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of Sir Gilbert Clarke, knt. of Chilcot, in Derbyshire, and relict of William Ives, esq. of Bradden, in the county of Northampton, by whom he had further issue,

WENMAN, heir to his brother.
Dorothy, *d.* in infancy.
CATHERINE, who espoused in 1754, Thomas Atherton Watson, esq. of Bedlington, in Northumberland, by whom (who *d.* in 1793) she left at her decease in 1790, three sons and two daughters, viz.
THOMAS-SAMWELL WATSON, heir to his uncle.
WENMAN-LANGHAM WATSON, present proprietor.
Atherton Watson.
Camila-Matilda Watson.
Charlotte-Felicia Watson, *m.* in 1792, to the Rev. Benjamin Tinley, B. D. of Whissendine, in

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1656. It is said, that when OLIVER perused it, he declared that "the gentleman had wrote it very well, but must not think to cheat him out of his power and authority: for that which he had won by the sword, he would not suffer himself to be scribbled out of."

The OCEANA is a species of political allegory, exhibiting in a fictitious land, the form of government most conducive, in its author's opinion, to public liberty.

In order still further to propagate his theories, he instituted a nightly meeting of several able and ingenious men, in the New Palace Yard, Westminster, which bore the name of "THE ROTA."—This assemby terminated at the Restoration. The discussions were warm and spirited, and the voices of the members were taken by BALLOT, a mode of voting first invented by the society. Shortly after the Restoration, Harrington was arrested for a supposed plot against the government, and suffered, in consequence, much hardship and severity. He eventually, however, procured his release, and espoused Katherine, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Darrell. He *d.* in 1677. Beside the "Oceana," he was the author of many political pamphlets.

* This lady, by her first husband, Sir Edward Bagot, had an only surviving son, Sir Walter Wagstaffe Bagot, LL.D. M.P. successively for Newcastle-under-Line, the county of Stafford, and the university of Oxfordshire, who was grandfather of WILLIAM, present LORD BAGOT. See *Burke's Peerage.*

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Rutlandshire, by whom, who *d.* in 1804, she has surviving issue, three daughters, Clarissa-Felicia, Frances-Anne, and Charlotte-Henrietta.

Sir Thomas Samwell was *s.* by his eldest son,

Sir Thomas Samwell, third baronet of Upton, *b.* 28th Febuary, 1710, who *d.* unmarried in 1779, and was *s.* by his half brother,

Sir Wenman Samwell, fourth baronet of Upton, *b.* in 1728, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Smith, esq. of East Haddon, but dying *s. p.* in 1789, the title *became* Extinct, while the estates devolved upon (the eldest son of his sister) his nephew,

Thomas Samwell Watson, esq. who, upon becoming of "Upton," assumed the additional surname and arms of Samwell. This gentleman, who was appointed in 1803, lieutenant colonel of the Northamptonshire militia, and in 1813, lieutenant colonel commandant of the central regiment of local militia, espoused Frances, second daughter of the Rev. Henry Seymour Perfect, of Park-street, Westminster, but dying issueless in 1832, the estates devolved upon his brother, the present Wenman-Langham Watson-Samwell, esq. of Upton Hall.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. two squirrels sejant addorsed gu. for Samwell. Second and third, arg. on a chev. engrailed, az. between three martlets sa. as many crescents or, for Watson.

Crests—First, On a ducal coronet or, a squirrel sejant gu. cracking a nut ppr. for Samwell. Second, A griffin gorged with a ducal coronet or, for Watson.

Mottoes—Christus sit regula vitae, for Samwell. Spero meliora, for Watson.

Quarterings.

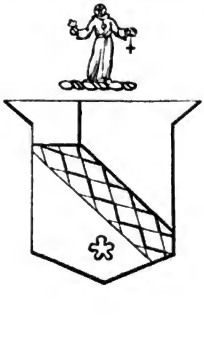
Samwell.	Gradock.
Trewarthen.	Boson.
Gifford.	Hampden.
Bill.	Upton.
Wenman.	Shingleton.
Gifford.	Stokes.
Gardens.	Luton.
Moretegne.	Hartwell.
Stretley.	Hartshorn.
Vaux.	Nernuit.
Winslow.	Egecombe.
Poure.	Godschalk.
Damery.	Starkey.
Cottisford.	Oulton.
Williams.	Leighton.
Moore.	Wrenbury.
Bledlow.	

Estates—The manor and lordship of Upton, at Rothersthorpe, and Wootton, in Northamptonshire; in Middlesex, Surrey, and in the city of London.

Seat—Upton Hall. The Samwells were formerly seated at Rothersthorpe and Gayton, in Northamptonshire; and at Atherstone-upon-Stower, in the county of Warwick.

KNIGHT, OF GODMERSHAM.

KNIGHT, EDWARD, esq. of Chawton House, in the county of Hants, and of Godmersham Park, in Kent, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Brook Bridges, bart. by whom (who *d.* in 1808) he has issue,



Edward, who *m.* in 1826, Mary-Dorothy, daughter of Sir Edward Knatchbull, and has issue.
George-Thomas.
Henry.
William, who *m.* Caroline, eldest daughter of John Portal, esq. of Freefolk House, in Hants.
Charles-Bridges.
Brook-John.
Fanny-Catherine, *m.* in 1820, to Sir Edward Knatchbull, bart. M.P.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Edward Rice, esq. of Dane Court, Kent.
Marianne.
Louisa.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was Austen, assumed the surname of Knight upon inheriting the estates of that family.

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Lineage.

The family of KNIGHT is of high respectability, in Hampshire.

WILLIAM KNIGHT, of Chawton, living about the middle of the sixteenth century, was great grandfather of

NICHOLAS KNIGHT, esq. who left issue by his wife, Elizabeth, three sons, viz.

JOHN, who *d.* in 1621, leaving an only daughter, Joanna, *m.* to John Gunter, esq. of Racton.

Nicholas, who *d.* unmarried.

STEPHEN.

This

STEPHEN KNIGHT, of Chawton, esq. *d.* 1628, leaving one son and a daughter, viz.

RICHARD.

DOROTHY, who *m.* Richard Martin,* esq. of Ensham, in Oxfordshire, and had issue,

MICHAEL MARTIN, of Ensham, who espoused Frances, dau. of Sir Christopher Lewkenor, recorder of Chichester, by Mary, daughter of JOHN MAY,† esq. of Rawmere, and dying in 1681, left issue,

1. RICHARD, of whom presently, as devisee of Sir Richard Knight.
2. CHRISTOPHER, heir to his brother.
3. ELIZABETH, successor to CHRISTOPHER.

Stephen Knight's son,

RICHARD KNIGHT, esq. of Chawton, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of J. Fielder, esq. of Barrow Court, in Berks, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1642, by his son,

SIR RICHARD KNIGHT, knt. who *m.* Priscilla, only daughter of Sir Robert Reynolds, of Elvetham, in Hants, but dying *s. p.* in 1679, he devised his estates to his kinsman,

RICHARD MARTIN, esq. (refer to issue of DOROTHY, dau. of the STEPHEN KNIGHT, who *d.* in 1628). This gentleman upon inheriting assumed the surname of KNIGHT. He *d.* unmarried in 1687, and was *s.* by his brother,

CHRISTOPHER MARTIN, esq. who likewise took the name of KNIGHT. He also died unmarried in 1702, and bequeathed his estates to his sister

ELIZABETH KNIGHT. This lady espoused first, William Woodward, esq. son of Ed. Woodward, esq. of Fosters in Surrey, by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Christopher Lewkenor and his wife Mary May. She wedded secondly, Bulstrode Peachy, esq. uncle of the first Lord Selsey, but dying *s. p.* in 1737, devised her estates in tail male to first, THOMAS MAY, of Godmersham; second, to William Lloyd, of Newbury, and third, to

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* The family of MARTIN derived from

MICHAEL MARTIN, esq. of Ensham, in the county of Oxford, *b.* in 1545, who *d.* in 1610, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD MARTIN, esq. of Ensham, who left at his decease in 1617, three sons, viz.

I. RICHARD, of Ensham, of whom in the text, as husband of Mary Knight.

II. Michael, who *d. s. p.*

III. Edward, of Whitney, who wedded Miss Anne Brice, and had an only child,

ANNE, who *m.* the Rev. John Hinton, prebendary of Sarum, rector of Newbury, &c. and had, with other issue,

EDWARD, eldest son, rector of Sheering, in Essex, *b.* in 1671, who espoused Mary, daughter and eventual heiress of the Rev. Francis Bridge, D.D. by whom he had an only child, MARTHA, *m.* in 1745, to her cousin, the Rev. John Hinton, rector of Chawton.

John, fifth son, whose son,

The Rev. JOHN HINTON, rector of Chawton, *m.* first, his cousin, Martha Hinton, and had an only surviving child, JANE, *m.* to JAMES BAVERSTOCK, esq. He espoused secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Harrison, esq. and had with three daughters, an only son, John-Knight Hinton.

† This JOHN MAY, of Rawmere, had issue,

I. CHRISTOPHER MAY, who *m.* Miss Dorothy Prude, and had a daughter, ANNE MAY, who espoused William Broadnax, esq. and was by him mother of

THOMAS BROADNAX, of Godmersham, representative of the ancient house of BROADNAX, resident in Kent, since the reign of Henry VI. who assumed in 1727, the surname of MAY, and subsequently, in 1738, that of KNIGHT, upon inheriting the estates of that family.

II. John May, who *m.* Constance ——, and had an only son,

SIR THOMAS MAY, knt. who *d. s. p.* in 1710.

III. Mary May, who wedded Sir Christopher Lewkenor, of West Dean, in Sussex, recorder of Chichester, and was mother of the FRANCES LEWKENOR, mentioned in the text.

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John Hinton, to whom she likewise bequeathed the next presentation to her rectory of Chawton; with remainder over to her own right heirs, Edward Hinton, of Sheering, being at the time of her decease, her heir at law. Her relative and successor,

THOMAS BROADNAX, esq. of Godmersham, in the fifteenth GEORGE I., pursuant to the will of Sir Thomas May, knt. and under the authority of an act of parliament, had relinquished his patronymic, and assumed the surname of MAY. In 1729 this gentleman kept his shrievalty for the county of Kent, and rebuilt three years after the mansion of Godmersham. In 1738 Mr. May again changed his name to that of KNIGHT, in conformity with the testamentary injunction of Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, widow of Bulstrode Peachey Knight, esq. He *m.* in 1729, Jane, eldest daughter and co-heir of Wm. Monk, esq. of Buckingham in Sussex, (by Hannah, daughter and co-heir of Stephen Stringer, esq. of Goudhurst, and JANE AUSTEN,* his wife,) and had with younger children, a son and heir, THOMAS. Mr. Knight *d.* in 1781, at the advanced age of eighty, "a gentleman," says Hasted, "whose eminent worth ought not to pass unnoticed: whose character for upright conduct and integrity, rendered his life as honorable as it was good." He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS KNIGHT, esq. of Chawton and Godmersham, *b.* in 1735. In 1786, this gentleman, a recovery having been suffered in 1757, sold the manor of Lyminster, in the county of Sussex, to Charles Goring, esq. of Wiston, whose son is the present possessor. It was presumed that the entail created by the will of Elizabeth Knight, was not barred by the recovery in 1757; a suit at law was instituted in 1814, and in 1818, after four years litigation, Mr. Goring purchased the respective rights, and the claim was satisfactorily compromised. Mr. Knight *m.* Catherine, dau. of Dr. Wadham Knatchbull, Dean of Canterbury, but dying issueless in 1794, devised his lands to his cousin, EDWARD AUSTEN, esq. who has changed his name to that of KNIGHT, and is the present possessor of Godmersham.

Arms—Vert. a bend fusilly or, in base a cinquefoil arg. a canton gu. quartering the AUSTEN arms, viz. or, a chev. gu. between three lions gambs erect sa.

Crests—1st. A friar habited ppr. holding in the dexter hand a cinquefoil slipped arg. and in the sinister a cross sa. suspended from the wrist: the breast charged with a rose gu. for KNIGHT. 2nd. On a mural crown or, a stag sejant arg. attired gold for AUSTEN.

Estates—In Kent and Hampshire: Godmersham Park, with the manors of Ford and Yallande were anciently part of the inheritance of the family of Valoigns, one of whom died seized thereof in the 19th EDWARD II. and they continued with his descendants until the latter end of the reign of Edward III. when Waretius de Valoigns, leaving by his wife, the daughter of Robert de Hougham, two daughters and co-heiresses: one of these ladies married to Thomas de Aldon, conveyed these manors in dower to her husband: and in the family of De Aldon they remained vested for a considerable time. At length they became the property of the Astyns, and so continued until Richard Astyn conveyed them to Thomas Broadnax, of Hythe, from whom these estates descended to the Thomas Broadnax who assumed the surname of *Knight*.

Seats—Godmersham Park, Kent; Chawton House, Hants.

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* This JANE AUSTEN was eldest daughter of John Austen, esq. of Grovehurst, in Kent; which JOHN AUSTEN, esq. had a son,

JOHN AUSTEN, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Weller, esq. of Tonbridge, and *d. v. p.* in 1704, leaving, with other issue,

WILLIAM AUSTEN, esq. who wedded Miss Rebecca Hampson, and had a son,

THE REV. GEORGE AUSTEN, who *m.* Miss Cassandra Leigh, and had issue,

i. JAMES, who *m.* first, Anne, daughter of General Mathew, by Lady Jane Bertie, daughter of Peregrine, Duke of Ancaster, and had an only child, Anna, *m.* to the Rev. B. Lefroy. He wedded secondly, Mary Lloyd, and left at his decease, a daughter, Caroline, and an only son, the Rev. James Edward Austen, of Tring Park, Herts, who *m.* Emma, daughter of Charles Smith, esq. of Suttons, and has issue.

ii. EDWARD, successor to his cousin, THOMAS KNIGHT, as in the text.

iii. Henry-Thomas, in holy orders, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Henry Jackson, esq. of London, by Sarah, daughter of David Papillon, esq. of Acrise.

iv. Francis-William, *b.* in 1774, a rear-admiral of the Blue, and C.B. who *m.* first, Mary, only child of John Gibson, esq. of Ramsgate, by whom, who *d.* in 1823, he has issue. Admiral Austen wedded secondly, Martha, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. N. Lloyd, rector of Hinton.

v. Charles-John, a captain R.N., married twice, and has issue.

vi. Cassandra-Elizabeth.

vii. JANE, *b.* 16th December, 1775, and *d.* unmarried on the 18th July, 1817. This lady acquired high reputation as a novelist, and has left behind her some of the best modern productions in that walk of literature. We need only name "Sense and Sensibility," "Pride and Prejudice," and "Emma." Miss Austin's style was her own—domestic, interesting, and original.

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BULWER, OF HEYDON.

BULWER, WILLIAM-EARLE-LYTTON, esq. of Heydon Hall, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* 28th April, 1799, *m.* 11th December, 1827, Emily, first cousin of the Marchioness of Salisbury, and youngest daughter of General Gascoyne, late M.P. for Liverpool, and has issue,

WILLIAM, *b.* 1st January, 1829.
Edward, *b.* in December, 1830.
Rose.
Elizabeth.

Lineage.

TYRUS OR TUROLD DE DALLING, enfeoffed of the lordships of Wood Dalling, and Bynham, by Peter de Valoins, who held those lands from the CONQUEROR, founded the family of BULWER. When the Lord Valoins established the priory of Bynham, this Turold gave two parts of his tithes to that establishment, and his son SIR RALPH DE DALLING granted in some years after to the monks of the same monastery, the churches of Wood Dalling, and of Little Ryburgh, with lands in each parish. From SIR RALPH lineally descended

SIMON DALLING, *alias* BULWIER, of Wood Dalling, who bore for his coat-armour, "gules on a chevron between three eaglets, reguardant, or, as many cinquefoils sa;" ensigns still retained by the BULWERS. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Robert Mouny, or Mouncy, of Wood Dalling, and was grandfather of

SIMON BULWIER, who wedded Joan, daughter of Peter Alleyn, of the ancient house of Alleyn or Aleyne, of Wood Dalling, and had, with other issue,

ROGER, his heir.
Simon (youngest son), ancestor of the BULWERS of Haynford and Buxton.

The eldest son,

ROGER BULWER, esq. purchasing in the ninth of *Queen* ELIZABETH the manors of Broseyards and Norton Hall, with the demesne lands of Sir Christopher Heydon, was the first of the family who settled at Gestwick. He was impropriator, patron of the vicarage, and lord also of the manors of Gestwick and Mendam Densons. He wedded, first, Anne, youngest daughter of William Bulwer, esq. of Wood Dalling (the senior branch of the family), by the coheiress of Gage; and, secondly, Christiana, daughter of John Browte, esq.; by the last lady he left a son and heir,

EDWARD BULWER, esq. of Gestwick, who espoused Anne, only daughter, and heiress, of William Becke, esq. of Southeepps, and had three sons; ROGER, his heir, Edward, who *d.* issueless, and William, who *d.* in 1666, unmarried. Mr. Bulwer built the west front of the mansion-house at Wood Dalling. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROGER BULWER, esq. of Gestwick, father of

EDWARD BULWER, esq. of Gestwick, who *m.* in 1645, Anne, only daughter and heiress of the *Rev.* William Yonge, of Kittlestone, in Norfolk, a younger branch of the knightly family of Yonge, and had issue,

EDWARD, his heir.
John, *d. s. p.*
WILLIAM, successor to his brother.

He *d.* 23d April, 1697, aged 74, and was buried with his ancestors at Gestwick. His eldest son and heir,

EDWARD BULWER, esq. of Wood Dalling, was sworn in 1689, one of the gentlemen in ordinary of his Majesty's Privy Chamber. He wedded Hannah, daughter and heiress of George Peryer, esq. of Godalming, in Surrey, but dying issueless, was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

WILLIAM BULWER, esq. of Wood Dalling, who *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Peter El-

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wyn, esq. of Thirning, by whom he had, with two daughters, a son, EDWARD, who *d.* unmarried. Mr. Bulwer espoused secondly, Margaret, daughter of Edward Britiffe, esq. of Baconsthorp, and had one daughter. He wedded thirdly, Frances, daughter of Edmund Lee, esq. of Fulmodeston, by whom he had three sons and three daughters; viz.

Christopher, } both *d. s. p.*
John, }
WILLIAM, his heir.
SARAH, *m.* to RICE WIGGETT, esq. (see family of Wiggett, at foot), and had a son,
WILLIAM WIGGETT, successor to his maternal uncle.
Elizabeth, } *d. s. p.*
Lydia, }

Mr. Bulwer was *s.* at his decease by his only surviving son,

WILLIAM BULWER, esq. of Wood Dalling. This gentleman, dying issueless in 1775, bequeathed all his manors and estates to his nephew,

WILLIAM WIGGETT, esq. who wedded in 1756, Mary, eldest daughter of Augustine Earle,* esq. of Heydon, (a lineal descendant, on the male side, of Erasmus Earle, distinguished in Cromwell's time, and one of the commissioners at the Treaty of Uxbridge, and on the female side from Thomas, Lord Coventry, keeper of the great seal, &c. &c.) and eventually co-heir to her brother, Erasmus Earle, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM-EARLE, his heir.
Augustine.
John.
Frances.
Mary.
Sarah.

Mr. Wiggett assumed in 1756 the surname of BULWER, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his uncle. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM-EARLE BULWER, esq. of Heydon Hall, a general officer in the army, who espoused ELIZABETH, daughter and sole heiress of RICHARD WARBURTON LYTTON,† esq. of Knebworth Park, in Hertfordshire, and had three sons, viz.

WILLIAM-EARLE-LYTTON, his heir.

Henry-Lytton, M.P.
Edward-Lytton, M.P. author of PELHAM, DEVEREUX, and other works, *m.* 29th August, 1827, Rosina, only surviving daughter of the late Francis Massey Wheeler, esq. of Lizzard Connel, in the county of Limerick, grandson of HUGH, LORD MASSEY, by Anne, dau. of the Rev. — Doyle, and niece to General Sir John, bart. G.C.B. K.C. and governor of Charlemont, and has issue,
Edward-Robert, *b.* 8th Nov. 1831.
Emily-Georgiana.

General Bulwer *d.* in 1807, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM-EARLE-LYTTON BULWER, esq. of Heydon Hall.

FAMILY OF WIGGETT.

The WIGGETTS were for many years possessed of a considerable estate in the parish of GEIST, in Norfolk, which remained in the family until 1763, when it was sold under the sanction of an act of parliament, by WILLIAM WIGGETT BULWER, esq. of Heydon.

In 1580,

JOHN WIGGETT, and AGNES, his wife, were seized of lands in Geist, as was also in 1590,

ROGER WIGGETT, whose son,

PETER WIGGETT, wedded Alice, youngest daughter of Simon Bulwer, of Wood Dalling, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY-WIGGETT, father of

WILLIAM WIGGETT, esq. who *m.* in 1616, Anne, daughter of — Sherringham, esq. and had seven sons;

The youngest of whom,

ROBERT WIGGETT, esq. of Geist, *b.* in 1632, *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Rice Wicks, esq. by whom he left at his decease in 1697, a daughter, Frances, who died in her nineteenth year, and a son, his successor,

RICE WIGGETT, esq. of Geistwick, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Norfolk. He *m.* Sarah, eldest daughter of William Bulwer, esq. of Wood Dalling, and dying in September, 1749, was *s.* by his only surviving son, WILLIAM WIGGETT, esq. who inherited the Bulwer estates, and assumed the surname of BULWER.

Arms—Gu. on a chevron between three eaglets reguardant or, as many cinquefoils sa.

Crest—A horned wolf.

Motto—Adversis major, par secundis.

Estates—In Norfolk. A portion possessed since the Conquest.

Seat—Heydon Hall, Norfolk.

* The family of the Earles was one of the most ancient and highly connected in Norfolk, intermarrying with the De Greys, the Walsinghams, &c.

† The family of Lytton, one of the most ancient in Hertfordshire, possessed Knebworth, from the time of HENRY VII. when it was acquired by the first DE LYTTON, of LYTTON, in Derbyshire, treasurer to that Prince, and governor of Boulogne Castle.

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LYTTON, OF KNEBWORTH.

LYTTON-BULWER ELIZABETH-BARBARA, of Knebworth Park, in the county of Herts, widow of William Earle Bulwer, esq. of Heydon, a brigadier-general. (For this lady's issue, see BULWER).

Lineage.

GILBERT DE LYTTON, son of Mary de Lytton, named in a deed, dated 1283, and 11 EDWARD I. was ancestor, in a direct male line, of

SIR ROBERT DE LYTTON, of Lytton, in the county of Derby, comptroller of the household to *King* HENRY IV. receiver-general of the Queen's rents in her honour of High Peak, and agister of that forest.—His son (by his wife, Agnes, daughter of John Hotoft, sheriff of London),

SIR ROBERT DE LYTTON, of Lytton, under-treasurer of the Exchequer to HENRY VII. keeper of the great wardrobe, a member of the privy council, and a knight of the bath, purchased in the 7th HENRY VII. the demesne of Knebworth, of Sir Thomas Bourchier. Sir Robert *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and co-heir of John Andrews, of Weston, in Norfolk, and relict of Thomas Windsor,* of Stanwell, by whom he had, (with a dau. Fides, *m.* to Richard Deveneish, esq. of Hellengleigh) a son,

WILLIAM DE LYTTON, of Knebworth, Governor of the castle of Bulloigne, in France, and sheriff for the counties of Herts and Essex, who wedded Audrey, daughter and heiress of Sir Philip Booth, of Shrubland Hall, in Suffolk, by Margaret, daughter of Sir Wittin Hopton, of Swillington, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT LYTTON, knt. of Knebworth, and of Shrubland Hall, who served the office of sheriff for the counties of Herts and Essex, and was made a knight of the bath at the coronation of EDWARD VI. He *m.* first, Frances, daughter of Anthony Cavalery, and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Munden, and relict of Robert Burgoyne.—Sir Robert *d.* 4 EDWARD VI. leaving by his first wife, three daughters,

HELEN, *m.* first, to Sir Gabriel Fowler, and secondly, to Sir John Brocket, of Brocket Hall, Herts.

ELIZABETH, *m.* first, to Thomas Little, of Shrubland Hall, (jure uxoris) and secondly, to Edward Barrett, of Bell House, in the county of Essex. By the latter she had two daughters; Anne, married to Thomas Corbet, esq. and Elizabeth, to Brampton Gurdon, esq. of Assington and Letton.

MARY, *m.* first, to Thomas Harleston, esq. and secondly, to Edward Pulter, esq.

Sir Robert Lytton, was *s.* at Knebworth, by his brother,

ROWLAND LYTTON, esq. of Knebworth, governor of Boulogne, who *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of John Tate, of Calais, and son of Sir John Tate, and secondly, Anne, daughter of John Carleton, esq. of Brightwell, in Oxford. Rowland Lytton *d.* in 1582, leaving a daughter, Frances, *m.* to Sir Anthony Cope, and a son, his successor,

SIR ROWLAND LYTTON, of Knebworth, lieutenant of the county of Hertford, commander of the forces of that county at Tilbury Fort, one of its representatives in par-

* By this Thomas Windsor, Elizabeth left a son,

SIR ANDREW WINDSOR, summoned to parliament as Baron Windsor, 31 HENRY VIII. *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*

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liament in the reigns of ELIZABETH and JAMES I. and captain of the band* of gentlemen pensioners to *Queen* ELIZABETH. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Oliver St. John, first Lord Bletsoe, and relict of Robert Corbet, esq. of the county of Salop, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir), his heir.

Anne, *m.* to Sir William Webbe, knt. and *d.* in 1612.

Judith, *m.* first, to Sir George Smyth, of Annobles, in Herts, and secondly, to Sir Thomas Barrington of Barton Hall, Essex.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Windham, esq. of Felbrigge Hall, Norfolk, lineal ancestor of the celebrated statesman, WILLIAM WINDHAM.

Jane, *m.* to Sir Charles Croft.

The son and heir,

SIR WILLIAM LYTTON, of Knebworth, was one of the commissioners sent to treat with CHARLES I. being then member for Hertfordshire. He *m.* first, Anne, daughter and heiress of Stephen Slaney, esq. of Norton, in the county of Salop, and secondly, Ruth, daughter of Francis Barrington, esq. of Barrington Hall. Sir William *d.* in 1660, and left issue,

ROWLAND (Sir), his heir.

Margaret, *m.* first, to Thomas Hillersdon, esq. of Elnstow, in Bedfordshire, and secondly, to Sir Thomas Hewitt, bart. of Pishobury. She *d.* in 1689.

Dorothy, *m.* to Sir John Barrington, bart. and *d.* in 1703.

Mary, *m.* to Sir Edward Gostwick, bart. of Willington, Bedfordshire.

Jane, *m.* to Sir Thomas Bosville, knt.

Sir William was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROWLAND LYTTON, of Knebworth, one of the representatives of Herts in the healing parliament of Charles II. who *m.* first, Judith, daughter of Sir Humphrey Edwards, and had, with other issue,

WILLIAM (Sir).

Anne, *m.* to Sir Francis Russell, of Strensham, in Worcestershire, and *d.* in 1705, leaving three daughters,

1. Anne, *m.* first, to Richard Lygon, esq. of Madresfield, in Worcestershire; secondly, to Sir Henry Every, bart. of Eggington, Derbyshire, and thirdly, to Sir John Guise, bart. She *d.* in 1734-5.
2. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Jones, esq. of Shrewsbury.
3. Elizabeth, *m.* first, to William Dansey, esq. of Brinsop; and secondly, to — Lloyd, esq.

Judith, *m.* first, to Maurice Abbot, esq. of Fulmere, Cambridgeshire; and secondly, to Sir Nicholas Strode, of St. John's Close, Middlesex, and of Etchingham, in Sussex. By the latter husband she was mother of

SIR GEORGE STRODE, who wedded Margaret, daughter of John Robinson,* esq. of Guersfelt, and had a son,

LYTTON STRODE, of whom presently, as heir of the LYTTONS.

Sir Rowland *m.* secondly, Rebecca, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Chapman, esq. of Wormley, and relict of Sir Richard Lucy, bart. by whom he had one daughter,

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* To be captain of this celebrated band, was in Elizabeth's time, a most distinguished honor.—"This band of Gentlemen Pensioners" (says Miss Aikin, in her Memoirs of the Court of Queen Elizabeth, vol. i. p. 275, of the second edition), "the boast and ornament of the court of Queen Elizabeth, was probably the most splendid establishment of the kind in Europe; it was entirely composed of the nobility and gentry, and to be admitted to serve in its ranks was, during the whole of the reign, regarded as a distinction worthy the ambition of young men of the highest families and most brilliant prospects. Sir John Holles, afterwards Earl of Clare, was accustomed to say, that while he was a pensioner of Queen Elizabeth, he did not know a worse man than himself in the whole band, yet he was then in possession of an inheritance of £4000." "It was the custom of that Queen," pursues the Earl's biographer, "to cull out of all counties of the kingdom, the gentlemen of the greatest hopes and best fortunes and families, and with them to fill the more honorable rooms of her household servants, by which she honored them, obliged their kindred and alliance, and fortified herself."

* **Family of Robinson, of Guersfelt.**

COLONEL ROBINSON, an active and distinguished partizan of CHARLES I. was lineally descended from Nildass Robinson, bishop of Bangor,† and possessor of Monachan, in Mona, the ancient patrimony of the Robinsons. This gallant cavalier commanded a company at the battle of Rowten Heath. He subsequently escaped the soldiers of the Commonwealth, and flying from Guersfelt, in the disguise of a labourer, gained the continent and recovered his estates at the Restoration. He *d.* in 1680, aged 65, leaving two sons,

1. JOHN, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Dorothy Lady Jefferies, and had issue,

WILLIAM, of Guersfelt, who wedded Elizabeth Lytton, niece of Sir Wil-

† This prelate was nearly allied by intermarriage with the Devereuxes, of Sheldon, from whom the present viscounts of Hereford are descended, with Edward Herbert, ancestor of Lord Herbert, of Cherbury, with the ancient Pryces of Newtown, who trace their origin to Elyston Gloderidd, Earl of Hereford, lord of all between Gay and Severn, and one of the five royal tribes of Wales.

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Rebecca, married to Anthony, Viscount Falkland.

Sir Rowland *d.* in 1674, and was *s.* by his son,

Sir William Lytton, of Knebworth, who served the office of sheriff, and was M.P. for the county of Herts. This gentleman *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Sir John Harrison, and secondly, Phillippa, daughter of Sir John Kelyng, knt. of Southill. He *d. s. p.* 14th January, 1704-5, and was *s.* by his great nephew,

Lytton Strode, esq. of Knebworth, (refer to issue of Judith, second daughter of the Sir Rowland Lytton, who *d.* in 1674) who upon inheriting, assumed the surname of Lytton. Mr. Strode-Lytton wedded Bridget, daughter of Richard Mostyn, esq. of Penbeddw, by Charlotte Digby, granddaughter of the celebrated Sir Kenelm Digby, but dying *s. p.* in 1710, he was *s.* by his first cousin,

William Robinson, (second son of William Robinson, esq. of Guersfelt, *see note*). This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of Giles Heysham, esq. of Staghenhoe, Herts, and had issue,

Lytton-Robinson, *d. v. p.* 1717.

William, who also predeceased his father in 1724.

John, successor.

Elizabeth.

Fanny, *d.* in 1730.

Anne-Jane, *d.* unmarried.

Barbara, *m.* to William Warburton, esq. of Yarrow, in the Queen's county, (a younger branch of the ancient family of Warburton, baronets of Ardley, in Cheshire) and had issue, a son,

Richard Warburton, of whom presently, as heir to his uncle,

John Robinson Lytton, esq.

Mr. Robinson Lytton, who served the office of sheriff of Herts, *d.* in 1732, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

John Robinson Lytton, esq. of Knebworth, who *m.* Leonora, daughter and heiress of Humphrey Brereton, esq. of Borras, in Denbighshire. He *d.* in 1762, and was *s.* by his nephew,

Richard Warburton, esq. who, upon inheriting Knebworth, assumed the surname of Lytton. This gentleman, the intimate friend of Dr. Parr, of Sir William Jones, and of Dr. Johnson, was a member of the Greek Club, and one of the most erudite scholars of his age. He *d.* in 1810, leaving by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Paul Jodrell, esq. of Lewkner, in Oxfordshire, an only daughter and heiress,

Elizabeth-Barbara, relict of General Bulwer, of Heydon, and present possessor of Knebworth.

Arms—Ermine, on a chief indented, az. three ducal coronets or.

*** "This gentleman," says Lacey's Nobility, "beareth ermine in chief indented of the thrones three crowns angelicall, this field is ermine, the attires of sapience appropried to Mercury and Minerva, patrons of arts and sciences; others will have them Hermines and Ermines, that they should represent the statues of the deceased Nobile, erected at the burial of the old Roman gentleman, for the propagating of their honor and fame to their posterities, the chief of this coat is adorned with crowns, a worthy gift of a sovereigne to his subjects, representing authority and power in the bearer, the number is three, which signifies with armorists, sufficiency, but commonly three perfections, they are of gold, the purest of mettals, they beene flowrie to illustrate the prosperous estate of the bearer, and his family.—I wish the bearer hereof to flourish among gentlemen, even as the lily among the flowers of the field—this is the coate armor of Rowland Lytton, in the county of Hertford, esq."

Estates—In Herts, possessed since the reign of Henry VII.

Seat—Knebworth Park, Herts.

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liam Lytton, of Knebworth, and had a son,

William Robinson, who eventually inherited the Lytton estates.

Margaret, *m.* to Sir George Strode, and had a son,

Lytton Strode, who *s.* to the Lytton estates.

II. William.

The last heir male of the Robinsons was drowned along with ten other gentlemen (heads of the chief houses of Mona) by crossing to the isle of Skerries, (his own property) in a stormy sea.

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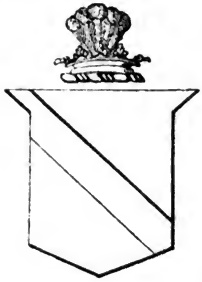
SCROOPE, OF DANBY.

SCROOPE, SIMON-THOMAS, esq. of Danby-upon-Yore, in the county of York, *m.* 3rd March, 1789, Catherine, eldest daughter of Edward Meynell, esq. of Kilvington and Yarm, in the same shire, and has issue,



SIMON-THOMAS, *b.* 17th April, 1790, *m.* in 1821, Mary, eldest daughter of John Jones, esq. of Llanarth Court, in Monmouthshire, and has, with other issue, a son and heir, SIMON-THOMAS.
Edward Gerard, *b.* 5th January, 1796.
Henry, *b.* 13th October, 1798.
Frederick, *b.* 25th December, 1801.
Charles-George, *b.* 21st March, 1805.
Catherine-Dorothy, *m.* in 1826, to Anthony-George Wright, esq. of Waltons, in Essex, and has issue.
Anne-Clementia.
Frances.
Mary-Barbara, who *d.* unmarried in 1797.

Mr. Scroope succeeded his father 3rd January, 1788.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the once eminent family of LE SCROPE, which was ennobled in the persons of HENRY LE SCROPE, and of SIR RICHARD LE SCROPE, by *King* EDWARD III.; the former* was son and successor of Geffrey le Scrope, of Clifton upon Yore. The latter* was CHANCELLOR AND KEEPER OF THE GREAT SEAL in the reign of RICHARD II.

HENRY SCROOPE, of Spennythorne (son of John Scrope, second son of Sir Henry Scrope, 6th Baron Scrope, of Bolton, see vol. iii. p. 695,) *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Simon Conyers, of Danby upon Yore, in the county of York, and thereby acquired that estate. By this lady he had issue,

1. FRANCIS, of Danby, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Anthony Caterick, esq. of Stanwick, in Yorkshire, but died *s. p.*
2. Henry, *d. s. p.*
3. CHRISTOPHER, of Spennythorne, *m.* Margaret, daughter of — Beesly, of Skelton, and died 31st January, 1637, leaving, with other issue,
   HENRY, who inherited DANBY, and the representation of the family.
   SIMON, successor to his brother.
4. John, *m.* Anne, daughter of — Thoresby, and left a daughter and heiress,
   ANNE, who wedded Edward Topham, esq. of Aglethorp.

The representation of the family eventually devolved upon the eldest son of CHRISTOPHER, of Spennythorne,

HENRY SCROOPE, esq. *b.* 14th October, 1605, who thus became "of Danby." This gentleman espoused first, Anne, second daughter of Sir Edward Plumpton, knt. of Plumpton, in the county of York, and had an only daughter, ANNE, who *m.* Thomas Tempest, esq. of Broughton, in the same shire. Mr. Scroope *m.* secondly, Anne, daughter of Robert Scroope, esq. of Wormsley, in Oxfordshire, and had an only son, ROBERT, who *d. s. p.* He died himself in 1642, and was *s.* by his brother,

SIMON SCROOPE, esq. of Danby, *b.* in

* HENRY LE SCROPE was summoned to parliament as a baron, 25th February, 1342; in which dignity he was *s.* by his elder son, Sir Stephen le Scrope; and his second son, Sir William le Scrope was created Earl of Wiltshire.

SIR RICHARD LE SCROPE was summoned to parliament as a baron, 8th January, 1371. This was the nobleman who had the memorable contest with Sir Robert Grosvenor, as to the right of bearing certain arms. His descendant was created EARL OF SUNDERLAND by *King* CHARLES I. See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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1615, *m.* Mary, daughter of Michael Warton, esq. of Beverley, and had issue,

SIMON, his heir.

John, *b.* 18th September, 1668.

Christopher, *b.* 18th April, 1670.

Catherine, *m.* to Nicholas Thornton, esq. of Nether Witton, in Northumberland.

Mary, *m.* to Nicholas Errington Stapleton, esq. of Carleton, in the county of York.

Margaret, *m.* to John Messenger, esq. of Fountains Abbey, Yorkshire.

He *d.* 22d December, 1691, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIMON SCROOPE, esq. of Danby, *b.* 14th November, 1666, *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Robert Constable, Viscount Dunbar, but by her had no issue. He espoused secondly, Frances, daughter of Ralph Sheldon, esq. of Beoly, in Worcestershire, and had, *inter alios*,

SIMON, his successor.

Henry-Joseph, a merchant at Leghorn, *m.* Elizabeth, eldest daughter of G. Jackson, esq. consul at Genoa, and left at his decease, 6th February, 1760, an only daughter,

Frances.

Mary-Dorothy, *m.* to Thomas Strickland, esq. of Sizergh.

Frances, a nun.

Catherine, *m.* to Roger Strickland, esq. of Richmond, Yorkshire.

Mr. Scroope *d.* 28th February, 1723, and was *s.* by his son,

SIMON SCROOPE, esq. of Danby. This gentleman espoused Anne-Clementia, daughter of George Meynell, esq. of Aldborough and Dalton, in the county of York (by his wife, Elizabeth, only child of George Cockson, esq.), and had issue,

SIMON-THOMAS, his heir.

Clementia-Elizabeth-Frances, *m.* to James Maxwell, esq. of Kirkconnell, and *d.* issueless, 10th November, 1815.

Mrs. Scroope was eventually co-heir of her brother, George Meynell, esq. of Aldborough. Mr. Scroope *d.* 3d January, 1788, and was *s.* by his son, the present SIMON-THOMAS SCROOPE, esq. of Danby.

Arms—Azure a bend, or, quartering the ensigns of many illustrious families, including those of Tibetot; Badlesmere; Gifford; Marshall, earl of Pembroke; Strongbow; Mac Moragh, King of Leinster; Lacy, earl of Lincoln; Lupus, earl of Chester; Conyers of Danby, &c.

Crest—Out of a ducal coronet, a plume of ostrich feathers.

Motto—Devant si je puis.

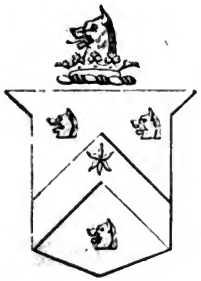
Estates—In Yorkshire.

Seat—Danby.

BETHELL, OF RISE.

BETHELL, RICHARD, esq. of Rise, in the county of York, M.P. for the East Riding of that shire, *b.* 10th May, 1772, *m.* 26th April, 1800, Mary, second daughter of William Welbach, esq. of the City of London, and of Ravensworth Cowton, in Yorkshire. Mr. Bethell inherited the estates under the will of the late William Bethell, esq. who died in July, 1799.

Lineage.



THOMAS BETHELL, or AP ITHILL, of Maunsel, in the county of Hereford, was father of

THOMAS BETHELL, esq. of Maunsell, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of George Rogers, esq. and had issue,

I. John, who *d. s. p.*

II. Nicholas, of Maidenhead, in the county of Hereford.

III. Hugh (Sir) knt. of Ellerton, in the county of York.

IV. ROGER, of whom presently.

V. Andrew, who had two sons,

1. John, of the county of Hereford, who, by will dated 26th November, 1657, devised all his lands to his nephew, Richard.

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2. Richard, father of

RICHARD, devisee of his uncle. This gentleman *m.* Joan —— and was grandfather of

JOHN BETHELL, esq. *b.* in 1659, who wedded Catherine Jay, of Dearndale, in the county of Hereford, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD BETHELL, esq. *b.* in 1687, who espoused Frances Bond, of Hereford, by whom he left at his decease in 1762, a son,

THE REV. RICHARD BETHELL, who *m.* Ann, daughter of James Clitherow, esq. of Boston House, Middlesex, and had issue,

1. RICHARD, who eventually inherited the estates of the elder branch of the family, and is the present RICHARD BETHELL, esq. M.P. of Rise.
2. Christopher, D.D. consecrated, in 1824, Bishop of Gloucester, and translated to the see of BANGOR, in 1830. His lordship is unmarried.
3. James.
4. George, in holy orders, M.A. Fellow of Eton College, married Miss Ann Lightfoot.
5. Ann, deceased.
6. Philippa.
7. Frances, *d.* unmarried.

The fourth son of Thomas Bethell and Elizabeth, his wife,

ROGER BETHELL, esq. acquired the estate of Rise, in Holderness. He died and was buried there, 22nd March, 1625. His son and successor,

HUGH BETHELL, esq. of Rise, wedded Ellen, daughter of Thomas Johnson, esq. of Bishop's Burton, in the county of York, and by her (who *d.* 26th September, 1648) had issue,

HUGH (Sir), of Rise, who received the honor of knighthood, 29th October, 1658. This gentleman served the office of high sheriff for Yorkshire in 1652. He *m.* Mary, sister and coheiress of Thomas Michelburn, esq. of Carlton, in Yorkshire, and had an only son,

HUGH BETHELL, esq. of Rise, who wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir John Dawney, knt. and died in 1677, leaving no surviving issue.

John.

The second son,

JOHN BETHELL, esq. of the county of York, espoused Mary, daughter of Richard Hildyard, esq. and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

HUGH BETHELL, esq. who married first, Mary, daughter of Edward Skinner, esq. of Thornton, in the county of Lincoln, and had by her a daughter, Mary, wife of William Somerville. He wedded secondly, Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of William Dickenson, esq. of Walton Abbey, in the county of York, by whom he left at his decease in 1716, a son and heir,

HUGH BETHELL, esq. of Rise and Walton Abbey, high-sheriff of Yorkshire in 1734. This gentleman wedded Ann, daughter of Sir John Coke, bart. of Bramhill, by his wife Alice, daughter of Sir Humphrey Monnoux, bart. of Wootton, and dying in 1752, was *s.* by his son,

HUGH BETHELL, esq. of Rise, high-sheriff of Yorkshire in 1761, who died unmarried 8th May, 1772, when the estates passed to his brother,

WILLIAM BETHELL, esq. of Rise, who served the office of sheriff in 1780. This gentleman espoused Charlotte, daughter of Ralph Pennyman, esq. but dying without issue, 25th July, 1799, devised his estates to his kinsman, the present RICHARD BETHELL, esq. of Rise, M. P. for the East Riding of Yorkshire.

Arms—Ar. on a chevron, between three boars' heads, couped sa. an estoile or.

Crest—Out of a ducal coronet or, a boar's head couped sa.

Estates—At RISE, WALTON, and various townships in the East Riding of Yorkshire. The first of the Bethells who possessed Rise was Roger Bethell, who died there in 1625, Walton Abbey came into the family by the marriage of Hugh Bethell, esq. with Sarah, daughter of William Dickenson, esq.

Seats—Rise, and Walton Abbey, both near Beverley.

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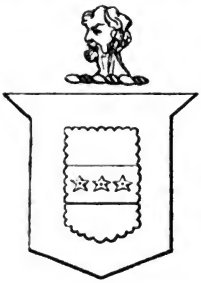
MURE, OF CALDWELL.

MURE, WILLIAM, esq. of Caldwell, in the county of Ayr, colonel of the Renfrew militia, *b.* 9th July, 1799, *m.* 7th February, 1825, Laura, second daughter of William Markham, esq. late of Becca Hall, Yorkshire, and granddaughter of his grace, Dr. Markham, Archbishop of York, by whom he has issue,



WILLIAM, *b.* 9th May, 1830.
Laura-Elizabeth.
Anne-Clementina.

This gentleman, who is a justice of the peace, and deputy lieutenant for the counties of Ayr and Renfrew, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1831.

Lineage.

The MURES of Caldwell are immediately descended from SIR REGINALD MORE or MURE, of Abercorn and Cowdams, who appears to have been chamberlain of Scotland as early as 1329, the first year of the reign of David II. The name occurs, written at various periods, More, Mure, Muir, Moor, &c.; and from the correspondence of the armorial bearings, seems to be the same originally as that of the MOORES of Moore Place, in Kent, now represented by the Irish Moores, Marquises of Drogheda. The arms of "Muir of Caldwell," and "Muir of Rouallan," being then the two chief houses of the name in Scotland, are exhibited on page 46 of the Scottish Heraldry, emblazoned by Sir David Lindsay, LORD LYON, about the year 1540. Those of Caldwell present the plain shield of the Mores, "three mullets on a bend;" while on the shield of Rowallan are quartered the wheat-sheaves of the Comyns.

The most ancient of the name on record are the Mores of Polkelly, near Kilmarnock, in Ayrshire: one of whom, David de More, appears as witness to a charter of Alexander II. The direct male line of Polkelly becoming extinct, the estate passed, by marriage of the heir female, to the Mores of Rowallan, cadets of the family, who had acquired the neighbouring estate of Rowallan, from the COMYNS, its ancient lords. Crawford, the Scottish genealogist, supposes Sir Reginald the chamberlain to have been a brother of Sir Adam More, of Rowallan, whose daughter, Elizabeth, was QUEEN *Consort* of ROBERT II. the first of the STUART KINGS; but of this there is no evidence and it appears as likely that he sprang directly from the original stock of Polkelly, and may be the same Reginald who, together with a Gilchrist More, signs the Ragman Roll in 1296, and whom Nisbet takes to be the old Polkelly Mores, "the root of the Mores, an antienter family than the Rowallans."

The paternal inheritance of Sir Reginald seems to have been Cowdams, in Ayrshire, not far from the original seat of the family. These lands belonged to him previously to 1328, as shewn by an agreement concerning them between him and the monks of Paisley, dated in that year. They have ever since continued in the family. Mr. Mure, of Caldwell, being still their feudal superior. They are next noticed in a charter of the Earl of Strathern, afterwards ROBERT II., dated 1367, confirming the previous deed of 1328. Johannes Mure, jun. de Cowdams, appears in 1446 as one of the commissioners for fixing the boundaries of the Burgh of Prestwick, and the papers relative thereto, now preserved at Caldwell, extend as far back as 1475.

Sir Reginald acquired his extensive estates of Abercorn, &c. in the Lothians and Stirlingshire, by marriage with one of the co-heiresses of Sir John Graham, of Eskdale and Abercorn; another of whom wedded Walter Steward, of Scotland; and a third, Sir William Douglas, "the Knight of Liddesdale." He obtained also, by grant from the crown, on the forfeiture of

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Sir Andrew Murray in 1332, the lands of Tillybardine. These were afterwards restored for a pecuniary consideration, by his son, Sir William More, to Sir William Murray, ancestor of the present Duke of Athol, as appears from an indenture dated 1341. Sir Reginald adhered steadily to the patriotic cause during the English wars in DAVID *the Second's* reign, and was one of the commissioners appointed, in 1340, to treat with the Lords Percy, Moubray, and Nevil, on a truce between the two nations. He died soon after, leaving two sons and a daughter, viz.

I. WILLIAM, who succeeded to Abercorn. He was one of the twelve nobles, who, in the parliament of 1357, in the name of the whole estates of Scotland, appointed commissioners to treat with England for the release of *King* DAVID II. On his death without male issue, his lands of Abercorn, Erth, Torwood, the Dene near Edinburgh, &c. passed with his daughter, CHRISTIAN, to Sir John Lindsay, of Byres, ancestor of the Earl of Craufurd.

II. GILCHRIST, who continued the line of the family.

III. Alicia, *m.* first, to Sir William de Herch (or Herries); and secondly, to her cousin, Sir John Steward, of Ralston, son of Walter Steward of Scotland, by Isabel Graham. For this marriage there exists two dispensations from Benedict XII. dated Avignon, the one, 13th July, 1340; the other, 10th May, 1341.

Sir Reginald's elder son dying without male issue, the younger,

GILCHRIST MORE, became the male representative of the house of Abercorn. To him descended the property of Cowdams.—The estates of Caldwell, in the shires of Ayr and Renfrew, he is supposed to have acquired by marriage with the heiress of Caldwell of that ilk, then a family of some note, having given a chancellor to Scotland in 1349. Crawford is of opinion that at this time the estates of Rowallan and Polkelly also came to the Abercorn line by a second marriage of Gilchrist with the heir-female of Rowallan, these, he adds, were afterwards settled on the younger children, issue of this marriage, whence the subsequent Mures, of Rowallan and Polkelly, two distinct families. Rowallan passed, about a century ago, by an heir-female, to the Campbells of Loudoun, now represented by the Marchioness Dowager of Hastings, Countess of Loudoun, in her own right. The male line of Polkelly is also extinct. To Caldwell and Cowdams succeeded

JOHN MORE, the first who is designated of "Caldwell," as appears from a letter of remission, granted Oct. 29, 1409, by the Regent Duke of Albany, to him, Archibald More, of Polkelly, (supposed his younger brother) and Robert Boyd, of Kilmarnock, for the slaughter of Mark Neilson, of Dalrymple. He was *s.* by

JOHN MORE, Lord of Caldwell, who is witness along with George Campbell, Lord of Loudoun, Robert More, of Rowallan, and others, to a charter, dated January 19, 1430. The circumstance of his name taking precedence in the subscription, he being also styled Lord of Caldwell, while the other is simply, Robert More, of Rowallan, is adduced by Crawford and others as evidence that the Mores, of Caldwell were now considered chief of the name. The next possessor of Caldwell was

JOHN MORE, whose charter under the great seal, bears date, 1476. By Elizabeth, his wife, he left a son and a daughter, namely,

ADAM (Sir), his heir.

Marjory, *m.* to John, Lord Ross, of Hawkhead, ancestor of the present Earl of Glasgow. Her effigy appears recumbent by the side of that of her husband, under an arched niche, in the choir of the church of Renfrew; the three mullets of Caldwell, still visible on the tomb with this inscription: "Hic jacet Johñs Ros miles quondam dominus de Hawkhede et Marjorie uxor sua, orate pro." . . .

He *d.* before 1492, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ADAM MORE, of Caldwell, knighted by JAMES IV. and designated in the crown writs, Nobilis vir Adamus More de Caldwell, miles. "He was," says Crawford, "a gallant stout man, having diverse feuds with his neighbours, which were managed with great fierceness, and much bloodshed."—He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Sempill, of Eliestoun, and sister to John, first Lord Sempill, by whom he had four sons and two daughters, viz.

CONSTANTINE, who predeceased his father, *s. p.*

JOHN, heir.

Hector, who was slain in a feud at Renfrew, in 1499, by John Maxwell, eldest son of Sir John Maxwell, of Pollock, and Hugh, brother of Sir John.

Robert, who had a remission granted him under the privy seal, on the 24th of January, 1500, for the slaughter of Patrick Boure, and Ralstoun, of that Ilk.

Elizabeth, *m.* to George Lindsay, of Dunrod.

Janet, *m.* to John Stewart, of Ardgowan and Blackhall.

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From a deed, by Matthew, Earl of Lennox and Darnly, dated January 2, 1500, in favour of Constantine, Mure, as from other documents, it is evident that the estate of Glanderstoun, in Renfrewshire, was acquired about this time from the Lennoxes. Sir Adam *d.* about 1513, from which date it is presumed, that he fell at the battle of Flodden, fought in that year. He was *s.* by his second, but eldest surviving son,

JOHN MURE, of Caldwell, who, on the 20th of February, 1515, at the head of his followers, took, by assault, "the castle and palace" of the Archbishop of Glasgow, situated near the city, battering the walls in breach "*with artillery*," and carrying off a rich booty. He *m.* Lady Janet Stewart, daughter of Matthew, Earl of Lennox, (and grand-aunt to Lord Darnly, husband of *Mary, Queen of Scots*), by whom he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Alexander, on whom were bestowed, in 1537, the lands of Kittochside, in Lanarkshire, an ancient possession of the family, which returned again, by his failure, without issue. They were alienated, in 1602, to Reid, of Kittochside, the superiority remaining with Caldwell.

Robert, who was slain in a feud by Sir Patrick Houstoun, of that Ilk, and six others, on the 11th of April, 1551.

William.

Archibald.

Agnes, *m.* to Patrick Montgomerie, of Giffen.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Ralstoun, of that Ilk.

The eldest son,

JOHN MURE, of Caldwell, succeeded his father, in 1539. He *m.* first, the Lady Isabel Montgomerie, daughter of Hugh, first Earl of Eglinton, and secondly, Christian, daughter of Ninian, Lord Ross, of Hawkhead, a papal dispensation for which match, as within the prohibited degree, was obtained from the see of Glasgow, in 1538. The Laird of Caldwell had (with younger children) two sons,

I. JOHN (Sir), his heir.

II. William, who received the lands, and founded the house of Glanderstoun, long a distinct Renfrewshire family, of the first respectability.—He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Hamilton, of Raploch, aunt to Gavin Hamilton, commendator of Kilwinning, and confidential minister of MARY GUISE, Queen Regent of Scotland, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Janet, *m.* to John Pollock, of that Ilk, ancestor of the present Sir Robert Crawfurd Pollock, bart.

Jean, *m.* to George Maxwell, of Aldhouse, ancestor of the present houses of Maxwell, of Pollock, and Maxwell, of Springkell, barts. the latter of which descends from Jean Mure.

The son and heir,

WILLIAM MURE, of Glanderstoun, espoused Jean, daughter of the Rev. Hans Hamilton, vicar of Dunlop, of the Raploch family, and sister of James, Earl of Clanbrassil, by whom he left, at his decease, in 1640, (with a dau. Janet, who *m.* the Rev. John Carstairs, and was mother of the distinguished patriot, WILLIAM CARSTAIRS*) a son and successor,

WILLIAM MURE, of Glanderstoun, who wedded EUPHEMIA MURE, of Caldwell, and had a son,

WILLIAM, who inherited Glanderstoun in 1658, and CALDWELL, on failure of the elder branch.

The Laird of Caldwell, together with his kinsmen and dependants, took part with the Earl of Glencairn, at the "Field of the Muir of Glasgow;" a bloody action fought between the partizans of the Earls of Lennox and Glencairn, headed by the latter chieftain, against the Earl of Arran, Regent of Scotland, in 1543. This appears from a remission under the privy seal, granted in 1553, to John Mure, of Caldwell, Archibald Mure, his brother, designed "in Hill, of Beith," and James Mure, of Boldair, for their participation in that affair. John Mure *d.* about 1554, when

SIR JOHN MURE succeeded to Caldwell. He received the honor of knighthood from King JAMES V. and marrying Janet Kennedy, of Bargeny, had three sons, ROBERT, William, and James. He was slain on the 10th September, 1570, by the Cninghames of Aikett and Raeburne, of that Ilk, the same who were afterwards principals in

* This eminent and patriotic person, was Scottish secretary to *King* WILLIAM III. and chief adviser of that monarch in his settlement of the affairs of Scotland at the Revolution. After having been imprisoned during 1684, in Dumbarton and Stirling Castles, and cruelly tortured with thumbscrews and other barbarous instruments, on a charge of being concerned in the conspiracy, for which Russell and Sydney suffered, he was set at large and allowed to travel abroad in 1685. A journal of his tour in the Netherlands, in that and the following year, with other interesting documents, in his hand-writing, are now among the family papers at Caldwell.

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the murder of his cousin, Hugh, earl of Egleton, in 1585. To Sir John succeeded his son,

SIR ROBERT MURE, of Caldwell. This gentleman was in the confidence of JAMES VI. by whom he was knighted, and to whom he was related through the Lennoxes. A number of original letters addressed to him by that monarch, are still preserved at Caldwell, some of them curious, as illustrating the manners of the times.* He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Kincaid, of that Ilk, by whom he had two sons,

JOHN, who *m.* Helen, daughter of Sir George Hamilton, of Preston, and *d. s. p.*

JAMES, who wedded Margaret, daughter of Sir William Mure, of Rowallan, and left at his death, *v. p.* four sons, and as many daughters, viz.

1. ROBERT, successor to his grandfather.
2. John.
3. James.
4. Hugh.
5. Marion, *m.* to Edward Hamilton, esq. of Silverton Hill.
6. Isabel, *m.* to John Lennox, of Branschogle.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* to Gavin Hamilton, of Raploch.
8. Barbara.

Sir Robert wedded secondly, Barbara, daughter of Sir George Preston, of Valleyfield, and relict of Robert Lord Sempill, by whom he left a daughter, *m.* to Sir William Hamilton, bart. of Preston. About 1610, the lands of Thornton, near Kilmarnock, long in possession of the family, were alienated to a cadet, founder of the house of Mure, of Thornton, the male line of which becoming extinct in 1701, in the person of Sir Archibald Mure, Lord Provost, of Edinburgh, the estate passed by his heir female to John Cunninghame, of Caddel, and is now held by Colonel Cunninghame, of Thornton, the superiority being still with Caldwell. In the year 1611, occurred the trial of the ferocious LAIRD OF AUCHENDRAIN, chief of an ancient branch of the Mures, in Carrick, whose crimes have been immortalized by the pen of Sir Walter Scott. He was, according to the fashion of the time, supported in his adversity by those of the name, throughout the west of Scotland; and when summoned to Edinburgh by the council, was escorted by the Lairds of Rowallan, Caldwell, Glanderstoun, and other gentlemen of rank connected with them. They abandoned him afterwards, however, when upon a fuller investigation, the infamy of his character was displayed in its true colours. The Laird of Caldwell when cited for having knowingly harboured and concealed an accomplice, or an important witness for the prosecutor pleaded that he could not be expected to do otherwise, in the case of a clansman, and this excuse was deemed sufficient. Sir Robert was *s.* at his decease by his grandson,

ROBERT MURE, of Caldwell, who was served heir to his grandfather in 1617. He *m.* Jean, daughter of Uchtred Knox, of Ramphorlie, and had issue,

ROBERT, JAMES, WILLIAM, } successively "of Caldwell."

Euphemia, *m.* to William Mure, of Glanderstoun, and had a son,

WILLIAM, of whom presently, as representative of the family.

Robert Mure, it seems, fell in battle about 1640: for in August, 1641, the marriage of the Laird of Caldwell, "whose father died in his country's service," is ordered by the parliament to be passed gratis. Hence it would appear that he was one of the few Scotchmen who perished in the only military transaction of that period, the first revolutionary campaign against CHARLES I. which ended in the rout of the English army at Newburn. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT MURE, of Caldwell, who *d.* in 1644, and was *s.* by his younger brother,

JAMES MURE, of Caldwell, at whose decease, without issue, in 1654, the estates devolved upon his brother,

WILLIAM MURE, of Caldwell, who espoused, in 1655, Barbara, daughter of Sir William Cunninghame, of Cunninghame-

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* The following is one of these interesting documents.

To our richt traist freind the Laird of Caldwell.

Richt traist freind we greit you hartlie well. Having disponit the esheatie of James and Mr. Williame Hallis sonis to umquhill Adam Hall of Fulbar denuncet our Rebellis and fugitives from our lawis for the lait slauchter of umquhill Johnne Montgomerie of Scottistunn. In favour of our servitours Johnne Steuart of Roisland and Williame Steuart vallat of our Chalmer. We understand the principale thing belonging our saids Rebellis to consist in certane byrun annellis restand awand by our traist cusing the Lord Ross of Halkett of the sowme of ane thowsand punds. And knawing that your gude advise and moyane may work meikle at the handis of our said Cusing quhom with ye ar sa tender and freindlie. We have taikin occasionn verray ernistlie and effectuouslie to requeist you that ye will perswad and move our said cusing sa far as in you lyes to mak pament to our saidis servitours of the byrun annellis of the said sowme as ye will do wa verray thankfull and acceptable pleasour. Sa luiking that ye will endevore all the gude meanis ye can in furtherance of our servitours herein for our cause and resting to your ansour quhat we may luik for thareanent. We comit you to God from Falkland the 29th day of Maij 1591.

JAMES R.

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head. This laird, and a few other west country gentlemen, favourable to the cause of civil and religious liberty, met in arms at Chitterfleet, near Caldwell, on the 28th November, 1666; whence a troop of horse, consisting chiefly of the tenantry of that and the neighbouring properties, set out, under his command, to join the covenanters, who had recently risen in Dumfriesshire, and marched upon Edinburgh. But finding themselves intercepted by the king's troops, and hearing, by the way, of the defeat of the whig army at Pentland, they dispersed. Caldwell was attainted, fled to Holland, and died in exile. His estates, on forfeiture, were granted to the celebrated general Dalzell. His lady was imprisoned with two of her daughters, in Blackness Castle, and underwent much cruel persecution, described by Wodrow, the historian of the period. Of Caldwell's three daughters, Jane, the eldest, wedded Colonel John Erskine, of Carnock, but left no issue. Anne, the youngest, died during the prosecution of the family, while

BARBARA MURE, the second daughter, lived to obtain by special act of parliament, (on the 19th July, 1690) a full restitution of her patrimonial estates. She *m.* John Fairlie, of that Ilk, but dying without issue, was *s.* by her kinsman,

WILLIAM MURE, fourth laird of Glanderstoun, (refer to issue of WILLIAM, second son of the JOHN MURE, who inherited Caldwell in 1539.) This gentleman became, by failure of the elder branch, heir male of line to Caldwell, and heir direct in right of his mother, Euphemia, sister of the last unfortunate laird. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir George Mowat, bart. of Inglestoun, but dying without issue, was *s.* by his nephew,

WILLIAM MURE, eldest of eighteen children of James Mure, esq.* of Rhoddens, in Ireland. He *m.* in 1710, Anne, daughter of James Stewart, bart. of Goodtres and Coltness, Lord Advocate of Scotland, by whom he had, with three younger daughters,

WILLIAM, his heir.
James, who *d.* young.
Agnes, *m.* to the Hon. Patrick Boyle, of Shewalton, brother of the Earl of Glasgow.

William Mure, of Caldwell, *d.* in 1722, while a candidate for the county of Renfrew, and was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM MURE, of Caldwell, who was elected member of parliament for Renfrewshire, in 1742, and he continued to represent the county until 1761, when he was made one of the barons of the Exchequer. He exercised considerable influence in the management of public affairs in Scotland at this period, as appears from a series of confidential letters, addressed to him by members of the BUTE, and other succeeding administrations, some of which throw light on the political intrigues of the day.—These, with other letters, from various eminent literary characters of his time, HUME, ROBERTSON, &c. with whom he was in habits of close intimacy, are still preserved at Caldwell. He *m.* Katherine, daughter of James Graham, Lord Easdale, of the court of session, by whom he left two sons and four daughters, viz.

WILLIAM, his successor.
James, of Cecil Lodge, Herts, who *m.* Frederica, daughter of Christopher Metcalfe, esq. of Hasted, in Suffolk, and has issue, three sons and four daughters, the eldest of the latter, Frederica, wedded Colonel George Horatio Broke, brother of Sir Philip Broke, G.C.B.
Katherine, *m.* to J. Rennie, esq. of Leith, merchant, and had issue.
Anne.
Margaret.
Elizabeth.

To Baron Mure succeeded, in 1776, his eldest son,

COLONEL WILLIAM MURE, of Caldwell, who served on the staff, under Lord Cornwallis, in the American war, where he was wounded and taken prisoner. He subsequently commanded, during the late war, the West Lowland Fencibles, and Renfrew Militia, and was, for many years previous to his death, vice-lieutenant of the county of Renfrew. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Sir James Hunter Blair, bart. of Dunskey, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
James, lieutenant R.N. who *d.* in Aug. 1831
David, advocate at the Scottish bar.
Robert.
Jane, *m.* to the Honorable Lieutenant General Sir Charles Colville, G.C.B. brother to Lord Colville, and has two sons and three daughters.
Katherine.
Elizabeth.
Clementina, deceased.
Jemima.
Anne, deceased.
Sophia, *d.* young.

Colonel Mure *d.* 9th Feb. 1831, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM MURE, esq. of Caldwell.

* Of the remaining children of James Mure, of Rhoddens, two, Colonel George and Captain Alexander, were wounded at the battle of Fontenoy. A third was Hutchinson Mure, Esq. of Saxham Hall, near Bury St. Edmunds, a merchant in London. The descendants of both George and Hutchinson are now settled in the county of Suffolk.

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Arms—Arg. on a bend, az. three mullets of the first; within a border, engrailed gu.

Crest—A Saracen's head.

Motto—Duris non frangor.

Estates—The family possessions are now concentrated round the place of Caldwell, by the sale of several detached properties, Glanderstoun, Capelrig, &c. and the purchase by Baron Mure of other lands contiguous. They are situated, partly in Ayrshire, partly in Renfrewshire, and in the parishes of Beith, Dunlop, and Neilston, and comprise a surface of about 5000 imperial acres, of which about 500 are covered with wood, chiefly well-grown timber; the remainder, with trifling exceptions, arable land of good quality, well enclosed and cultivated. The husbandry chiefly confined to dairy produce. A valuable coal is worked on the banks of a small lake, called Lochlibo; and the property abounds with good lime and freestone. The superiorities of Cowdams, Thornton, Kittochside, and some other old possessions, still remain with the family.—The old castle of Caldwell, situated on a rocky eminence, in the county of Renfrew, went to decay on the forfeiture in 1606, and is described as a ruin by topographers in 1690. Nothing now remains but one square tower. The present mansion house was built by Baron Mure, in the middle of last century, after a plan of the architect, Adam, and is large and commodious. It is situated a mile to the west of the old residence, in the parish of Beith and county of Ayr, and is distant 14 miles from Glasgow, 9 from Paisley, and 12 from Kilmarnock.

Seat---Caldwell.

COHAM, OF COHAM.

COHAM, THE REV. WILLIAM-BICKFORD, of Coham, in the county of Devon, *m.* 17th April, 1827, Augusta-Mary, eldest daughter of Joseph Davie Basset, esq. of Heanton Court, and of Watermouth, in the same shire, and has issue,

WILLIAM-HOLLAND-BICKFORD.
Arscott-Bickford.
Mary-Basset-Eleanora.
Augusta-Christiana.

Mr. Coham, who is a magistrate for Devonshire, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1825.

Lineage.

The mansion house at Coham having been destroyed by fire in the reign of *Queen* ANNE, and the family records lost in the conflagration, we have now traditional authority alone for the early abode of the Cohams on their patrimonial estate, but *that* establishes the fact beyond doubt, and proves their residence there since the CONQUEST. In the registers of the parish which commenced in 1520, we find the name of

STEPHEN COHAM, of Coham, who was *s.* by his son,

STEPHEN COHAM, of Coham, father of

LEWIS COHAM, of Coham, esq. living in the beginning of the seventeenth century To this gentleman succeeded his son,

LEWIS COHAM, esq. of Coham, who wedded, in 1669, Mary, daughter of John Arscott, esq. of Tetcott, near Holsworthy, in Devon, by Gertrude, his wife, daughter of Sir Shilston Calmady, and had three sons and two daughters, viz.

1. STEPHEN, his heir.
2. John, who settled at Bovacott, in the parish of Bradford. He *m.* Margaret, second daughter and co-heiress of William Holland, esq. of Upcott Avenel, and had an only son,
   Arthur, in holy orders, archdeacon of Wilts, rector of Pottern, in

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that shire, and of Chiswick, Middlesex, who *m.* Grace Anne, dau. of Plukenett Woodruffe, esq. of Chiswick, and had two sons, who both died *s. p.* and two daughters, Isabella-Anne, *m.* to Richard Nowell, esq. and Eliza-Jane, *m.* to George Hardisty, esq. of Twickenham.

3. Arthur, who *m.* a daughter of — Burdon, esq. of Burdon, and settled at Holsworthy, Devon, where his descendants continue to reside.
4. Mary, *m.* to Benoni Bampfylde, esq. of Poltimore.
5. Gertrude, *m.* to Clement Gay, esq. related to Gay the poet.

The eldest son and heir,

STEPHEN COHAM, esq. of Coham, espoused, in the 5th of *Queen* ANNE, Mary, dau. and co-heiress of William Holland,* esq. of Upcott Avenel, in Devon (lineally descended from JOHN, fourth son of Robert, Lord Holland, by Maude, his wife, one of the daughters and co-heiresses of Alan le Zouch, of Ashby), and thus acquired that estate. About this time, COHAM, as before mentioned, was destroyed by fire, and the family, in consequence, removed to their seat at Upcott Avenel. By the heiress of Holland, Mr. Coham had two sons,

LEWIS, his heir.

Holland, in holy orders, rector of Northlew, in Devon, who *m.* Christian, daughter of the Rev. James Silke, of Bedminster, and had issue,

STEPHEN, successor to his uncle.

WILLIAM-HOLLAND, heir to his brother.

The elder son,

LEWIS COHAM, esq. of Upcott Avenel, rebuilt the mansion of COHAM. He *m.* Lucretia, daughter and co-heiress of — Barnfield, esq. of Mambury and Great Torrington, Devon, but dying without issue in 1778, the estates devolved upon his nephew,

STEPHEN COHAM, esq. of Coham and Upcott Avenel, at whose decease unmarried in 1786, the representation and possessions of the family devolved upon his brother

THE REV. WILLIAM-HOLLAND COHAM, of Coham and Upcott Avenel. This gentleman wedded in 1790, Mary, daughter and eventually sole heiress of George Bickford, esq. of Dunsland and Arscott, both in the county of Devon (see family of BICKFORD, of Dunsland at foot), and had issue,

WILLIAM-BICKFORD, his heir.

George-Lewis, of Upcott Avenel, a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of the county of Devon.

Holland, a graduate of Trinity College, Cambridge.

Mary-Anne.

Christiana.

Mr. Coham died 15th March, 1825, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present *Rev.* WILLIAM-BICKFORD COHAM, of Coham.

FAMILY OF BICKFORD.

DUNSLAND or DONESLAND is said in Doomsday Book† to be holden by one CA-

* The family of HOLLAND, one of the most ancient and illustrious in England, derived its descent from ROBERT DE HOLAND, a gallant soldier in the Scottish wars of EDWARD I. who obtained large territorial grants from the crown, and was summoned to parliament as a BARON, in the 8th of EDWARD II. His lordship joining the insurrection of Thomas, Earl of Lancaster, suffered decapitation in 1328. He had wedded (as stated in the text) Maude, one of the daughters and coheirs of Alan, Lord Zouch, by whom he had with three elder sons,

JOHN DE HOLAND, who married Elinor, daughter and heir of Sir Andrew de Metated, of Upcott Avenel, in the county of Devon, by his wife, the heiress of BATHE, of Weare, and thus acquired that estate; where this branch of the Holland family have ever since resided. This John de Holland having made an avowry in certain lands, it was pleaded against him that the lands, then in question, were seized unto the king's hands, because that Robert de Holand, father of the said John, did aid and assist Thomas, Earl of Lancaster, against King EDWARD II. (lib. 3rd of Edward III. folio 10th.) He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS HOLLAND, of Upcott Avenel, living temp. EDWARD III. who espoused Lucy, daughter and heiress of John de Holsworthy; and from this alliance lineally sprang, through a long line of eminent progenitors,

WILLIAM HOLLAND, esq. of Upcott Avenel, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Bartholomew Thorne, esq. of Thorne, by his wife, a daughter of Henry Rolle, esq. of Heanton Sackville, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM HOLLAND, esq. of Upcott Avenel. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter of — Fortescue, esq. of Buckland Filleigh, by whom he left at his decease, a son and successor,

WILLIAM HOLLAND, esq. of Upcott Avenel, who *m.* in 1682, Joan Stafford, of Stafford, and left at his decease, two daughters, viz.

MARY, who wedded (as in the text) STEPHEN COHAM, esq. of Coham.

Margaret, *m.* to John Coham, esq.

† "Cadio holds of Baldwin, Donesland; Uluric held it in the reign of King EDWARD (the Confessor), and was rated for half a yard of land. The land which is there consists of four plough lands, with one servant, and six villeins, and four borderers. There are twenty acres of meadow, and as many of pasture, and four acres of wood. This was formerly worth thirty shillings; at present it is worth twenty-five shillings."—*Translated from Doomsday Book.*

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DYHO. It continued in that family, which was sometimes styled de Donesland, until the reign of HENRY IV. when

THOMAZIN CADYHO, espousing John Dabernon, conveyed to him that estate. Their son,

JOHN DABERNON, left at his decease a daughter and heiress, JOAN, who espousing John Batten, conveyed to him the estate of Dunsland, and was mother of ROBERT BATTEN, who wedded Jane, daughter of Walrond, of Bovey, and had a son and heir,

HUMPHREY BATTEN, who married Catherine Carminowe, and left at his decease an only daughter and heiress,

PHILIPPA BATTEN, who wedded John Arscott, esq. of Arscott, in the county of Devon. The great great grandson of this marriage,

JOHN ARSCOTT, esq. of Arscott and Dunsland, espoused Mary, daughter of — Monke,* esq. of Potheridge, and was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

ARTHUR ARSCOTT, esq. of Arscott and Dunsland, who *m.* the daughter of — Yeo, of Petherwin, and died in 1662, leaving an only daughter and heiress,

GRACE ARSCOTT, of Dunsland, who wedded WILLIAM BICKFORD, esq. of Bickford Town, in Devon, and of St. Kevern, in Cornwall, and left (with a daughter, Elizabeth, who *m.* Henry Rowland, esq.) a son and heir,

ARSCOTT BICKFORD, esq. of Dunsland, who *m.* first, Mary Parker, of Boringdon; and secondly, in 1683, Bridget, sister of the celebrated Dean Prideaux, and second daughter of Edmund Prideaux,† esq. of Prideaux Place, in Cornwall, by Bridget, his wife, daughter of John Moyle, esq. of Bake, in the county of Cornwall. By his second lady he had a son and heir,

WILLIAM BICKFORD, esq. of Dunsland. This gentleman *m.* first, Bridget, daughter of — Tremayne, esq. of Sydenham; secondly, Damaris, daughter and heiress of Edward Hoblyn, esq. of Nanswhyddon, in Cornwall; and thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of — Richards, esq. of Okehampton. He was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

ARSCOTT BICKFORD, esq. of Dunsland, at whose demise unmarried, the estates devolved upon his brother,

GEORGE BICKFORD, esq. of Dunsland, who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Palfreyman, esq. of Molland, and had surviving issue,

ARSCOTT, his heir.

MARY, who wedded (as before stated) the Rev. WILLIAM-HOLLAND COHAM, of Coham; and is the present possessor of DUNSLAND.

Mr. Bickford was *s.* at his death, by his son,

ARSCOTT BICKFORD,* esq. of Dunsland, a captain in the 7th Dragoons, who died unmarried, in 1817, and the family estates devolved upon his only surviving sister, the present MRS. COHAM, of *Dunsland.*

Arms—Az. a lion rampant, between three fleur-de-lys, or.

Crest—A plume of straight ostrich feathers, issuing out of a ducal coronet.

Motto—Fuimus et sub Deo erimus.

Quarterings—HOLLAND, METSTED, BICKFORD, and ARSCOTT.

Estates—In Devon.

Seats—COHAM (anciently spelt Cohame), in the parish of Black Torrington; DUNSLAND, in the parish of Bradford: which latter seat devolved upon Mrs. Coham, at the death of her brother, Arscott Bickford, esq. and she has since made it her place of abode.

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* From the Monkes of Potheridge sprang the celebrated GEORGE MONKE, Duke of ALBEMARLE, of whom there is an original portrait in excellent preservation among the family pictures at DUNSLAND.

† Edmund Prideaux, who was sheriff of Cornwall in 1664, left with three sons (see page 204), three daughters, viz. Anne, *m.* to Richard Coffin esq. of Portledge; Bridget, *m.* to ARSCOTT BICKFORD, esq. of Dunsland; and Honour, who *d.* at Dunsland, unmarried.

* The Arscotts and Bickfords have been repeatedly sheriffs for the county of Devon.

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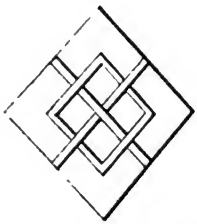
HARRINGTON, OF WORDEN.

HARRINGTON, BLANDINA, of Worden, in the county of Devon. Miss Harrington became sole heiress at the decease of her elder sister.

Lineage.



SIR JOHN HARRINGTON, of Kelston, in Somersetshire, godson to *Queen* ELIZABETH, espoused Mary, daughter of Lady Rogers, by whom he had several children. His second son,

GEORGE HARRINGTON, esq. was father of

EDWARD HARRINGTON, esq. who wedded Anne, daughter of captain Braddon, of the county of Cornwall, by whom he had a son and heir,

WILLIAM HARRINGTON, esq. who *m.* Jane, daughter and heiress of Robert Yeo, esq. of Worden, in Devon, descended from a younger branch of the House of Yeo, of Heanton Sackville. The estate of Worden came into the Yeo family by the marriage of one of its members with Mary Batten, of Dunsland, whose marriage portion it was. William Harrington was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM HARRINGTON, esq. of Worden. This gentleman espoused Gertrude, daughter of Clement Gay, esq. (related to John Gay, the poet), by his wife, the daughter of Lewis Coham, esq. of Coham, who wedded in 1669, Mary, daughter of John Arscott, esq. Mr. Harrington, was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT HARRINGTON, esq. of Worden, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter and coheiress of Richard Somers, esq. of North Tawton, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM YEO, who died young.
Maria-Anne, *m.* to William Kent, esq. but died without issue.
BLANDINA.

On the decease of Mr. Harrington, his estates devolved on his two daughters, and at the death of the elder, became the undivided possession of the younger, the PRESENT Miss Harrington, of Worden.

Arms—Sa. a fret arg.

Estates—In Devon.

Seat—Worden, near Holsworthy.

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BYRNE, OF CABINTEELY.

BYRNE, CLARINDA-MARY, of Cabinteely, in the county of Dublin. Miss Byrne inherited the estates at the decease of her sister in 1810.

Lineage.

From the earliest era of Irish History, to the invasion of CROMWELL, the family of O'Broin, O' Byrne or O' Birne, was amongst the most powerful and distinguished in the province of Leinster. It traces its descent from Hermon, the youngest son of Milesius, through Ugane More and Cathire More, two of the most renowned warriors that swayed the Irish sceptre.

The O' Byrnes derive their name from BROIN or BRAN, one of the Kings of Leinster, who defeated the Momonians in a pitched battle, and redeemed Leinster from a tax, called Borne or Boiromhe. Many other progenitors of the O' Byrnes, being likewise Kings of Leinster, distinguished themselves in the wars concerning this tax and against the common enemy, the Dane. Of the English, the O' Byrnes were at once the most constant and formidable enemies. Located upon their mountain heights in the wild and singularly beautiful country, which owned their sway, they could watch their opportunity, and at the favourable moment pounce down upon their victims, like the eagle on his prey. Thus on Easter Monday, in the year 1209, they fell upon an immense crowd of Dublin citizens who were celebrating a rural fete, at a place called Cullens Wood, and with the aid of the O' Tooles, another potent tribe seated in their immediate neighbourhood, left three hundred dead upon the spot. Henceforward over a space of several centuries we find the O'Byrnes never relaxing in their resistance and hostility to the English settlers. In 1395 Roger Mortimer, Earl of March, then Lord Deputy of Ireland, laid O'Byrne's country waste, and stormed his Castle of Wicklow. In 1414 John Talbot, Lord Furnival, marched an army through the territories of the O'Byrnes, and numerous and frequent were the forces which subsequent Viceroys found it necessary to oppose to these bold and restless chieftains. When the civil contentions in Ireland for the *first* time assumed a religious character, the House of O' Byrne acted a most prominent part, and in the confederacy which was formed in defence of the ancient faith, the leaders were the Earl of Desmond, Fiach Mac Hugh O'Byrne, chief of that family, James Eustace, Viscount Baltinglass, and one of the Fitzgeralds. The contending armies met in the defiles of Glendalough, where, after a fierce and bloody engagement, the English were routed in all points; their infantry, to the amount of 800 men cut to pieces, and the Lord Deputy, Arthur Grey, Lord Wilton, with the greater portion of the cavalry driven from the field of battle. The leaguers, however, do not seem to have derived any considerable advantage from their victory: perhaps from the constitution of their army it was not in their power. The Irish, like the Scottish Highlanders, followed their chiefs cheerfully to battle, but the blow being struck, the pressing danger or exciting cause, which had led them forth, having passed away, it was impossible to keep them in the field: they never could be induced to perform the duties of a regular campaign. This it was, which rendered futile all the victories of the DESMONDS, O'Neills, and O' Byrnes.

In 1588, when O'Neill, earl of Tyrone, raised his standard, he was joined by the principal catholic chiefs, and amongst the rest, by the head of the O'Byrnes, which daring sept, in the long and sanguinary contests that ensued, bore a most conspicuous part.

On the accession of JAMES to the throne, in 1603, all Ireland, for the first time, submitted to the English rule. The great

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northern chiefs, in common with the rest of the ancient Irish nobility, did homage; many passing over to England to render the service in person. They were well received, but within a brief period, treachery accomplished against them, that which force could never effect. Hugh O'Neill, O'Donnell, and many others were compelled to leave Ireland, as banished men; and their broad and fertile lands were conferred upon mercantile companies and ignoble mechanics. The O'Byrnes, amongst the rest, suffered severely. All that remained to them was afterwards seized upon by Cromwell, during his devastating progress through their country in 1646, and the history of the O'Byrnes, as chiefs of numerous and powerful tribes, is no longer interwoven with the annals of their country.

Charles O'Byrne, representative of the great house of O'Byrne, who was deprived by Cromwell of his extensive domains, espoused Grizel, daughter of Byrne, of Ballincurbeg, and had three sons and a daughter, viz.

i. Hugh, who, upon the dissolution of his family in the county of Wicklow, removed to Dublin, whence, after a residence of a few years, he returned to his native county, and there purchased considerable estates, amongst which was Ballinacurbeg, where he resided until his death. He *m.* first, Alice, daughter of Tady Byrne, of Coolanearle, by whom he had surviving issue,

George, who espoused Amey, dau. of James Bell, esq. surgeon general of Ireland, and dying 27th December, 1697, left issue,

1. Gregory, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Butler, brewer, of Dublin, by whom he left at his decease, 14th February, 1720, no surviving issue.
2. William, who *d. s. p.*
3. Elizabeth, heiress to her brother, *d.* unmarried in 1732.

Charles, who had (with a daughter who *m.* Bartholomew Hadsor) an only son, Emanuel, who, being educated in France, became a friar of St. Francis, and had himself confirmed by the name of Francis. Father Francis, generally known as Father Huson, died at Cornels Court, (Cabinteely) the 30th August, 1743, having bequeathed to his cousin, George Byrne, all his right, title, and interest, in the Ballinacurbeg estate.

ii. John, of Ballenclough, in the county of Wicklow, who wedded Cecilia, daughter of Garrat Byrne, of Coulanarle, and left at his decease three daughters, viz. Mary, the wife of John Byrne, a brewer, of Dublin, Elinor, of Dudley Keoghe, of Ballenclough, and Catherine, married to James Byrne.

iii. Daniel, of whom we are about to treat.

iv. Sarah, *m.* to Turlough Byrne.

The third son,

Daniel Byrne, espoused Anne, daughter of Richard Tayler, esq. of Swords, and had issue,

i. Gregory, who inherited, upon the decease of his father, the lordships of Sheen and Timogue, and was created, in 1671, a Baronet of Ireland.*

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* Sir Gregory Byrne, bart. of Timogue, wedded first, Penelope, daughter of Colonel Calwall, of the county of York, and had, with younger children,

Daniel, who *m.* Miss Warren, eldest daughter of — Warren, esq. of Chorley, in Lancashire, and dying in the life-time of his father, left a son, John, heir to his grandfather.

He espoused secondly, Alice Fleming, daughter of Randle, Lord Slane, and had *inter alios*, a son,

Henry, of Oporto, who *m.* Catherine, dau. of James Eustace, esq. of Yeomanstown, in the county of Kildare, and left an only child,

Catherine-Xaveria Byrne, who wedded George Bryan, esq. and dying in 1779, left a son, the present

George Bryan, esq. of Jenkinstown, in the county of Kilkenny.

Sir Gregory Byrne was *s.* by his grandson,

Sir John Byrne, second Baronet, of Timogue, who wedded Meriel, relict of Fleetwood Leigh, esq. of Bank, and only daughter and heiress of Sir Francis Leicester, of Tabley, by whom he had a son and heir,

Sir Peter Byrne, third baronet, of Timogue, who assumed in 1744, pursuant to the will of his maternal grandfather, the surname and arms of Leicester. Sir Peter wedded Catharine, daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Fleming, bart. of Rydall, in the county of Westmoreland, by whom he left at his decease in 1770, with several other children, a son and heir,

Sir John Fleming Leicester, fourth bart. who was elevated to the peerage as Baron de Tabley, of Tabley House, 16th July, 1826. He *m.* in 1810, Georgiana-Maria, youngest daughter of Colonel Cottin, and dying in 1827, was *s.* by his elder son, the present George-Leicester, Baron de Tabley. *(See Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.)*

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ii. JOHN.

iii. Walter, a captain in the army, who adhered with unshaken fidelity to his royal master, *King* JAMES II., and was wounded and made prisoner at the battle of Aughrim. He died at St. Germains, leaving by his wife, Darcus Crosby, a son, who went to sea and was never heard of, and a daughter.

iv. Joseph, a merchant of Dublin, who, during the troubles of *King* JAMES's reign, relinquishing business, obtained a captain's commission in the same regiment with his brother, Walter, and was killed at Aughrim. Captain Byrne left two daughters, the elder *m.* to — Gibson, esq. a merchant in London, and the younger, Elinor, married twice, but died issueless.

v. Mary, *m.* first, to John Walsh, esq. of Old Connaught, and had two sons, Edward and John Walsh. She wedded, secondly, Sir Luke Dowdall, bart. and had issue,

1. SIR DANIEL DOWDALL, second baronet, who took orders in the church of Rome.
2. James Dowdall, *d.* unmarried.
3. Anne Dowdall, *m.* to Major Alen, of St. Wolstans.
4. — Dowdall, *m.* to Simon Clarke, esq.
5. — Dowdall, *m.* to Ulick Wall, esq. of Collard House.

vi. Margaret, *m.* to Terence Dunn, esq. of Brittess, in the Queen's County, and had issue,

Daniel Dunn, who *m.* a daughter of Colonel Nugent, brother to Thomas, then Earl of Westmeath, by whom he left surviving issue, Alice, *m.* to Richard Plunket, esq. of Dunshoughlan, in the county of Dublin, and Mary, *m.* to James Hussy, esq. of Westown, in the county of Kildare.

Barnaby Dunn, who *m.* Miss Molloy, of the King's County, and left to survive him two daughters only.

Edward Dunn, who *m.* the sister of Thomas Wise, esq. of Waterford.

Daniel Byrne's second son,

JOHN BYRNE, esq. of Cabinteely, inheriting from his father the town and lands of Kilboy, Ballard, and divers other estates in the county of Wicklow, served the office of high-sheriff for that shire. This gentleman, after finishing his studies in England, returned to Dublin, and was called to the Irish bar, at which he attained very great eminence. He espoused in 1678, Mary, daughter of Walter Chevers, esq. of Monkstown, and had issue,

WALTER, who inherited from his father.
JOHN, eventual successor.
Alice, *d.* young.

Counsellor John Byrne, who added considerably, by purchase, to his patrimonial estates, died suddenly in 1681, and was *s.* by his elder son,

WALTER BYRNE, esq. of Cabinteely, who married Clare, daughter of Christopher Mapas, esq. of Roachestown, but dying without issue, 21st January, 1731, was *s.* by his brother,

JOHN BYRNE, esq. of Cabinteely, a merchant in Dublin. This gentleman espoused Marianna, youngest daughter of Colonel Dudley Colclough, of Mohory, in the county of Wexford, and had issue,

i. GEORGE, his heir.

ii. Dudley, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of James Dillon, esq.

iii. John, who, after the death of his father, resided with a merchant in Rotterdam, whence removing to Bourdeaux, he commenced business there. This gentleman, who took out letters of nobility from the French government in 1771, espoused Mary, daughter of Richard Gernan, esq. an eminent merchant in Bourdeaux, and was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

RICHARD O'BYRNE, esq. who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Richard William Stack, M. D. of Bath, and died, leaving a son and successor, the present

ROBERT O'BYRNE, esq. who *m.* Miss Martha Trougher Clarke, and has two sons, William and Robert.

iv. Francis, *d.* unmarried.

v. Walter, also *d.* unmarried.

vi. Gregory, a lieutenant in the Duke of Berwick's regiment.

vii. Daniel.

viii. Joseph, who entered the German service.

ix. Mary, *m.* to Walter Blakney, esq. of Ballycormack, in the county of Carlow.

x. FRANCES, *m.* to Edward Masterson, esq. second son of John Masterson, esq. of Castletown, in the county of Wexford.

xi. Harriet, *m.* to Anthony Lynch, esq. a merchant in Dublin.

xii. Marianne, *m.* to Adam Colclough, esq.

xiii. Anne, *d.* young.

Mr. Byrne, *d.* in 1741, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE BYRNE, esq. of Cabinteely, who *m.* Clare, second daughter of Captain Mi-

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chael Nugent of Carlanstown, in the county of Westmeath, and sister to Robert Nugent, esq. of Gossfield, in Essex, one of the Lords of the Treasury to *King* George II. and M.P. for the city of Bristol, who was elevated to the Peerage, as Baron Nugent and Viscount Clare, Dec. 20, 1766, and subsequently advanced to the Earldom of Nugent.* By this lady he left issue,

Michael, his heir.
Gregory, *d.* unm.
Robert, successor to his brother.
Mary, *m.* to William Skerrett, esq. of Finvara, county of Clare.

Mr. Byrne was *s.* by his son,

Michael Byrne, esq. of Cabinteely, at whose demise, unm. the estates devolved upon his only surviving brother,

Robert Byrne, esq. of Cabinteely, who wedded Mary, daughter of Robert Devereux, esq. of Carigmenan, in the county of Wexford, and left at his decease, in 1798, three daughters, Mary-Clare, Clarinda-Mary, and Georgiana-Mary, by the eldest of whom,

Mary-Clare Byrne, he was succeeded. This lady dying in minority, in 1810, Cabinteely and the other estates devolved upon her sister, the present *Miss* Byrne, of *Cabinteely.*

Arms—Gu. a chev. between three dexter hands, arg

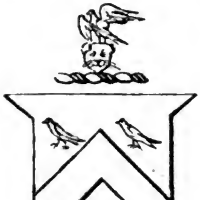
Estates—In the counties of Dublin and Wicklow, and in the City of Dublin.

Seat—Cabinteely, in the county of Dublin.

* This nobleman is now represented by the Duke of Buckingham.

AUSTEN, OF SHALFORD.

AUSTEN, SIR HENRY-EDMUND, knt. of Shalford House, in the county of Surrey, a deputy lieutenant, and magistrate of that shire, sheriff in 1810, one of the gentlemen of the king's most honorable privy chamber in ordinary, *b.* 20th May, 1785, *m.* in 1805, Anne-Amelia, only daughter of the late Robert Spearman Bate, esq. of the Hon. East India Company's service; and has surviving issue,



Robert-Alfred-Cloyne, *b.* 17th March, 1808.
Henry-Edmund, *b.* 4th March, 1809, lieutenant 71st regiment.
Frederick-Lewes, *b.* 16th October, 1813.
Algernon-Stuart, *b.* 3rd August, 1815.
John-Wentworth, *b.* 5th July, 1820.
Albert-George, *b.* 9th September, 1822.
Amelia, *m.* to James Brabazon, esq. of Mornington House, in the county of Meath.

Sir Henry Austen succeeded his father in 1797.

Lineage.

The family of which this gentleman is representative, removed about the year 1495 (temp. Henry VII.), from Bedfordshire, (where, and in Salop, it had long been established) into the county of Surrey.

John Austen was deprived, temp. Richard I. of his lands at Albrighton and Bisshton, in the county of Salop.

John Austen de Gynge appears in the records of the reign of Edward I. His son,

John Austen, obtained a restitution of the forfeited lands. The third in descent from this John,

John Austen, esq. of Toddington, died in 1487. His son,

John Austen, esq. of Toddington and Chidingfold, died in 1553, and was buried at the latter place, when he was *s.* by his son,

John Austen, esq. who wedded Joanna, daughter of William Snellynge, esq. (the most ancient charitable bequest to the poor of Guildford is by this lady, in 1582) and

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left two sons, JOHN and GEORGE. He was *s.* in 1561, by the elder

JOHN AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, who represented Guildford in parliament, in 1563. This gentleman, in conjunction with his brother, purchased of Sir George More, of Losely, the rectories impropriate of Shalfeford cum Bramley, and erected in 1600, the present residence of the family upon the site of the rectorial manor house. He died in 1613, and was *s.* by his brother,

GEORGE AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford. This gentleman represented the borough of Guildford, in the first parliament of *King* JAMES I. having been previously member for Haslemere. To him the town of Guildford is indebted for the knowledge, and consequent preservation of many of its estates and rights. Part of the plate of the corporation, and still in use on their festival days, was presented by Mr. Austen. He *m.* first, Anne, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Mellersh, of Nore, in Bramley, and had issue,

Samuel.

Joanna, who *m.* Sir Maurice Abbot, lord mayor of London in 1637, and one of its representatives in 1625, brother of Doctor George Abbot, archbishop of Canterbury, and of Doctor Robert Abbot, bishop of Salisbury, by whom she had issue,

Bartholomew Abbot.
George Abbot.
Matthew Abbot.
Edward Abbot.
Margaret Abbot.

Anne, *m.* to John Wight, esq.

Mr. Austen espoused, secondly, Jane, dau. of Robert Harrison, and heir of her brother, by whom he had,

JOHN, *b.* in 1590.
George, *d.* young.
Daniel.
Francis, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of W. Banastre, esq. of Drayton, and had a son,
George.
Robert, M.A. Fellow of King's College, Cambridge.
Ralph, M.A. Fellow of Magdalen College, Oxford.
Jane, *m.* to — Tewsley, esq.

He wedded, thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Wair, esq. and had another son and two daughters, namely,

Benjamin.
Susan.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Austen rebuilt the Friary, at Guildford, about the year 1610, and contributed to the rebuilding of the Royal Grammar School, founded by EDWARD VI. He died at an advanced age, in 1621, and was *s.* by the eldest son of his second marriage,

JOHN AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, major in Sir Richard Onslow's regiment, who served with the parliamentary army in Ireland.—He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Richard Lewknor,* and had (with a daughter Margaret, *m.* to Richard Cresswell, of Cranley) a son, his successor, in 1660,

GEORGE AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, who wedded Ursula, only daughter of Sir Philip Anstruther, bart.† heritable carver, and master of the household, in Scotland, by Catherine, daughter of Sir Edward Swift, and had issue,

John, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Symball, esq. and *d.* in 1705.
ROBERT, his heir.
George.
Edward.

Mr. Austen was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

ROBERT AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, one of the commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral, temp. WILLIAM AND MARY, and WILLIAM. This gentleman *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of Henry Ludlow, esq. of Bramley, and niece of Lieutenant General Ludlow. He *d.* in 1718, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, who *m.* Mary, daughter of R. Roper, esq. of the county of Gloucester, and had issue,

JOHN.
Robert.
George.
Elizabeth.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, at whose decease, without issue, the estates devolved upon his brother,

ROBERT AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, receiver-general of the county of Surrey. This gentleman wedded Joanna, dau. of Lawrence Street, esq. and dying in 1759, was *s.* by his nephew,

HENRY AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, who *d.* in 1786, *s. p.* and was *s.* by his brother,

ROBERT AUSTEN, esq. of Shalford, who was a munificent benefactor to the parish of Shalford, by rebuilding its church at his own expense, in 1788. This gentleman wedded in 1772, Frances-Annesley, daughter and heir of John Wentworth Nazianzen Gregory,‡ esq. and had surviving issue,

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* Son of Sir Lewes Lewknor, master of the ceremonies to JAMES I.

† Sir Philip Anstruther was also minister at Ratisbon, Frankfort, and Copenhagen, and signed as minister plenipotentiary, the treaty of Hailbrun.

‡ This gentleman was son of the Rev. Thomas Gregory, rector of Toddington, in Bedfordshire, and Haversham, in Bucks, by the Hon. Helen Thompson, eldest daughter of John, first LORD HAVERSHAM (a dignity now extinct), by the Lady Frances Windham, daughter of Arthur Annesley, first Earl of Anglesey, and widow of Francis Windham esq. of Felbrigge. Mr. Wentworth

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HENRY-EDMUND, his heir.
Frances-Ann, *m.* to the Hon. John Bedford, judge of the Vice Admiralty Court in Barbadoes, and had (with a daughter, who *d.* in 1805) two sons,
Edward-Henry Bedford.
Paul-Austen Bedford, in holy orders.

Elizabeth-Smith.

Mr. Austen died 3rd November, 1797, and was *s.* by his son, the present SIR HENRY-EDMUND AUSTEN, of Shalford.

Arms—Azure, a chevron, arg. between three Cornish choughs, or.

Crest—On a leopard's head, az. a falcon rising, or.

Motto—Ne quid Nimis.

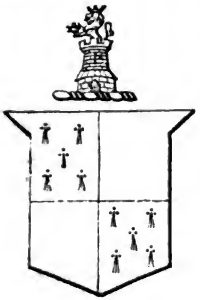
Estates—In the parishes of Shalford, St. Martha, Bramley, St. Nicholas, Holy Trinity, St Mary, Godalming, Dunsfold, Hascomb, Chidingfold, Cranley, and Ewhurst, in Surrey.

Seat—Shalford House, near Guildford.

Gregory *m.* Frances, daughter of Captain Allen, R.N. (son of Admiral Sir John Allen and Juliana Hampden, his wife, grandaughter of the illustrious patriot, JOHN HAMPDEN) and left an only daughter and heiress, FRANCES-ANNESLEY GREGORY, *m.* to Robert Austen, as in the text.

SPENCER-STANHOPE, OF CANNON HALL.

STANHOPE-SPENCER, JOHN, esq. of Cannon Hall, in the county of York, *b.* 27th May, 1787, *m.* 5th December, 1822, Elizabeth-Wilhelmina, third daughter of Thomas-William Coke, esq. of Holkham Hall, and has issue,



WALTER-THOMAS-WILLIAM, *b.* 21st December, 1827.
John-Roddam, *b.* 21st January, 1829.
Anna-Maria.
Eliza-Anne.
Anne-Alicia.
Louisa-Elizabeth.

Mr. Stanhope succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, 10th April, 1821.

Lineage.

THOMAS STANHOPE, esq. of Rampton, in the county of Nottingham, (seventh in descent from Sir Richard Stanhope, kt. temp. HENRY III.) espoused Mary, daughter of Edward Jerningham, esq. of Somer Layton, in the county of Suffolk, and had issue,

1. EDWARD (Sir) of Rampton, who received the honor of knighthood upon the field of battle from HENRY VII. for his distinguished conduct against the Cornish rebels. Sir Edward wedded, first, Avelina, daughter of Sir Gervase Clifton, K.B. by whom he had two sons, Richard and Michael. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Fulk Bourchier, Lord Fitzwarine, and had an only daughter Anne, the second wife of the Protector SOMERSET. Richard Stanhope, the elder son of Sir Edward, leaving at his decease, in 1529, a dau. only, the male line was continued by his brother (the second son) SIR MICHAEL STANHOPE, an eminent person in the reign of HENRY VIII. who obtained from that monarch, a grant of the house and site of the monastery of SHELFORD. From this Sir Michael lineally descend the present

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EARLS of CHESTERFIELD, STANHOPE, and HARRINGTON.

2. JOHN.

The second son,

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. was father of

THOMAS STANHOPE, esq. who came into Lancashire with the Earl of Derby, and settled at Manchester. His son,

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. removed thence into Yorkshire, and purchased temp. *Queen* MARY, Eccleshill, and lands in Horseforth, part of the estate of the monastery at Kirkstall. He died at an advanced age, in 1596. leaving issue—WALTER, his heir, Thomas, Beatrice, Anne, and Margaret. The eldest son and successor,

WALTER STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, in Yorkshire, wedded, first, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of John Hanson, esq. of Woodhouse and Rastrick, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Walter, who *m.* Anne, daughter of — Purdee, esq.

Richard, of Eccleshill, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Francis Allanson, esq. of Leeds.

Edward, in holy orders, *d. s. p.*

Jane, *m.* to John Robinson, esq. of Swinsby Hall.

Dorothy, *m.* to Christopher Thompson, esq. of Esholt.

Mr. Stanhope, who married, secondly, Frances, daughter of William Thwaites, esq. of Marston, but had no further issue, was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, who espoused, first, Anne, daughter of Francis Rawdon, esq. of Rawdon, and sister to Sir George Rawdon, ancestor to the Marquess of Hastings, by whom he had, JOHN, his heir, Walter, Mary, and Eliza. He *m.* secondly, a daughter of Dr. Finley, D.D. and thirdly, Alice, daughter of R. Mitchell, esq. of Arthington, but had no further issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, barrister-at-law, who espoused Hannah, daughter and heiress of L. Horseman, esq. and dying in 1694, left issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Walter, who *d. s. p.* in 1703.

Hannah, *m.* to Henry Hedges, esq. of Copgrove.

Mary.

The elder son,

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, wedded Mary, daughter of Sir William Lowther, of Swillington, M.P. for Pontefract in 1695, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

William.

WALTER.

Hannah, *m.* to H. Atkinson, esq. of Leeds.

Mr. Stanhope was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, barrister-at-law, who *m.* Barbara, daughter and heiress of John Cockcroft, esq. of Thornton, but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his brother,

WALTER STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth. This gentleman espoused first, Mary, daughter of Patience Ward, esq. but by her had no issue. He wedded, secondly, Anne, dau. of William Spencer, esq. of Cannon Hall, in the county of York, by whom he had an only son,

WALTER STANHOPE, esq. of Horseforth, and Cannon Hall, who assumed, by letters patent, on the demise issueless of his uncle, JOHN SPENCER, esq. the additional surname and arms of that family. He *m.* Mary Winifred, daughter and heiress of Thomas Babington Pulleine, esq. of Carlton Hall, in the county of York, by Winifred, his wife, daughter of Edward Collingwood, esq. of Dissington, by Mary, daughter and co-heir of John Roddam, esq. of Roddam. By this lady he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Edward, who assumed upon the demise of his grand uncle, the surname and arms of COLLINGWOOD, of Dissington.—*(See that family).*

William, who assumed, upon the demise of his relative, Admiral RODDAM, the name and arms of RODDAM. (See family of RODDAM, of *Roddam*).

Charles, in holy orders.

Philip, lieutenant-colonel in the army, and captain in the Grenadier Guards.

Hugh, a barrister-at-law.

Maryanne, *m.* to Robert Hudson, esq. of Tadworth Court, in Surrey.

Anne-Isabella-Frances.

Maria.

Mr. Spencer Stanhope, who sate in several parliaments for the boroughs of Hull, Haslemere, Cockermouth, and Carlisle, died April 10, 1821, at the age of seventy-two, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JOHN SPENCER-STANHOPE, esq. of Cannon Hall.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth Quarterly, ermine and gules, for STANHOPE.—Second and third; azure, a fess ermine between six seamews' heads, erased, proper, for SPENCER.

Crests—First, A tower az. with a demi-lion rampant issuing from the battlements or, ducally crowned gu. holding between his paws a grenade, firing proper, for STANHOPE. Second, A seamew proper, for SPENCER.

Mottoes—A deo et rege—for STANHOPE. Dieu defend le droit, for SPENCER.

Estates—Horseforth, and Cannon Hall, both in Yorkshire.

Seat—Cannon Hall.

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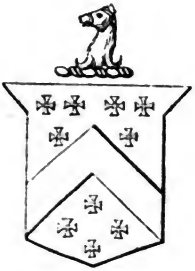
BERKELEY, OF SPETCHLEY.

BERKELEY, ROBERT, esq. of Spetchley, in the county of Worcester, espoused in 1792, Apollonia, third daughter of Richard Lee, esq. of Llandfoist, in Monmouthshire, by whom (who *d.* in September, 1806) he has had issue,



ROBERT, *m.* in 1822, Henrietta Sophia, eldest daughter and co-heir of the late Paul Benfield, esq. of Grosvenor-square, M.P. by Mary-Frances, his wife, granddaughter of Sir John Swinburne, of Capheaton, bart. and has

1. ROBERT, *b.* 8th October, 1823.
2. John-Edward.
3. Henry-William.
4. Mary-Frances.
5. Harriet-Eliza.
6. Agnes-Caroline.
7. Emily-Jane.

John-Stanford,
Mary,
Eliza,
Catherine,
} all now deceased.

Mr. Berkeley succeeded to the estates at the decease of his uncle, in 1804.

Lineage.

This ancient family deduces its descent from HARDINGE, a younger son of one of the kings of Denmark, who came over to England with WILLIAM *the Conqueror*, and fought at the battle of Hastings. His son,

ROBERT FITZHARDINGE, obtained for his fidelity to *King* Henry II. the CASTLE OF BERKELEY, wrested from Roger de Berkeley, of Dursley, a partisan of STEPHEN, and thereby became one of the feudal barons of the realm. He married Eva, niece of William the Conqueror, and founded the monastery of St. Augustine, at Bristol, in the year 1140, and was buried there in 1170. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

MAURICE DE BERKELEY, who strengthened his tenure of Berkeley Castle, by marrying, at the instigation of HENRY II. Alice, daughter and heiress of the ousted lord, Roger de Berkeley, of Dursley.* By this lady he had six sons, and was *s.* by the eldest,

MAURICE DE BERKELEY, who died without issue, and was *s.* by his brother,

THOMAS DE BERKELEY. This feudal lord wedded Joane, daughter of Ralph de Somery, Lord of Campden, in the county of Gloucester, and niece of William Marshal, Earl of Pembroke, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1243, by his son,

MAURICE DE BERKELEY, who *m.* Isabel de Credonia, and dying in 1281, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE BERKELEY, who was summoned to parliament, as Lord Berkeley, of Berkeley Castle, from 23rd June, 1295, to 15th May, 1321. His lordship *m.* Jane, daughter of William de Ferrars, Earl of Derby, and dying in 1321, was *s.* by his son,

MAURICE DE BERKELEY, second lord, who wedded Eva, daughter of Lord Zouche, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE BERKELEY, third lord, in whose custody the unfortunate EDWARD II. was confined, but being suspected of treating his royal prisoner with too much indulgence, he was required to deliver up the ill-fated monarch with his castle of Berkeley to Lord Maltravers and Sir Thomas Gourney, by whom the king was shortly afterwards barbarously murdered. This baron *m.* Margaret, daughter of Roger Mortimer, Earl of March, and from him we pass to his descendant,

JAMES BERKELEY, who inherited on the death of his uncle, in 1416, the lordship and castle of Berkeley, and was summoned to parliament from 9th October, 1421, to 23rd May, 1461. This nobleman *m.* first, a dau. of Humphrey Stafford, of Hooke, in the county of Dorset, but had no issue. He espoused secondly, Isabel, widow of Henry

* For a more extended detail of the feudal Lords of Berkeley, refer to *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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son and heir of William, Lord Ferrers, of Groby, and second daughter and co-heir of Thomas Mowbray, first Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal of England,* by this lady he had issue,

1. WILLIAM (Sir), created Viscount Berkeley, Earl of Nottingham and MARQUESS OF BERKELEY. On the accession of HENRY VII. his lordship was constituted EARL MARSHAL OF ENGLAND, with limitation to the heirs male of his body. He *d.* in 1492, leaving no issue, although married thrice, when all those honors became EXTINCT.
2. Maurice, ancestor of the *extant* EARLS BERKELEY.
3. James, killed in France, and *d. s. p.*
4. THOMAS, of whom presently.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Burdett, esq. of Arrow, in the county of Warwick.
6. Isabel, *m.* to Thomas Trye, esq. of Hardwick, in Gloucestershire.
7. Alice, *m.* to Richard Arthur, esq. of Clapham, in the county of Somerset.

Lord Berkeley wedded thirdly, Joan, daughter of John Talbot, first Earl of Shrewsbury, (which lady *m.* after his decease, Edmund Hungerford, esq.) but had no other children. He *d.* in 1463. The fourth son,

THOMAS BERKELEY, who was seated at Dursley, in the county of Gloucester, *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Guy, esq. of Minsterworth, in the same shire, and dying in 1484, was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD BERKELEY, esq. of Dursley, (named in the will of his uncle, the Marquess of Berkeley) who *m.* Margaret Dyer, and was father of

WILLIAM BERKELEY, esq. mayor of Hereford, and M.P. for that city in 1547. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of William Bunghill, of Cowarne, and was *s.* by his son,

ROWLAND BERKELEY, esq. M.P. for the city of Worcester, who became possessor of the estates of Cotheridge and Spetchley, in Worcestershire. He *m.* Catherine, dau. of Thomas Hayward, esq. and dying in 1611, had, with five younger sons and nine daughters,

WILLIAM, of Cotheridge; this branch, now EXTINCT in the male line, is represented through the female by the Rev. Richard Berkeley, of Cotheridge, *(see that family)*.

ROBERT (Sir).

The second son,

SIR ROBERT BERKELEY, knt. born in 1584, inherited from his father the estate of Spetchley, and being bred to the bar, became one of the judges of the Court of King's Bench. "As Sir Robert Berkeley," says Granger "lived in an age when the genius of the government had a strong tendency to despotism, when the prerogative had been exerted upon almost every emergency, and when the judges held their places during the pleasure of the king, he, with eleven of his brethren, gave his opinion for ship-money; and, if we may judge from the tenor of his conduct in private life as well as on the bench, from honest motives. For this decision he was impeached of high treason, and adjudged to pay a fine of £20,000, to be deprived of his office of judge, and rendered incapable of holding any place, or receiving any honor in the state or commonwealth: he was moreover to be imprisoned in the Tower during the pleasure of the House of Lords." Sir Robert was afterwards plundered by the parliament forces; and a little before the battle of Worcester, the Scotch Presbyterians, though engaged in the king's service, retaining their ancient animosity, burnt his house at Spetchley. He was thus forced to convert the stables into a dwelling, and there he resided with dignity on the wreck of his fortune.* A splendid monument to

* By Elizabeth, his wife, eldest sister and co-heiress of Thomas Fitzalan, Earl of Arundel.

* The following account of Rowland Berkeley and his son the judge, is transcribed from the MS. of the elder Habingdon.

"I rank this reverend judge next unto Lords, because as a judge he weareth often that title, and in parliament is to assist in the house of barons, from one of the antientest of which barons, (viz. the Lord Berkeley) he is descended; for James Lord Berkeley had by the Lady Isabell, one of the two co-heirs of Thomas Mowbray, duke of Norfolk, Thomas Berkeley his fourth son, who had issue Richard Berkeley, his third son (who sometime lived, and had a small freehold at Dursley, in Gloucestershire) whose fourth son, Wm. Berkeley, was father of Rowland Berkeley, father of the judge, which said Rowland being the eighth son of the said William, though extracted thus from nobility, yet seemed in the world extenuated for a while, until by God's blessing, and his own industry, he became eminent in wealth and dignity. My warrant for this pedigree I receive from the best authority which England in matters of honor affordeth.

"Now before I attende the judge to his rising sunne, I will accompanie his father to his night of death: whomme if I should commend because he was my ancient friend, and left me not (where the worlde forsooke me) in my stormy troubles, and lastly, not only refused to make a prey of my lands, being offered him, and lying most convenient for him, but alsoe instantly warned me to prevent my ruine, it might be thought that, blinded with affection, I were partial. Passing, therefore, from my private particulars, to matters more public; he was a man of very good witt, which he furnished with learning, initiate in Oxford, but chiefly gained out of stolen hours, and hardly spared from his continual business in his vocation,

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his memory still remains in Spetchley church, adorned with shields of the noble families from which he was descended. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Conyers, esq. of East Barnet, of the family of Conyers, of Sokeborne, in the county of Durham, by whom he left at his decease, in 1656, an only son and successor,

THOMAS BERKELEY, esq. of Spetchley, who wedded Anne, daughter of William Darell, esq. of Scotney, in Sussex (descended from a niece of Archbishop Chicheley, founder of All Soul's College, Oxford). Their son,

THOMAS BERKELEY, esq. espoused Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir of William Holyoke, esq. of Morton Basset, in the county of Warwick. He died in 1719, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS BERKELEY, esq. who *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of — Davis, esq. of Clytha, in the county of Monmouth, and dying in France, left two sons, viz.

ROBERT, his heir.

John, who *m.* first Catherine, daughter of Charles Bodenham, esq. of Rotherwas, in the county of Hereford, and had an only son,

ROBERT, successor to his uncle, present proprietor.

He wedded, secondly, Jane, daughter and co-heir of Sir William Compton, bart. of Henlip, in the county of Worcester, and of Hartbury, in Gloucestershire, by whom he had two daughters, viz.

Catherine, *m.* to Robert Canning, esq. of Foxcote, in the county of Warwick, and *d.* in 1823.

Jane, *m.* to Thomas-Anthony, present Viscount Southwell.

The elder son,

ROBERT BERKELEY, esq. of Spetchley, wedded, first, Anne, daughter and co-heir of — Wyburn, esq. of Flixton, in the county of Norfolk; secondly, Catharine, daughter of Thomas Fitzherbert, esq. of Swinnerton, in Staffordshire; and thirdly, Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Parry, esq. of Twysog, in Denbighshire. Mr. Berkeley *d.* without issue, in 1804, and was *s.* by his nephew, the present ROBERT BERKELEY, esq. of Spetchley.

Arms—Gules, a chev. arg. between ten crosses patee of the second.

Crest—A bear's head, couped arg. muzzled gu.

Motto—Dieu avec nous.

This family is entitled by descent to quarter the arms of many illustrious houses, including those of Plantagenet, Mowbray, Brewes, Segrave, Fitzalan, Albini, Warren, &c.

Estates—In Worcestershire and Warwickshire.

Seat—Spetchley, Worcestershire.

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by which course, joined with experience, and observations, growing to be of deep judgement, he attained to be for government such a magistrate, as that he gained love, respect, and obedience, which, if the city of Worcester, where he lived divers years, will not acknowledge, his often service for them in parliament (where he shewed himself their friend, and a good commonwealth's man) will testifye for him. Neither was he confined within the circle of this cittie, but being in commission for the county, was an uncorrupt and sedulous justice. I omit his worldly blessings being abundant, and fairly ceasing by his death, in a good old age, at his owne mansion at Spetchley, where his sonne, the judge, hath erected a monument for him, and his mother, to whose funeral having offered these ensignes. I will distribute them to his children, and chiefly to the judge, who though not the eldest yet the greatest, and inheriting, with the rest, his father's wisdom, hath surmounted him in learning, which hath beautified with oratory, and strengthened with arguments his possession of the law, whereto, as also to civill government his genius was so inclinable as that after he had been many years a chieff pilott in stearing the helm of our countie, as one of justices of the peace there, and which is rarely precedented among others of his profession, carried the staff of authority as sheriff. His majesty, King Charles, advanced him first to his service in place of one of the king's serjeants-at-law; and then as a justice of his royal bench, to determine of the lives, lands, and goods of his subjects.—Thus is he raised from a ship of our shire to be a ruler in the great argosey of England, where although his case is general, yet hath he still a particular love to his native county. Now here you see him ascending to the noon-tide of fortune; let my withered age never behold his declining, but when his sunne must by revolution of time, be set, I hope that leaving behind him an oder of good fame, he will in the end obtain a day of eternal light."

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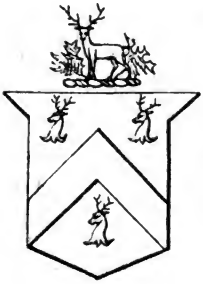
COLLINGWOOD, OF DISSINGTON.

COLLINGWOOD, EDWARD, esq. of Dissington Hall, in the county of Northumberland, *b.* 30th October, 1791, *m.* 9th September, 1820, Arabella, daughter of General John Calcraft, and has issue,



EDWARD *b.* 22nd July, 1823.
Cecil, *b.* 29th March, 1825.
Arabella.

This gentleman, who is second surviving son of the late WALTER SPENCER-STANHOPE, esq. of Cannon Hall, (see that family,) assumed by letters-patent, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his great-uncle, EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. the surname and arms of COLLINGWOOD only.

Lineage.

The ancient Northumbrian family of COLLINGWOOD was seated at Esslington, in that county in the early part of the reign of HENRY VIII.

SIR JOHN COLLINGWOOD, knt. high sheriff of Northumberland in 1544, was father of

SIR ROBERT COLLINGWOOD, knt. high sheriff in 1551, who wedded four wives, and by the third, a daughter of Heron, of Ford Castle, had a son,

JOHN COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Esslington, who espoused Ursula, daughter and heiress of William Burkton, of Burkton, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD, knt. of Esslington, a border chief of much renown, who, together with the Lord Warden and other knights and nobles, was taken prisoner by the Scots, and is thus celebrated by a Scottish minstrel,

> But if ye wald a souldier search
> Among them a' were ta'en that night,
> What name sae wordie, to put in verse,
> As Collingwood, that courteous knight.

Sir Cuthbert Collingwood wedded Dorothy, daughter of Sir George Bowes, of Streatlam, (*see page* 183) and had, with other issue,

THOMAS, of Esslington, eldest son, great grandfather of

GEORGE COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Esslington, who was attainted and executed in 1715, for joining the Earl of Derwentwater, in his rebellion; with him expired the elder branch of the family.

CUTHBERT, third son, of whom presently.

This third son,

CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD, esq. espoused Ursula, daughter of Thomas Frister, esq and had a son and heir,

RALPH COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Ditchburne. This gentleman, arraying himself under the royal banner, during the civil wars, lost large estates in Durham, by confiscation. He *m.* Dorothy ——, niece (ex sorore) of the Rev. and Right Hon. Anthony Grey, earl of Kent, by whom he had two sons, viz.

1. CUTHBERT, of Ditchburne, *b.* in 1628, who died in 1687, and was *s.* by his son,

CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD, esq. of North Dissington, in the county of Northumberland, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Robert Wilkie, esq. of Ladythorne, and was father of

CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, who wedded Milcah, daughter and co-heiress of Regi-

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nald Dobson, esq. of Barwess, in Westmoreland, and dying 15th February, 1775, left a son,

CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD, a naval officer of the highest reputation, immortalized as second in command at the glorious battle of Trafalgar, for which distinguished service he was raised, in 1805, to the peerage as BARON COLLINGWOOD,* of Coldburne. His lordship espoused Sarah, eldest daughter of John Erasmus Blackett, esq. of Newcastle, and dying in 1810, left two daughters,

SARAH, *m.* to G. L. Newnham-Collingwood, esq. F.R.S.

MARY-PATIENCE, *m.* to Anthony Denny, esq.

II. EDWARD, of whom we are about to treat.

The second son,

EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Byker and Dissington, in the county of Northumberland, was high sheriff of that shire in 1647. He died in 1701, leaving by his wife, Anne, a son and heir,

EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Byker and Dissington, who wedded Mary, daughter of William Bigge, esq. and was *s.* at his decease in 1721, by his son,

EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Byker and Dissington, sheriff for Northumberland, who espoused Mary, daughter and co-heiress of John Roddam, esq. of Roddam and Chirton, and had issue,

EDWARD, his heir.

John, *d. s. p.* 1792.

William, who died unmarried in 1740.

WINIFRED, who wedded Thomas Babington Pulleine, esq. of Carlton Hall, in the county of York, and dying in 1780, left an only surviving child,

MARY-WINIFRED, who *m.* Walter Spencer Stanhope, esq. of Cannon Hall and Horseforth, in the county of York, by whom (who died in 1821) she has a numerous family, the second surviving son of which,

EDWARD SPENCER-STANHOPE, inherited Dissington, upon the decease of his great uncle, and having assumed the surname and arms of COLLINGWOOD, is the present EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. of *Dissington.*

Mr. Collingwood died in 1783, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD COLLINGWOOD, esq. of Dissington and Chirton, who dying unmarried in 1806, bequeathed his estates at Dissington and Shipley, to his great-nephew, EDWARD SPENCER STANHOPE, who assumed, as stated above, the surname of COLLINGWOOD, and is the present proprietor.

Arms—Argent, a chevron sa. between three stags' heads erased, of the second.

Crest—A stag at gaze, in a holly bush, ppr.

Motto—Nil conscire sibi.

Estates—In Northumberland.

Seat—Dissington Hall, ten miles N.W. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

* The Correspondence and Life of this great and gallant seaman, edited by his son-in-law, G. L. Newnham Collingwood, esq. has been recently published, and is one of the most valuable and interesting pieces of modern biography.

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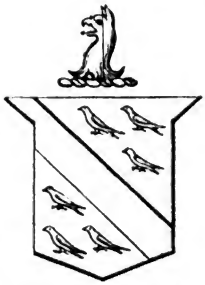
TEMPEST, OF BROUGHTON.

TEMPEST, CHARLES-ROBERT, esq. of Broughton Hall, in the county of York, and of Coleby Hall, in Lincolnshire, *b.* 21st April, 1794, succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father, in November, 1824.

Lineage.



ROGER TEMPEST, living in the reign of HENRY I. was witness to several charters cited in the Monasticon. In 1135 he had three carucates and two oxgangs of land of the Shipton Fee. He was succeeded by his son,

RICHARD TEMPEST, whose name is prefixed to the charter of Silsdon Mill, in the 18th of *King* STEPHEN. He was *s.* by his son,

ROGER TEMPEST, who paid half a mark into the treasury temp. HENRY II. This Roger was father of

RICHARD TEMPEST, Lord of Bracewell, in the county of York, living in the reign of HENRY III. who gave the advowson of Bracewell to the monks of Kirkstall. His son,

JOHN TEMPEST, of Bracewell, was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROGER TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, who wedded temp. EDWARD I. Alice, dau. and heiress of Walter de Waddington, Lord of Waddington, and left, by her, a son and heir,

RICHARD TEMPEST, of Bracewell, who, when in ward paid twelve shillings for four carucates of land in Bracewell, who died in 1305, leaving, (with a younger son, RICHARD, Governor of Berwick-upon-Tweed,) his heir,

JOHN TEMPEST, Lord of Bracewell and Waddington, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Hugh Clitheroe, knight, and had issue,

JOHN, (Sir), his heir.

Richard (Sir), of Studley, whose son, Sir William Tempest, knt. of Studley, espousing Eleanor, daughter and sole heiress of Sir William Washington, knt., was ancestor of the TEMPESTS of *Holmside, Stella, Stanley, Studley and Wynyard.* See SURTEE's History of Durham.

This Thomas Tempest was one of the confederacy under Thomas Plantagenet, Earl of Lancaster, that subverted the power of the favorite, GAVESTON, temp. EDWARD II. His elder son and heir,

SIR JOHN TEMPEST, of Bracewell, was living in the 23d EDWARD III. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Holand, knt. and sister of Thomas Holand, Earl of Kent, (the husband of *Joan Plantagenet,* the fair MAID of Kent,) and had, with a daughter Margaret, *m.* to Sir James Radcliffe, knt. ancestor of the Earls of Sussex of that name, a son and successor,

SIR RICHARD TEMPEST, knt. of Bracewell, living in the reign of RICHARD II. who *m.* Isabel, daughter and heiress of Sir John Leygard, knt. and widow of John Graas, of Gremelyne, and had issue,

PIERS, (Sir,) knt. who succeeded at Bracewell. This gentleman accompanied *King* HENRY V. into France, and shared in the glories of AGINCOURT. He *m.* the daughter and coheir of Sir Nicholas Hebden, knt. and was ancestor of the TEMPESTS of Bracewell and Tong, which families are both now EXTINCT in the *male* line, but *that* of TONG is represented, through females, by the present Colonel PLUMBE-TEMPEST, of TONG. (See family of Tempest of Tong, *page* 288).

ROGER.

The second son,

ROGER TEMPEST, espoused Katherine, daughter and heiress of Sir Piers Gilliot, Lord of Broughton Burnsall and Thorpe,

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and thus acquired these estates. He was high sheriff of Yorkshire in 1434, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, who *m.* first, (15 HENRY VI.) Joan, daughter of James Metcalfe, esq. of Nappay, and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Catherall, esq. of Catherall, in the county of Lancaster, which latter lady wedded after her first husband's decease, Nicholas, second son of John Townley, of Townley. William Tempest was *s.* by his son,

JOHN TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, who married and had issue,

ROGER, his heir.

Edward, who wedded Agnes, daughter of — Yellison, of Yellison, and from this marriage sprung the TEMPESTS of Yellison, long since EXTINCT. The property has for several years, formed part of the Broughton estate. *See Whitaker's Craven.*

Christopher.

Richard.

John.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Dineley, of Swillington.

Jane, *m.* to John Starkey, of Simunderston, in Lancashire.

The eldest son and heir,

ROGER TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, wedded Anne, daughter of Sir John Carre, or Karre, knt. of Thornton, in Craven, and granddaughter of Thomas, Lord Clifford, by whom he had issue,

I. Robert, *d.* young.

II. STEPHEN, heir to his father.

III. Leonard, of Rayne, in the parish of Barnoldswick, in the county of York, who married, and had issue,

JAMES, of Rayne, who *m.* the dau. of Nicholas Tempest, of Bracewell, and had two daughters,

BRIDGET, *m.* to Thos. Parker, esq. of Browsholme, in Lancashire.

LETTICE, *m.* to John Lacy.

George, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Parker, esq. of Extwistle, in Lancashire, by whom (who wedded for her second husband, Edward Tempest, of Yellison) he had issue,

1. Ellen.
2. Isabel, *m.* to Henry Butler.
3. —— *m.* to Arthur Tempest.
4. Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Wayte, vicar of Gargrave.
5. Elizabeth, *m.* to Edmund Fleetwood, brother to Sir Paul Fleetwood.

IV. John.

V. Margaret, *m.* to Henry Pudsey, esq. of Arnforth.

VI. Anne, *m.* to Thomas Legh, esq. of Isall, in Cumberland.

VII. Catherine, *m.* to Thomas Maude, or Montalt, of Riddlesdon.

VIII. Joan, *m.* to William Midhope, of Morehall.

Roger Tempest was *s.* at his decease by his son,

STEPHEN TEMPEST, of Broughton, Founders Trustee of Skipton school, endowed in 1548. He *m.* first, Agnes, daughter of William Lister, of Midhope, and secondly, Anne Preston, by the former of whom, only, he had issue, namely, a son and heir,

HENRY TEMPEST, living in the reign of *Queen* ELIZABETH, who wedded Isabel, natural daughter of Sir Ingram Percy, knt. third son of Henry, sixth Earl of Northumberland, and had, with other issue, who died unmarried,

STEPHEN (Sir) his heir.

Anne, *m.* first, to William Burton, of Willington, and secondly, to William Lambton, of Stainton.

Mary, *m.* to John Pulleyn, of Scotton.

Dorothy, *m.* to Edward Rede, of Killinghall.

Frances, *m.* to Oliver Breres, of Bolland.

The son and heir,

SIR STEPHEN TEMPEST, knt. of Broughton, in the commission of the peace for the county of York, built the mansion at Broughton in 1597. He espoused first, Ann, daughter of Thomas Eltofts, esq. of Fernhill, and had issue,

Anne, *m.* to Henry Young, esq. of Hebden, in Yorkshire.

Frances, *m.* to Simon Blakey, esq. of Blakey.

Isabel, *m.* to Francis Malham, esq. of Elslack.

Maud, *m.* to Michael Shaw, esq.

Jane, *d.* unm.

Sir Stephen wedded, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Henry Lawson, esq. of Neesome, in the palatinate of Durham, and had further issue,

Roger, who predeceased his father.

STEPHEN, heir to his father.

Thomas.

Richard, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Grimshaw, esq. of Clayton de la Mares, in the county of Lancaster, and had (with four daughters) four sons—Stephen, Richard, John, and Robert.

George, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Thomas Saville, esq. of Haigh, and relict of Wm. Baildon, esq. of Baildon, by whom he had (with a dau. Frances, *m.* to Sir William Langdale, of Langthorpe) three sons—George,

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John, and Francis, abbot of Lambspring.
Robert, captain of a regiment of foot in the service of *King* CHARLES I. and slain in the civil wars.
James, } who both died young.
Henry, }
John, major of a regiment of horse in the service of *King* CHARLES I. who fell at the taking of Tredagh, in Ireland.

The second but eldest surviving son,

STEPHEN TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, arraying himself under the Royal banner, obtained a captain's commission in the service of *King* CHARLES. He subsequently suffered from confiscation, and the estate of Broughton was seized upon by the parliament, but afterwards purchased back by the family. He *m.* first, Susan, daughter and co-heir of William Oglethorpe, esq. of Roundhay Grange, in the county of York, by whom he had with other children, all of whom died young,

STEPHEN (Sir), his heir.
William, who died beyond the sea.
THOMAS, who sold the estate of Roundhay, *m.* Anne, only daughter and heiress of Henry Scroope, esq. of Danby, in the county of York, and had issue,
1. STEPHEN, heir to his uncle.
2. Robert.
3. Thomas.
4. John.
5. Richard, who *m.* Miss Margaret Green, and *d.* in 1729.
1. Mary, *m.* first to William Hargreaves, esq. of Carleton, in the county of York, and secondly, to William Hardisty, esq. of Norwood.
2. Ann.
3. Susan.
4. Catherine, *m.* to Stephen Anderton, esq. brother of Sir Francis Anderton, of Lostock.
Elizabeth, } both nuns.
Mary, }
Frances, *m.* to Thomas Aislaby of South Dalton.
Anne, *m.* to Richard Grimshaw, of Clayton de la Maire, in Lancashire.

Stephen Tempest wedded secondly, Frances, daughter of Sir Cotton Gargrave, knt. of Nostell, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR STEPHEN TEMPEST, knt. of Broughton, a captain in the Royal army, living in 1670, who *m.* Anne, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Gascoigne, bart. of Barnboro. This gentleman at his decease devised the manors of Broughton and Burnsal-cum-Thorpe, to his nephew,

STEPHEN TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Fermor, esq. of Tusmore, in Oxfordshire, and had five sons and three daughters, viz.

I. STEPHEN, author of the "Religio Laici," who wedded Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Henry Lawson, bart. of Brough, and predeceasing his father, April 11, 1744, left issue,
STEPHEN-WALTER, successor to his grandfather.
Harry.
Henry, M.D. *b.* July 21, 1726, who *m.* Eleanor Jones, and died at Senegal, in 1761, having had one son, Stephen, who *d.* unm.
Elizabeth, *b.* May 23, 1715. } both *d.* nuns at Ghent.
Anne, }
Mary, who died Prioress of Ghent.
Frances, died in infancy.
II. John, who died *s. p.* Feb. 2, 1737, and was buried at Thorndon, in Essex.
III. Thomas, a colonel in the French service, who *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of Colonel George Barnewall, of Braganstone, in Ireland, and died March 31, 1763, leaving an only child,
Joseph-Thomas-Marie, born at St. Omer, who *m.* Marie-Frances, third daughter of Amable de Foevre, lieutenant for the King of France, of the town of Montmedé, and had, with two daughters, an only son, Henry Tempest.
IV. Charles, *d.* in 1768.
V. Richard, *d.* young.
VI. Mary.
VII. Elizabeth.
VIII. Frances.

Mr. Tempest died 11th August, 1771, at the advanced age of 82, and was *s.* by his grandson,

STEPHEN-WALTER TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, born 23rd May, 1719. This gentleman wedded Frances-Olive, third daughter and co-heir of George Meynell, esq. of Aldborough, in the county of York; and thereby acquired a moiety of the manors of Rixton and Glazebrook, in the county of Lancaster. By this lady (who died 14th September, 1793) he had (with other children who *d.* in infancy)

Roger, *b.* 6th March, 1752, who *d.* 1st July, 1765.
STEPHEN, heir to his father.
George, *b.* 8th July, 1757, who died unmarried, 20th September, 1779.
Charles, *b.* 3rd September, 1758.
Richard, *b.* 30th October, 1759, who *m.* Martha, daughter of John Heywood.

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esq. of Manchester, and died *s. p.* 14th August, 1792.

Elizabeth, *m.* to John Trafford, esq. of Trafford Park.

Mary, died a nun at Preston in 1798.

Clementina, *m.* to Nicholas Blundell, esq. of Little Crosby, in the county of Lancashire, and *d.* in 1821.

Frances, *m.* to Thomas Wright, esq. second son of John Wright, esq. of Kelvedon, in Essex, and *d.* 10th July, 1824.

Mr. Tempest died 9th September, 1784, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

STEPHEN TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton, *b.* 1st May, 1756, who inherited, in 1802, on the death of Mrs. Bertie, the manor of Coleby, in Lincolnshire, as heir at law to his great-great-grandmother, Anne, daughter and sole heiress of Henry Scroope, esq. of Danby. He *m.* 1st May, 1787, Elizabeth, second daughter of Henry Blundell, esq. of Ince Blundell, in the county of Lancaster, by whom (who succeeded under the will of her father to one moiety of the Lostock estates in Lancashire) he had issue,

Stephen, *b.* 8th February, 1790, who died at Rome *v. p.* 20th January, 1822.

Henry, died young in 1795.

CHARLES-ROBERT, heir to his father.

Henry, *b.* 18th October, 1795. This gentleman is next in remainder to the moiety of the Lostock estates. He wedded 5th July, 1829, Jemima, second daughter of Thomas Joseph Trafford, esq. of Trafford Park, in the county of Lancaster, and has surviving issue, an only child, Laura-Anne.

John, *b.* 12th March, 1790, who died 18th October, 1831, and was buried at the Catholic Chapel, Moorfields, London.

Walter-Joseph, *b.* 7th May, 1801, *m.* 1st October, 1826, Mary Anne, only daughter of James Sargent, esq. of Ireland.

Joseph-Francis, *b.* 15th July, 1804.

Thomas-Peter, *b.* 11th March, 1808, in holy orders.

Elizabeth, died 7th June, 1802.

Anna-Maria.

Frances-Barbara.

Catherine-Mary, *m.* 25th July, 1825, to John Nicholas Coulthurst, esq. of Gargrave, in Yorkshire, and has issue, three sons and two daughters.

Monica-Clare.

Mr. Tempest dying 28th November, 1824, was buried at Broughton Church, and succeeded by his eldest surviving son, the present CHARLES-ROBERT TEMPEST, esq. of Broughton and Coleby.

Arms—Arg. a bend between six martlets sa.

Crest—A griffin's head erased per pale, beak gu.

Motto—Loyowf as thow fynds.

Estates—In Yorkshire, the manors of Broughton and Burnsall cum Thorpe, with free warren and chace in the latter; in Lincolnshire, the manor of Coleby; in Lancashire, the manors of Rixton and Glazebrook.

Seats — Broughton Hall, Yorkshire; Coleby Hall, Lincolnshire.

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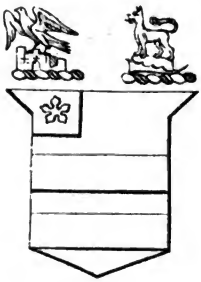
PRESTON, OF WESTDERBY LOWER HOUSE.

PRESTON, ROBERT, esq. of Westderby Lower House, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* 20th April, 1761, *m.* 4th May, 1788, Miss Janet Wilkinson, and has had issue,



Robert, *b.* in 1790, } both died young.
Thomas, *b.* in 1791, }
ROBERT, *b.* 26th April, 1792, *m.* 14th September, 1819, Ellen-Sarah, second daughter of Peter Berthon, esq. of Walthamstow, in Essex, (eldest son of the late Peter Berthon, esq. of the same place, by Mary, sister of the late John Harrison, esq. of Dennehill House, in Kent.) By this lady he left at his decease, 22nd July, 1825, one son and two daughters, viz.
ROBERT-BERTHON, *b.* 26th June, 1820.
Ellen-Jane-Berthon.
Jennette-Berthon.
Mrs. Preston wedded, secondly, 21st June, 1831, William-Robert Preston, esq. of Aigburth, in Lancashire, eldest son of William Preston, esq. who will appear in the lineage.
Margaret, *m.* to James Dawson, esq.
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Jackson, esq. of Hamburgh, and died 21st April, 1819, leaving an only child,
Mary-Jennette Jackson.
Judith, *m.* to Thomas Rodick, esq.

This gentleman succeeded to the representation of the family on the death of his kinsman, John Preston, esq. of Leasgill, 28th June, 1816.

Lineage.

The founder of the ancient and knightly family of PRESTON, whose descent in the male line alone can be traced for upwards of six hundred years, was

RICHARD DE PRESTON, who was seated at Preston Richard, in Westmorland, *temp.* HENRY II.; from him (fifth in descent) came

SIR RICHARD DE PRESTON, of Preston Richard, who represented the county of Westmorland in parliament, 17th EDWARD III. His son,

SIR RICHARD DE PRESTON, had likewise the honor of being knight of the shire for Westmorland, in the same reign (27th *Ed.* III.), and he obtained in the year 1368 a license to impark five hundred acres of land. His successor,

SIR JOHN DE PRESTON, of Preston Richard, and Preston Patrick, was member of parliament for Westmorland, 36th, 39th, and 46th EDWARD III. He had issue,

1. RICHARD.
2. JOHN.

The elder son,

SIR RICHARD DE PRESTON, leaving daughters only at his decease (one of whom, Margaret, *m.* Alan Pennington, ancestor of the present Lord Muncaster), the manor of Preston Richard passed from the Preston family through these ladies; while the Preston Patrick estate devolved upon his brother,

SIR JOHN DE PRESTON, who was one of the judges of the Court of Common Pleas, in the reigns of HENRY IV. and HENRY V. and retired from the bench in 1427, in consequence of his great age and infirmity. He left issue,

1. John, a priest, who had a grant in the 2nd of HENRY V. of the Church of Sandal, from the prior of St. Pancras.
2. RICHARD, his heir.
3. ——, a daughter, *m.* to Thomas de Ros, of Kendal Castle, whence maternally descended *Queen* KATHARINE PARR

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His lordship's second son,

RICHARD PRESTON, esq. of Preston Hall and Levins, *m.* Jacobina, daughter of John Middleton, esq. of Middleton Hall, in Westmorland; and in the 30th of HENRY VI. he and his said wife obtained from the Archdeacon of Richmond, a license to have an oratory within the manors of Preston and Levins. He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS PRESTON, esq. of Preston Hall and Levins, who wedded a daughter of — Redmayne, esq. of Twistleton, and had issue,

1. JOHN, his successor.
2. Lawrence, whose son, Henry, *m.* a dau. of --- Butler, and had issue,
   ANNE, his heiress, who wedded William Paget, first Lord Paget, of Beaudesert, K.G. ancestor of the present Marquess of Anglesey.
3. Helen, who espoused Thomas Stanley, Lord Monteagle, K.B. grandson of Thomas, first Earl of Derby. She was his lordship's second wife, and died without issue (*See Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

Mr. Preston was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN PRESTON, esq. of Preston Hall and Levins. This gentleman *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Richard Redmayne, of Harewood Castle, in the county of York,* by whom he was father of

SIR THOMAS PRESTON, knt. of Preston Hall, and Levins, in Westmorland, and of Furness Abbey, and Holker Park, Lancashire; who soon after the dissolution of the monasteries, purchased from the trustees of the crown, the site of the Abbey of Furness, with other large estates, in value amounting to upwards of £3000 a year. He wedded Anne, daughter of William Thornburgh, esq. of Hampsfield, in the county of Lancaster, (son and heir of William Thornburgh, esq. by Eleanor, his wife, daughter of Sir Richard Musgrave, knt. great-grandson of Sir Thomas de Musgrave, and Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of Sir William de Fitzwilliam, of Spotsburgh, knt. who was great-grandson of Sir William de Fitzwilliam, and Ella, his wife, daughter of HAMELINE PLANTAGENET, natural brother of *King* HENRY II. by Isabel de Warren, countess of Surrey, only daughter and heiress of William de Warren, earl of Surrey, and widow of William de Blois, earl of Moreton). By this lady, Sir Thomas Preston had issue,

I. JOHN, his successor.
II. Christopher, of Holker, from whom descended,
   Thomas Preston, esq. of Holker, who suffered considerably by the civil wars, and was one of those gentlemen in Lancashire, whom *King* CHARLES II. had intended honoring with the Royal Oak, had that order been instituted. He died 9th of January, 1678, having had by Katherine, his wife, daughter of Sir Gilbert Houghton, bart. of Houghton tower,
   1. George, who *d.* vitâ patris, leaving by Mary, his wife, only sister of John Lowther, viscount Lonsdale, an only child,
      Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Wilfred Lawson, bart. of Isell.
   2. THOMAS, of Holker, high-sheriff for Lancashire in 1684, and M.P. for Lancaster in 1691. This gentleman *d.* 31st January, 1696, leaving by Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Roger Bradshaigh, bart. of Haigh, in the county of Lancaster, an only child and heiress,
      CATHERINE, who wedded Sir William Lowther, bart. of Maske, and was mother of
      SIR THOMAS LOWTHER, who *m.* Lady Elizabeth Cavendish, daughter of William, second duke of Devonshire, and had an only child,
      SIR WILLIAM LOWTHER.*
III. George.
IV. Ann, *m.* to William Banastre, esq. of Easington, in Bolland.
V. Ellen, *m.* first, to Sir James Leybourne, of Cunswick, and had an only child,
   ELIZABETH LEYBOURNE, *m.* first,

* By Margaret, his wife, daughter of Thomas Middleton, esq. of Middleton, by Isabel, daughter of Sir Richard Musgrave, of Hartley Castle, who was fifth in descent from Sir Thomas de Musgrave and Isabel, his lady, daughter of Maurice, Lord Berkeley, son of Thomas, Lord Berkeley, by Jane, daughter of William de Ferrers, Earl Ferrers, and Earl of Derby.

* This gentleman dying unmarried in 1755, devised Holker, and the rest of the Preston estates, at Furness, to his cousin, Lord George Cavendish.

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to Thomas, Lord Dacre, of Gillesland, and secondly, to Thomas Howard, fourth Duke of Norfolk, by the former of whom she had three daughters, viz.

ANNE DACRE, *m.* to Philip Howard, earl of Arundel, ancestor of the duke of Norfolk.

MARY DACRE, *m.* to Thomas Howard, first earl of Suffolk.

ELIZABETH DACRE, *m.* to Lord William Howard, of Naworth Castle, whence the earls of Carlisle, and the Howards, of Corby.

Ellen, Lady Leybourne, wedded secondly, after Sir James' death, William Stanley, third Lord Monteagle, by whom she had an only child,

ELIZABETH STANLEY, who *m.* Edward, Lord Morley, father by her, of William Parker, LORD MORLEY AND MONTEAGLE, the nobleman to whom that notable letter was delivered, whereby the gun-powder plot came to be discovered, 5th November, third JAMES I.

VI. Jane, *m.* to William Lamplugh, esq. of Dovenby Hall, in Cumberland.

VII. Dorothy, *m.* to William Travers, esq. of Nateby, in Lancashire.

VIII. Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Cancefield, esq. of Robert Hall, in Lancashire.

IX. Catherine, *m.* to Sir Thomas Carus, knt. one of the judges of the court of King's Bench, in the time of ELIZABETH, and had, with other issue,

Mary Carus, who wedded Henry Kighley, esq. of Kighley, in Yorkshire, and had a daughter,

ANNE KIGHLEY, who espoused Sir William Cavendish, first earl of Devonshire, and from this marriage the present DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE* derives.

Sir Thomas died in 1523, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN PRESTON, esq. of Preston Hall and Levins, in Westmorland, and Furness Abbey, in Lancashire, high sheriff for the latter county in 1569. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Curwen, knt. of Workington, by Agnes, his wife, *(see page 57)* daughter of Sir Walter Strickland, of Sizergh Castle, and had issue,

THOMAS, who inherited the estates, and served the office of sheriff for Lancashire in 1585, from him descended,

SIR JOHN PRESTON, who for his loyalty was created a baronet, by *King* CHARLES I. in 1644, and at his own expense raised a regiment in the service of that unhappy monarch, at the head of which he fell in 1645, leaving

1. JOHN (Sir), second baronet, who *d. s. p.*
2. THOMAS, (Sir), third baronet, who wedded Mary, daughter of Caryl, Viscount Molyneux, (ancestor to the earls of Sefton) and left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

MARY PRESTON, *m.* to William Herbert, MARQUESS OF POWIS.*

Anne, *m.* to Hugh, Lord Clifford, of Chudleigh, and had issue.

3. Anne, *m.* to Sir William Gerard, of Garswood and Bryn, bart.
4. Elizabeth, *m.* to William, eleventh Lord Stourton.

II. Nicholas, a lawyer. *d. s. p.*

III. THOMAS, of whom presently.

IV. Margaret, *m.* to Roger Kirkby, esq. of Kirkby, in the county of Lancaster.

The third son,

THOMAS PRESTON, esq. *m.* Margaret,

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* His Graces' uncle, Lord George-Agustus-Henry Cavendish, now earl of Burlington, inherits from his uncle, the late Lord George Cavendish, (the devisee of Sir William Lowther) Holker Park, and other great estates in Lancashire, formerly belonging to the Preston family.

* And had two sons,

1. WILLIAM HERBERT, who inherited as third marquess of Powis, but dying unmarried his honors became EXTINCT, and his estates devolved under his will upon HENRY ARTHER HERBERT, esq. the husband of his brother's posthumous daughter, BARBARA HERBERT. This gentleman was subsequently created EARL OF POWIS; his son, GEORGE, *s.* him in 1749, as second earl, but *d. s. p.* in 1801, when the earldom expired, and the estates passed to his daughter, *Lady* HENRIETTA HERBERT. Her ladyship *m.* Edward, Lord Clive, and was mother of the present EARL OF POWIS.
2. Edward, who *m.* Henrietta, daughter of the Earl of Waldegrave, and dying in 1734, left his widow, enciente, who was delivered of a daughter, BARBARA, to whose husband, the above mentioned Henry-Arthur Herbert, her uncle, bequeathed his estates.

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daughter of Roger Fytche, of Cockerham, gent. and from him descended,

WILLIAM PRESTON, esq. of Cockerham, *temp. Kings* CHARLES I. and II. This gentleman lived to experience a great reverse of fortune, for his family taking up arms for the CROWN, with their kinsmen, the Prestons of the manor and Holker, his whole estate was thereby nearly wasted. He died 23rd April, 1685, leaving issue, by his wife, who *d.* 9th February, 1678,

WILLIAM, his heir, whose issue male is now extinct.

RICHARD, founder of the present family.

John, a naval officer in the service of France.

Ellen, *m.* to Thomas Parkinson, esq.

Alice.

The second son,

RICHARD PRESTON, esq. was born at the Hill House, Cockerham, 17th September, 1661, and dying at the age of sixty years, left by his first wife, Dorothy, daughter of — Dennis, esq. a son, JOHN, of whom presently, and by his second wife, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Henry Hastings, gent. of Dublin, (who surviving her husband forty-four years, died at an extremely advanced age, 7th March, 1765.)

I. ROBERT, who died 18th March, 1788, aged 74, having had by Margaret, his wife, (the only child of Robert Bouker, gent. of Broughton, in Lancashire,) who died July, 1802, aged 65, with other issue,

1. ROBERT, the present Mr. PRESTON, of West Derby Lower House.
2. Richard, who *d.* 1st November, 1820. He *m.* first, Miss Collins, and by her who died in 1806, he had four children, of whom John Robert, *b.* 16th January, 1803, alone survives. He wedded, secondly, Miss Rushton, and by her (who *m.* secondly, in 1825, William Lowes, esq. who died January, 1831,) had further issue,

Richard Rushton, *b.* 29th Aug. 1811.

Edward-Rushton, *b.* 25th December, 1812.

Charles-James, *b.* 9th February, 1818.

Isabella-Rushton.

Anne-Elizabeth.

3. William, who *m.* Miss Webster, and *d.* 16th May, 1828, leaving issue,

William-Robert, *m.* Ellen-Sarah, relict of Robert Preston, junr. esq. of Lower House.

James-Frank, *b.* 22nd May, 1818.

Mary, *m.* to Charles Wilding Jones, esq.

Margaret.

II. Elizabeth.

III. Mary.

IV. Lettice.

Mr. Preston was *s.* by his eldest son

JOHN PRESTON, esq. of Heversham and Leasgill, in the county of Westmorland, *b.* in 1690, *m.* Anne, daughter of ——— by whom (who *d.* in 1767) he had two surviving sons, viz.—

WILLIAM, his heir.

John, who had a son,

JOHN, who became heir to his uncle.

Mr. Preston's elder son,

The Right Rev.

WILLIAM PRESTON, D.D. Lord Bishop of Ferns, *b.* in 1729, fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, and rector of Oakeham in Surrey, was consecrated Bishop of Killala, and afterwards translated to the See of Ferns. His Lordship dying without issue the 19th April, 1789, his property devolved upon his nephew,

JOHN PRESTON, esq. of Leasgill. This gentleman dying without issue male, the representation of the family devolved upon his kinsman the present ROBERT PRESTON, esq. of West Derby Lower House, (refer to descendant of Richard Preston, second son of William Preston, of Cockerham).

Arms—Arg. two bars gu. on a canton of the last a cinquefoil or.

Crests—First, On a ruined tower, a falcon volant arg. beaked, legged, and belled or. Second, On a chapeau gu. turned up ermine, a wolf or.

Motto—Si Dieu veult.

Estates—In the counties of Westmoreland and Lancaster.

Seat—West Derby Lower House, in Lancashire.

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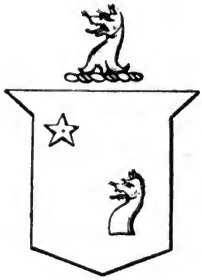
ALLIX, OF WILLOUGHBY.

ALLIX, CHARLES, esq. of Willoughby Hall, in the county of Lincoln, *b.* in 1783, *m.* in 1809, Mary-Elizabeth, second daughter of William Hammond, esq. of St. Albans Court, Kent, (see p. 132) and has had issue,



Charles-Hammond, a lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards, who died unmarried in January, 1831, in his twentieth year.
FREDERICK-WILLIAM.
William-Kent.
Wager Townley.
Mary-Catherine-Elizabeth.
Charlotte-Frances.
Caroline-Isabella.
Louisa-Margaret.
Juliana-Jemima.
Emily-Persis.

Mr. Allix, who is in the commission of the peace, and a deputy lieutenant for Lincolnshire, succeeded his father in November, 1795.

Lineage.

This family was founded in England by the celebrated divine,

DOCTOR PETER ALLIX, of Alençon, in Normandy, who was at the head of the Protestant church in France, and on the revocation of the edict of Nants, refusing to conform, although tendered a bishopric, and even an archbishopric, was banished the kingdom. It is stated that after he had departed from Paris the Government issued a lettre de cachet, and dispatched a messenger to bring back the refractory churchman to the Bastile, and that he had only just embarked at Calais when the messenger arrived there. He reached England, however, in safety, and was complimented with the degree of Doctor of Divinity by both the Universities. The Doctor applied himself immediately to the study of the English language, and soon attained therein an extraordinary degree of perfection. In 1690, he was appointed treasurer of the church of Salisbury, and he produced works of so much utility, that he acquired within a very short time as high a reputation here, as he had previously enjoyed in his native country. He was consulted by the most eminent scholars on the most abstruse subjects, and his genius was acknowledged by those whom the world esteemed not only the ablest but the most impartial judges. His sermons mark the orator—his works the scholar—and his entire life, zeal for the Protestant religion. This eminent divine espoused Mademoiselle Grand, of Berne, in Switzerland, and dying in 1717, left (with a younger son, William, who died unmarried) his successor,

THE VERY REV. PETER ALLIX, rector of Shudy Camps, in Cambridgeshire, and Dean of Ely, who married Miss Elizabeth Wager, niece and co-heir of Admiral Sir Charles Wager, first lord of the Admiralty, *temp. King* GEORGE I. and was *s.* by his son,

CHARLES ALLIX, esq. of Swaffham, in the county of Cambridge, who *m.* Miss Greene, daughter of the Right Rev. Doctor Greene, bishop of Ely, and had issue—CHARLES WAGER, his heir, John Peter, and Jane, who died in 1794. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THE REV. CHARLES-WAGER ALLIX, of Willoughby Hall. This gentleman espoused Catherine, second daughter of Richard Townley, esq. of Belfield, in the county of Lancaster, and had issue,

CHARLES, his heir.
Richard-Wager.
Catherine-Anne.
Margaret-Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. George Yate, rector of Wrockwardine, in the county of Salop.

Mr. Allix *d.* in November, 1795, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present CHARLES ALLIX, esq. of Willoughby Hall.

Arms—A wolf's head erased; in the dexter chief point a mullet.

Crest—A wolf's head erased.

Estates—At Willoughby and Marsh Chapel, in Lincolnshire, which property was purchased in 1712.

Seat—Willoughby Hall, near Grantham.

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CLUDDE, OF ORLETON.

CLUDDE, EDWARD, esq. of Orleton, in the county of Salop, *m.* 6th May, 1828, Catherine-Harriett, only daughter of Lieutenant-general Sir William Cockburn, bart. of Cockburn and Ryslaw, and has issue,

ANNA-MARIA.

Mr. Cludde succeeded his father in 1829, and is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the county of Salop.

Lineage.

The CLUDDES, or CLUYDDES claim Saxon origin, and at a very remote period possessed property in Shropshire. In the reign of HENRY I. they were seated on the lands of Cluddeley, and in the third year of EDWARD III. they acquired, in marriage with the heiress of ORLETON, that estate, which has ever since remained their principal residence.

WILLIAM CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton, was ancestor in the fourth degree of

EDWARD CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton, who wedded Anne, co-heiress of William Beyst, esq. and had two sons, Thomas and Edward, by the elder of whom,

THOMAS CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton, he was succeeded. This gentleman wedded, in 1591, the only child and heiress of John Coston, esq. of Coston, by whom he left an only daughter

BEATRICE, heiress of Coston, who espoused Coningsby Freeman, esq. of Neen Solers.

Mr. Cludde, who is said to have served with reputation in Ireland, and to have been offered the honor of knighthood, was *s.* at Orleton, by his brother,

Colonel CHARLES CLUDDE, of the guards, to whom his elder brother, EDWARD, who was admitted of Grays Inn in 1664, and died in October, 1721, made over his interest in the estate, to avoid the necessity of taking the oaths to government, to which, after the revolution, he had an invincible repugnance. The colonel fell at the battle of Landen, in 1693, leaving, by his wife, Beatrice, daughter of Wrottesley Prince, esq. and relict of Robert Bretton, esq. a son and successor,

WILLIAM CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton, then in infancy. This gentleman, who enjoyed the estates for seventy-two years, and was a magistrate for forty, served the office of sheriff of Salop in 1723. He *m.* Martha, daughter and heiress of Peter Langley, esq. of Burcot, by whom he left, with two daughters, an only surviving son,

EDWARD CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton, who *d.* unmarried, and was *s.* by his nephew,

WILLIAM PEMBERTON, esq. of Wrockwardine, (eldest son of EDWARD PEMBERTON, esq. of Wrockwardine, by his wife, MARTHA CLUDDE, sister of the last proprietor of Orleton). This gentleman, Lieut. Col. of the South Shropshire Yeomanry Cavalry, assumed, upon inheriting, by act of parliament, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his uncle, Edward, the surname and arms of CLUDDE only. He *m.* in 1781, Anna Maria, daughter of Edward Jeffreys, esq. of Shrewsbury, and had issue,

EDWARD, his heir.

William, a captain of Dragoons, who *d.* in 1809.

Anna-Maria.

Harriett, *m.* in 1807, to William Lacon Childe, esq. of Kinlet Park, in the county of Salop.

Col. Cludde, who united in his person the representation of the very ancient families of Cludde, Orleton, and Pemberton, was sheriff of Shropshire in 1814. He *d.* 25th August, 1829, and was *s.* by his only surviving son, the present EDWARD CLUDDE, esq. of Orleton and Wrockwardine. "In whatever capacity," says a writer in the *Gentleman's Magazine*, "Mr. Cludde acted, whether civil or military, or as a private gentleman, he evinced a firmness and persuasiveness, which commanded and obtained esteem."

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Arms—Ermine, a fret sa. quartering the ensigns of ORLETON.

Crest—An eagle with wings expanded ppr. preying on a coney arg.

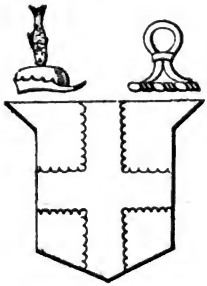
Estates—Orleton, Wrockwardine, Burcot, Cluddley, &c., in Shropshire; and Stringwern, in the county of Montgomery.

Seats—Orleton and Wrockwardine, both in Shropshire.

GURNEY, OF KESWICK.

GURNEY, HUDSON, esq. of Keswick, in the county of Norfolk, fellow of the Royal Society, and vice-president of the Antiquarian Society, *b.* 19th January, 1775, *m.* in 1809, Margaret, daughter of the late Robert Barclay, esq. of Ury, Kincardineshire, M.P. for that county, by Sarah, daughter of James Allardice, of Allardice, and heiress of line to the Earls of Airth and Menteith. Mr. Gurney was elected member of parliament for Shaftesbury, in 1812, and for Newtown, Hants, in 1816, and in six successive parliaments.

Lineage.



The name of GURNEY or GOURNAY is derived from the town of Gournay in Normandy. HUGH DE GOURNAY, Lord of Gournay and the adjacent territory of Le Brai, was one of the Norman Barons who commanded at the Battle of Mortimer against the French in 1054. He came over to England with DUKE WILLIAM, and was present at the Battle of Hastings. HUGH, his son, held manors in Essex at the survey, and GERARD DE GOURNAY, son of the latter, married Editha, daughter of William de Warren, first Earl of Warren, by GUNDRED,* daughter of the CONQUEROR, and possessed great estates in Norfolk. These Norman Barons of Gournay deduced their lineage from EUDES, a follower of Rollo, to whom that chieftain assigned the fortress of Gournay, when he divided Neustria among his dependants; they continued to retain these Norman fiefs until the reign of JOHN, when they were seized upon by PHILIP-AUGUSTUS; and another Hugh de Gournay then in possession, retired into England, and died in 1223, leaving a son, HUGH, whose only daughter, JULIA DE GOURNAY, espoused William, Lord Bardolph, of Wirmegay, in Norfolk; and thus the elder male line of the Norman Gournays became extinct.†

Two younger branches of the family continued, however, to exist after this period. The one which was the most distinguished was seated at Barew-Gurney and Inglishcombe, in Somersetshire, as early as the survey, and retaining the name of Gournay, through two female descents, added to their territory the estates of the Harpetrees and other considerable families, and became powerful feudal barons in the West of England. The most generally known of this family of the Gournays were Sir Thomas de Gournay, one of the murderers of EDWARD II. and his son, Sir Matthew de Gournay, frequently mentioned by Froissart, who died in 1406, at the advanced age of ninety-six, after having assisted at all the great battles of EDWARD III. and the Black Prince. This gallant veteran appears to have been the last male of the Somersetshire Gurneys.‡

The other younger branch of the Norman Gourneys held certain manors in Norfolk, as mesne lords under the Barons of Gour-

* BURKE'S *Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

† The arms of this family are said to have been of pure sable; but paly of six or and azure has been attributed to them, apparently without sufficient authority.

‡ This branch bore for arms, paly of six or and azure.

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nay, the capital tenants, by whom they were subenfeoffed. Of this line was

SIR WILLIAM DE GOURNAY, knt. lord of the manor of Runhall, in Norfolk, temp. HENRY II. and of Swathings in Hardingham and Hingham, whose son,

MATTHEW DE GOURNAY, obtained from Hameline Plantagenet, Earl of Warren, that nobleman's kinswoman, Rose de Burnham or de Warren, in marriage, and with her the manor of Harpley came to the Norfolk Gurneys. The grandson of this marriage,

SIR JOHN DE GURNEY, was in arms against HENRY III. at the Battles of Lewes and Evesham, but having received a pardon, attended Prince EDWARD (EDWARD I.) in 1270 to the Holy Land. This Sir John de Gurney bore for arms, "argent a cross engrailed gules;" a coat borne by his descendants ever since: from him sprang

EDMUND GURNEY, living in the reigns of EDWARD III. and RICHARD II. a lawyer of eminence, who held the situation of standing counsel or recorder, as it would now be called, of the city of Norwich. He wedded the heiress of the De Wauncys, of West Barsham, in Norfolk, at which place the Gurneys were subsequently seated. His son,

SIR JOHN GURNEY, was sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, in the 1st of HENRY IV. and was one of the knights of the shire for the former county in the parliament held at Coventry, *anno* 1404. He had no children, and was therefore succeeded by his nephew, whose grandson, WILLIAM GURNEY, is frequently mentioned in the Paston Letters. Their descendant,

ANTHONY GURNEY, lived in the reign of HENRY VIII. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Lovel, and one of the co-heirs of the Lords Mortimer, of Attleborough. The family continued at Great Ellingham and West Barsham until the year 1661, when it became extinct in the elder male line, and the estates devolved to co-heiresses. From a younger branch of the West Barsham line descended

JOHN GOURNEY OR GURNEY, of Norwich, merchant, *b.* in 1655, who embraced the tenets of the Quakers. This gentleman died in 1721, leaving, with two younger sons,

JOHN, whose descendants in the male line became EXTINCT, on the death of Bartlett Gurney, esq. of Coltishall, in Norfolk, in 1802.

JOSEPH, of whose line we are about to treat.

The second son,

JOSEPH GURNEY, esq. was of Keswick, in the county of Norfolk. He wedded Hannah Middleton, of the family of Silkworth and Belsay, in Northumberland, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

JOHN GURNEY, esq. of Keswick, who espoused Elizabeth Kett, (lineally descended from the Norfolk rebel, temp. EDWARD VI.) and had issue,

I. RICHARD, his heir.

II. John, of Earlham, near Norwich, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Daniel Bell, merchant, in London, and left at his demise in 1809, with seven daughters, four sons, viz.

1. JOHN, who *m.* his cousin, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Gurney, esq. and *d.* in 1814, *s. p.*
2. Samuel, of London, who married Elizabeth, daughter of James Sheppard, esq. of Upton, in Essex, and has issue.
3. Joseph-John, of Earlham, who *m.* first, Jane, daughter of John Birkbeck, esq. of Lynn, by whom he has two children, and secondly, Mary, dau. of Robert Fowler, esq.
4. Daniel, of North Runcton, in Norfolk, who *m.* the Lady Harriet-Jemima Hay, daughter of William, fifteenth Earl of Errol, by Alicia Eliot, his second wife, and has issue.

III. Joseph, of Lakenham Grove, near Norwich, who wedded Jane, daughter of Abel Chapman, esq. and died in 1830, leaving daughters only.

IV. Rachel, *m.* to Robert Barclay, esq. of Bury Hill, Surrey.

Mr. Gurney died in 1770, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD GURNEY, esq. of Keswick. This gentleman espoused, first, Agatha, daughter and heiress of David Barclay, esq. of Youngsbury, in Herts, by whom he had issue,

HUDSON, his heir.

Agatha, *m.* to Sampson Hanbury, esq. of Poles, in Herts.

He *m.* secondly, Rachel, daughter of Osgood Hanbury, esq. of Oldfield Grange, in Essex, and had other issue,

RICHARD-HANBURY, M.P. for the city of Norwich, in 1818, and in several successive parliaments.

Elizabeth, *m.* to her cousin, John Gurney, esq. jun. of Earlham.

Anna.

Mr. Gurney died in 1811, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present HUDSON GURNEY, esq. of Keswick.

Arms—Argent a cross engrailed gu.

Crests—First, on a chapeau gu. turned up ermine, a fish in pale, with its head downwards; second, a wrestling collar or.

Estates—In Norfolk.

Town Residence—St. James's Square.

Seat—Keswick, near Norwich.

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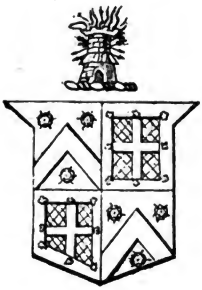
RUGGLES-BRISE, OF SPAINS HALL.

BRISE-RUGGLES, JOHN, esq. of Spains Hall, in Essex, and of Clare, in the county of Suffolk, *b.* 11th July, 1782, *m.* in January, 1824, Catherine, daughter of John-Haines Harrison, esq. of Copford Hall, near Colchester, by whom he has surviving issue,



SAMUEL-BRISE, *b.* 29th December, 1825.
Georgiana-Brise.
Cecilia-Susanna-Brise.

This gentleman, who succeeded to the Spains Hall estate at the decease of his mother, in 1822, inheriting likewise, in 1827, on the demise of Samuel Brise, esq. of Clare, in Suffolk, the possessions of his grandmother's family, assumed the additional surname and arms of BRISE, and was appointed, in 1829, high-sheriff of the county of Suffolk. Mr. Ruggles-Brise is a barrister of the Inner Temple, and a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the counties of Suffolk and Essex.

Lineage.

Fourth or fifth in descent from

THOMAS ROGYLL, RUGGLE, or RUGGLES,* the name appearing variously spelt at different periods, of Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk, whose will was proved, 21st June, 1547, sprang

JOHN RUGGLE, OR RUGGLES, who appears to have been the first of the family that settled at Bocking, in Essex, and died in June, 1702, leaving issue, by Mary Swift, his wife, five sons and daughters, whereof

Mary, *b.* in 1667, *m.* Samuel Crackenthorp.
Sarah, *b.* in 1687, *m.* William Rankin, of Saffron Walden.

And

THOMAS RUGGLES, of Bocking, became an opulent manufacturer and clothier, and purchased in 1721, Wakes Hall, in Belchamp, with other estates. He wedded twice; by his first wife, Rose, he had, with other issue,

1. JOHN, who *m.* Amy, daughter of Mr. Thomas Fuller, of Saffron Walden, and *d. s. p.* in 1746.
2. THOMAS, of whom presently.
3. Samuel, *b.* 12th March, 1718, who acquired by purchase in 1760, from the family of Sir Thomas Dyer, bart. the mansion and lands of SPAINS HALL, in Essex. Mr. Ruggles, (who was likewise possessed of other estates) left, by his wife, Miss Sarah English, of Bocking, an only surviving child,

JOHN RUGGLES, esq. of Spains Hall, at whose decease unmarried in 1776, aged twenty-six, his estates devolved upon his cousin, Thomas Ruggles, esq. of Clare.

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* WILLIAM RUGGLE, brother of this Thomas, was grandfather of

THOMAS RUGGLE, a substantial clothier of Lavenham, in Suffolk, who wedded Margaret Wheatlocke, and had, with other issue, a son,

GEORGE RUGGLE, born at Lavenham, 13th November, 1575. This distinguished scholar, who was a master of arts of Clare Hall, in the University of Cambridge, and subsequently a fellow of the same college, was author of the Latin comedy of *Ignoramus*, and, as is supposed, of several other literary productions. By his will, which was proved 13th November, 1622, he devised his library and a sum of money to his college.

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Thomas Ruggles, of Bocking, by his second wife, Ann, daughter of Jonathan Eddows, citizen of London, had an only daughter,

Ann, who *m.* Mr. Walford, of Bocking, whose grandson the Rev. William Walford, now resides at Hatfield Peverel, in the county of Essex.

Mr. Ruggles died in 1743-4, at the age of sixty-four, and lies interred under a lofty monument in Bocking church-yard. His second son,

THOMAS RUGGLES, esq. espoused, in 1736, Ann, eldest daughter of Joshua Brise, esq. of Clare, merchant in London, by whom (who died in 1748) he left an only surviving son, THOMAS, his heir; Mr. Ruggles dying in 1758, was buried with the family of his wife, in the chancel of the church at Clare, and *s.* by his son,

THOMAS RUGGLES, esq. of Clare, who inherited, in 1776, upon the demise of his cousin, John, the estate of Spains Hall, in Essex. This gentleman, who was a barrister and bencher of the honorable society of the Inner Temple, and an active magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the counties of Suffolk and Essex, wedded Miss Freeland, of Cobham, in the county of Surrey, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Samuel-Ruggles, of Clare Hall, in the University of Cambridge, A.B. who died at Bristol Hotwells, in February, 1804, aged twenty-four.

Shadrach-George, who died in 1804, aged fifteen.

Maria.

Ann, who died 18th February, 1812.

Jane, *m.* to John Walford, esq.

Frances-Brise, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Fisher, rector of Ovington-cum-Tilbury.

Sophia-Lydia, *m.* to the Rev. Henry Freeland, rector of Hasketon, in Suffolk, and died 15th February, 1827, *s. p.*

Mr. Ruggles was author of a work entitled, a *History of the Poor*, of *The Barrister*, and other publications. He died in November, 1813, and was *s.* by his son, the present JOHN RUGGLES-BRISE, esq. of Spains Hall, and of Clare.

FAMILY OF BRISE.

The BRISES, whose estates on failure of the male line in 1827, devolved upon the descendant of the marriage of Thomas Ruggles, esq. and Ann Brise, were, for several generations resident in Surrey, being possessed of independent property in the neighbourhood of Moulsey, Kingston, and Cobham. In the ecclesiastical commission to enquire into the conduct of the clergy, appointed by a committee of the lords and commons, 16th February, 1647, for the judging of scandal, will be found recorded in the Kingston *Classis*, the name of BRISE of Ewel and Moulsey,* this family being at that period, and subsequently much connected with the party not in accordance with the church establishment and discipline.

SHADRACH BRISE, esq. who wedded Ann, eldest daughter and co-heir of Gabriel Maynard, esq. of Roxeth, Harrow on the Hill, had, with two daughters, a son,

SHADRACH BRISE, esq. who purchased in 1671, Cavendish Place, in Suffolk, whither he removed his family in 1679. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Pakeman, minister of Harrow-on-the-Hill, and dying in 1699, left, with several other children, a son,

JOSHUA BRISE, esq. born in 1675. This gentleman, after passing many years in mercantile business in London, retired to Clare, in Suffolk, and purchased, in that neighbourhood, various estates. He *m.* Miss Elizabeth Small, and had *inter alios*,

SHADRACH, his heir, *b.* in 1724.

SAMUEL, successor to his brother.

Ann, *m.* in 1736, Thomas Ruggles, esq. and, dying in 1748, left an only surviving son,

THOMAS RUGGLES, esq. of Spains Hall, father of

JOHN RUGGLES-BRISE, esq who inherited the Clare estates in Suffolk, &c. upon the demise, in 1827, of his great uncle, SAMUEL BRISE, esq. of Clare, and is THE PRESENT POSSESSOR.

Elizabeth, *m.* Mr. Edward Coldham, of Bury St. Edmunds.

Mr. Brise died in 1749, in his seventy-fifth year, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

SHADRACH BRISE, esq. of Clare, for many years an active justice of the peace, who was appointed in 1762 high sheriff for the county of Suffolk. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of John Cator, esq. but dying *s. p.* in 1783, he entailed, by will, his estates in Suffolk, on his only surviving brother for life, and after his decease, on his nephew, THOMAS RUGGLES, esq. and then on his eldest son, the present proprietor. Shadrach Brise was *s.* by his brother,

SAMUEL BRISE, esq. of Clare, in Suffolk, and of Pentlow Hall, in Essex; which latter estate he devised to his niece, Mrs. Mathew, daughter of Mrs. Coldham, and after her decease, to her son, the Rev. Edward William Mathew, of Bury St. Ed-

* Manning and Bray's Surrey, vol. iii. 682

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munds. Mr. Brise died at Clare, in 1827, aged ninety-five, and was *s.* by his great nephew, the present JOHN RUGGLES-BRISE, esq. of Clare and Spains Hall.

Arms—Quarterly; 1st and 4th, arg. a chevron between three roses gu. for RUGGLES; 2nd and 3rd, lozengy, gu. and arg. within a bordure sa. fleury of eight quaterfoils; a cross of the second for BRISE.

Crest—A tower, or castle, or, transfixed with four darts in saltire and enflamed ppr. for RUGGLES.

Motto—Struggle.

Estates—The estate of SPAINS HALL, in the parish of Finchingfield, Essex, purchased, in 1760, of the family of Sir Thomas Dyer, bart. by Samuel Ruggles, esq. of Bocking. Also, lands at Clare and Cavendish, in Suffolk, derived from the family of BRISE.

Seats—Spains Hall, Essex, and Clare, in Suffolk.

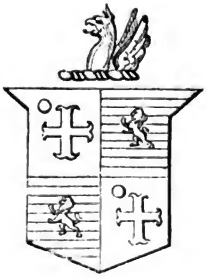
DUGDALE, OF MEREVALE.

DUGDALE, DUGDALE-STRATFORD, esq. of Merevale Hall, in the county of Warwick, *b.* in 1773, *m.* in 1799, the Honorable Charlotte Curzon, daughter of Viscount Curzon, and has an only son,

WILLIAM-STRATFORD, who wedded, in 1827, Harriet-Ella, daughter of the late Eward Berkeley-Portman, esq. of Bryanstone, in the county of Dorset, and has issue two sons and a daughter. This gentleman is member of parliament for the county of Warwick.

Mr. Dugdale succeeded his father in 1806.

Lineage.



JOHN DUGDALE, of Sustoke, in the county of Warwick, son of James Dugdale, by the daughter of Thomas Woodcocke, of Clithero, wedded Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Arthur Swynfen, of Dunchurch, in the same shire (a younger son of William Swynfen, esq. of Swynfen,) and had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir) his successor.

Mary, *m.* to Richard Seawall, of Corley.

He died in 1624, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM DUGDALE, knt. This celebrated antiquary and genealogist, whose literary reputation is so splendid, was born on the 12th of September, in the year 1605; and at the age of thirty-three obtained a pursuivant's place in the college of arms through the interest of Sir Henry Spelman, and other influential persons of congenial feelings. At the breaking out of the civil war being summoned to attend the king, he assisted at the battle of Edge Hill, and subsequently proceeding to Oxford with his royal master, received the degree of Master of Arts from the University. In 1644, he was appointed Chester Herald, and he continued at Oxford by the express command of the King, until the surrender of that city to the parliamentarians in 1646. In the interval Dugdale employed himself in exploring the libraries, and in collecting materials for his noble history of the Monasteries, which celebrated work appeared in the years 1655, 1661, and 1673. In 1656, he published what Gough calls, "the very best of county histories"—His History of Warwickshire. The History of St. Paul's Cathedral followed. Upon the Restoration, Dugdale was advanced to the office of Norroy King-of-arms, and he was constituted GARTER in 1677. He produced, subsequently, many other works upon genealogy and heraldry,

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the most elaborate of which—The BARONAGE OF ENGLAND, remains yet unrivalled. Sir William wedded Margery, second dau. of John Huntbach, esq. of Seawall, in the county of Stafford, by whom (who died in 1681) he had issue to survive infancy,

JOHN, his successor.
Mary, *m.* to Daniel White, of London.
Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Elias Ashmole, esq. secondly, to John Reynolds.
Anne, *m.* to Thomas Hill, of London.
Martha, *m.* to Edward Daniel, of London.
Judith, *m.* to Heny Joyce, of London.
Jane, *d.* unm. in 1720.
Margery, *m.* to George Dod, esq.
Lettice, *m.* to Bruyn Radford, esq. of London.
Helen, *m.* to Anthony Fitzpatrick, esq.

He died on the 10th February, 1685-6, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN DUGDALE, knt. *b.* in 1628. This gentleman adopting the profession of his eminent father, was appointed Windsor Herald in 1675, and Norroy King of Arms in 1686, when he received the honor of knighthood. He *m.* first, in 1662, Mary, second daughter and co-heir of Alexander Baker, gent. of New Windsor, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Mary, *m.* to Anthony Townshend, esq. of Hern, in Denbighshire.

Sir John Dugdale espoused secondly, in 1671, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Pidgeon, an alderman of Coventry, and had a daughter, Elizabeth, who wedded, first, Thomas Skeffington, esq. of Skeffington, and, secondly, William Hyde, esq. of Langtoft, in Lincolnshire. He *d.* in 1700, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DUGDALE, esq. of Blyth Hall, who *m.* in 1686, Judith, youngest daughter of John Gough, esq. of Bushbury, in Staffordshire, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
William, killed by a fall from his horse in 1733.
Elizabeth, died unmarried.
JANE, *m.* to RICHARD GEAST, esq. of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford.
Judith, *m.* in 1710, to Francis Bickley, esq. of Kingsbury. Their daughter, Mary, wedded William Francis Corbet Astley, esq. and was grandmother of Sir John Dugdale Astley, bart.
Isabella, *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Dugdale *d.* 19th February, 1714, and was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN DUGDALE, esq. of Blyth Hall. This gentleman, who was Moubray Herald Extraordinary in the reigns of GEORGE I. and GEORGE II. died *s. p.* 4th August, 1749, when he bequeathed his estates to (the son of his sister Jane,) his nephew, RICHARD GEAST; and thus terminated the MALE line of the great genealogist, SIR WILLIAM DUGDALE.

The family of GESTE or GHEST, derives from

JOHN GESTE OR GHEST, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, who was admitted tenant of copyhold lands there, in the 12 HENRY VII. He *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Thomas Hawkes, and great granddaughter of Henry Hawkes, of Hopwode, in the county of Worcester, close to Row Heath, in right of whom John Ghest claimed a messuage and lands there. By this lady he had issue,

RICHARD, his heir.
Laurence, of Row Heath, to whose son William, Thomas Blount and George Tokey, esqrs. granted Owley Grange, in Worcestershire, for a thousand years.
Thomas, whose son,
EDMUND, having taken holy orders acquired high distinction in the church. He was appointed Archdeacon of Canterbury, in 1559, consecrated Bishop of Rochester in 1560, and constituted Bishop Almoner of Salisbury, in eleven years after. His Lordship *d.* in 1676, and was interred in Salisbury Cathedral, to the dean and chapter of which, he bequeathed his library.

The elder son,

RICHARD GESTE, of Handsworth, *d.* in 1541, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GESTE, esq. of Handsworth, who left at his decease in 1601, (with a younger son Henry, who *m.* Dorothea Smallwood, of Queyslade,) his successor,

RICHARD GESTE, esq. of Handsworth. This gentleman wedded, on the 4th February, 1595-6, Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Cooper Piddocke, esq. of Windsor Green, in Warwickshire, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Maria, *m.* in 1616, to Thomas Ashford, esq.
Elizabeth, *m.* in 1625, to Abraham Errington, esq.
Martha
Jane.

The son and heir,

JOHN GESTE, esq. *b.* 8th January, 1601, resided at Hopwode, and marrying in 1627, Joan, daughter of John Court, esq. of Studley, in the county of Warwick, was *s.* at his decease in 1649, (when he was seized of lands at Handsworth,) by his son,

RICHARD GEAST, esq. who wedded in

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1663, Mary, daughter of William Spencer, gent. of Handsworth, and had issue,

NICHOLAS, his heir.

Mary, *m.* to Humphry Wyrley, esq. He *d.* in 1692, and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS GEAST, esq. of Handsworth, who *m.* Phoebe Downing, of the family of Sir George Downing, knt. of East Hatley, in the county of Cambridge, and dying in 1720-1, was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD GEAST, esq. of Handsworth. This gentleman espoused, 19th April, 1722, Jane, second daughter of William Dugdale, esq. of Blyth Hall, and great-grandaughter of the GENEALOGIST, by which lady, (who *d.* in 1772,) he left at his decease in 1736, two sons, namely,

RICHARD, his heir.

Henry, devisee in remainder, and executor of his maternal uncle, John Dugdale, esq. This gentleman wedded Anne, second daughter of John, and great-granddaughter of Thomas Walford, esq. of Binton, in Warwickshire, a descendant of Roger Walford, to whom *King* HENRY VIII. leased the manor and lands of Claverdon, in which manor part of such lands are now vested in Henry Geast Dugdale, esq. He had issue,

1. Richard, who *d. s. p.* in 1797.
2. HENRY, of Bordesley Park, in the county of Worcester, M.A. barrister-at-law, who assumed in 1822 the additional surname and arms of DUGDALE.
3. Jane, died unmarried.
4. Anne, *m.* Francis Dugdale Astley, esq. (his second wife) and *d. s. p.* in 1813.
5. Mary, *d.* unmarried in 1794.
6. Phœbe, *d.* young in 1779.

The elder son,

RICHARD GEAST, esq. barrister-at-law, inheriting under the will of his uncle the Dugdale estates, assumed in 1799 the surname and arms of DUGDALE. He *m.* in 1767, Penelope-Bate, eldest daughter and co-heir of Francis Stratford, esq. of Merevale, by whom (who *d.* in 1819) he left at his decease, in 1806, one son and three daughters, viz.

DUGDALE-STRATFORD, his heir.

Penelope, *m.* to Charles-James Packe, esq. of Prestwold.

Louisa-Anne, *m.* to William Dilke, esq. of Maxstoke Castle, in the county of Warwick.

Emma.

Mr. Dugdale was *s.* by his only son, the present DUGDALE-STRATFORD DUGDALE, esq.

Arms—Quarterly; 1st and 4th, arg. a cross moline gu. in the first quarter, a torteaux: 2nd and 3rd, arg. barry of ten arg. and az. over all a lion rampant gu.

Crest—A griffin's head and wings endorsed or.

Motto—Pestis patriæ pigrities.

Estates—In Warwickshire.

Town Residence — 23, Lower Brooke Street.

Seat—Merevale Hall, near Atherstone.

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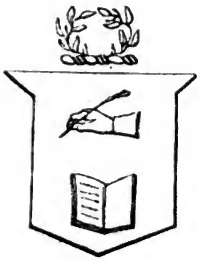
CONROY, OF LLANBRYNMAIR.

CONROY, SIR JOHN, knt. D.C.L. of Bettyfield, in the county of Roscommon, and of Llanbrynmair, in Montgomeryshire, *b.* 21st October, 1786, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir of Major-general Benjamin Fisher, niece of the late Right Rev. John Fisher, D.D. Lord Bishop of Salisbury, (preceptor to their late Royal Highnesses the Princess Charlotte of Wales, and the Duke of Kent) and woman of the bedchamber to the Duchess of Kent, by whom he has issue,



- EDWARD, *b.* in 1809, attached to the British Mission at Brussells.
- Arthur-Benjamin, *b.* in 1813, deceased.
- Stephen-Rowley, *b.* in 1815, a lieutenant in the Coldstream Guards.
- Henry-George, *b.* in 1817.
- Jane-Eliza.
- Victoire-Marie-Louise.

This gentleman, who is a captain upon the retired list of the royal artillery, was made a knight-commander of the Guelphic Order by *King* GEORGE IV. He is equerry and private secretary to H.R.H. the Duchess of Kent, and was equerry to his late R.H. the Duke of Kent, and a commissioner of the late Colonial audit-board. Sir John is a magistrate for the county of Montgomery, for which shire he has been excused serving the office of sheriff.

Lineage.

By reference to the records in the office of the Ulster king at arms, it is established that the Milesian house of CONROY, which was formerly written *Mulconry*, *O'Mulconry*, and *O'Mulconaire*, is of great antiquity, and assumes its descent from Niullus Magnus, monarch of Ireland. It enjoyed for many successive generations the hereditary office of seanchie, or herald to the kings of Connaught.

The early part of the pedigree is to be found in the registry entitled "Funeral Entries," one of the books of record in the Irish college of arms, for 1637, when the funeral and lineage of Moylin O'Mulconry, esq. was duly established and registered as the forty-third in lineal descent of this ancient family, and received as such, the warranty, dated 6th July, 1638, of Thomas Preston, then Ulster king at arms. From this

MOYLIN O'MULCONRY, esq. descended, altering their surnames, THORNA O'MULCONRY, esq. JOHN CONRY, or MULCONRY, esq. and CHARLES CONRY, esq. who had a regrant from CHARLES II. dated 10th August, 1678, of various lands in the county of Roscommon, being the residue of the property spared by the confiscations to which the Irish families had been so repeatedly subject; and of these the Conroys were deprived of a further portion in consequence of their adhesion to the cause of JAMES II. Charles Conry was succeeded by his son,

FEARFASSA CONRY, esq. of Bettyfield, in the county of Roscommon, who died in 1746, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN CONROY, esq. *b.* in 1704. This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of Robert Fowke, esq. who was, by marriage of his great-grandfather with Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of John Lyttleton, esq. of Holbeach, a representative of branches of the distinguished houses, whose arms the Conroy family are entitled to quarter. Mr. Conroy died in 1769, and was *s.* by his only son,

JOHN PONSONBY CONROY, esq. born in 1761, who wedded Margaret, daughter of Francis Vernon Wilson, esq. of Tully, in the county of Longford, and dying in 1797, left issue,

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JOHN, his heir, the present SIR JOHN CONROY, of Llanbrynmair.
George, *b.* in 1788, who died unm.
Llewellin, *b.* in 1790, in the Hon. East India Company's Service, Aide-de-camp to the Governor-General of India, and Commandant of the Militia at Calcutta, who *m.* Claudine, daughter of — Palmer, esq. of Calcutta, and left issue, at his decease, two sons,
1. John-Augustus.
2. George.
William, *b.* in 1794, deceased.
Dean-Josias, *b.* in 1798, a major in the army, who was drowned in January, 1828.
Laetitia, who *d.* unmarried.

Arms—Azure, a hand, book and pen, or.

QUARTERINGS.—Sir John Conroy quarters the arms of many of the most eminent houses in England, including Lyttleton, Fitzwarin, Grey, Talbot, Neville, Bigod, Clavering, &c. &c.

Crest—A wreath of laurel.

Motto—L'antiquité ne peut pas l'abolir.

Estates — Corcloughernough, Bettyfield, &c. in the county of Roscommon; Llanbrynmair, in Montgomeryshire.

Residence—Kensington, Middlesex.

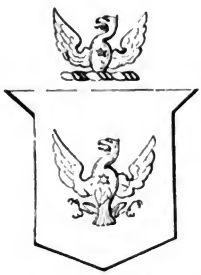
CUSTANCE, OF WESTON.

CUSTANCE, HAMBLETON-THOMAS, esq. of Weston House, in the county of Norfolk, *b.* 12th February, 1779, *m.* 11th February, 1809, Mary, only daughter of the late Miles Bower, esq. and niece of John-Bower Jodrell, esq. of Henbury Hall, in Cheshire, by whom he has issue,

HAMBLETON-FRANCIS, *b.* 8th November, 1809.
William-Neville, *b.* 24th October, 1811, an officer in the army.
Emily-Susanna.

Mr. Custance, who is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Norfolk, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 13th August, 1822.

Lineage.



ROBERT CUSTANCE, who possessed estates in Norwood Barningham, Winter Barningham, and Bodham, Norfolk, died in 1549, leaving (with a younger son, Edmund, who wedded Cicely, daughter of John Palmer, esq. of Winter Barningham) his successor,

WILLIAM CUSTANCE, *b.* in 1533, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Thomas Bacon, esq. and was *s.* at his decease, 6th September, 1601, by his son,

WILLIAM CUSTANCE, esq. *b.* in 1570, who espoused his cousin, Katherine, daughter of Clement Bacon, esq. of Gresham, in Norfolk, and *d.* in 1621, leaving a son and successor,

WILLIAM CUSTANCE, esq. *b.* in 1599. This gentleman espoused Cicely, daughter of — Athill, esq. of Geistwick, and died 28th June, 1649. His son and heir,

WILLIAM CUSTANCE, esq. *b.* 17th June, 1632, *m.* Bridget, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Atkins, and had (with an elder son, William, who married and left issue, which is now extinct) a second son,

JOHN CUSTANCE, an eminent merchant and alderman of Norwich, who purchased in 1726, the Weston estates. He *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of John Hambleton, esq. of Banham, in Norfolk, by whom (who *d.* 22nd November, 1756) he had issue.

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HAMBLETON, his heir.

Sarah, *m.* in 1736, to Anthony Norris, esq. of Barton Turf, in Norfolk.

Mr. Custance *d.* 31st May, 1752, and was buried in St. Andrew's Church, Norwich. His son and heir,

HAMBLETON CUSTANCE, esq. of Weston, *b.* in 1715, *m.* Susannah, daughter and heiress of John Press, alderman of Norwich, by whom (who died in 1761) he had

JOHN, his heir.

Susanna, *m.* to Sir Thomas Durrant, bart. of Scottow.

Mr. Custance, who was high sheriff in 1753, died 15th April, 1757, and was interred in St. Andrew's, Norwich. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN CUSTANCE, esq. of Weston, *b.* in 1749, who wedded Frances, second daughter of Sir William Beauchamp Proctor, bart. of Langley Park, by whom he had five sons and three daughters, viz.

HAMBLETON THOMAS, his heir.

George, lieutenant-colonel Honorable East India Company's Service, who *d.* unmarried, in 1814.

William, *b.* 18th September, 1781.

John, in holy orders, *b.* 6th May, 1787.

Neville, a captain in the army, *b.* 28th February, 1790.

Frances-Anne, *m.* to Robert Marsham, esq. of Stratton Strawless.

Emily, *m.* to the Rev. B. Edwards, rector of Ashill.

Charlotte, *d.* young.

Mr. Custance, who was a gentleman of the privy chamber, *d.* 13th August, 1822, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present HAMBLETON THOMAS CUSTANCE, esq. of Weston.

Arms—Or, an eagle displayed gu. charged on the breast with a star of six points of the first.

Crest—A demi eagle displayed, as in the arms.

Motto—Appetitus rationi pareat.

Estates—In the parishes of Weston, Morton, Lyng, Paston, and South Lyng, in Norfolk, purchased in 1726.

Seat—Weston House, near Norwich.

OLIPHANT, OF CONDIE.

OLIPHANT, LAURENCE, esq. of Condie, and Newton, both in the county of Perth, *b.* 22nd June, 1791, *m.* first, in 1814, Eliza, second daughter of Hercules Ross, esq. of Rossie Castle, in Forfarshire, by whom, who died in 1820, he had no issue. He espoused secondly, in 1825, Margaret G. Barrett, relict of Samuel Barrett, esq. of Jamaica. Mr. Oliphant, who succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father in 1806, represents the borough of Perth in parliament.

Lineage.

DAVID OLIFARD, the first of this ancient family on record, served in the army of King STEPHEN against the Empress Maud, anno 1141, and having, during the war, rescued from an ambuscade DAVID I. of Scotland, who had espoused the opposite cause, received from that monarch a grant of the lands of Crailing and Smallham, in Roxburghshire; and had the honor of being the earliest justiciary of Scotland of whom any record appears. He was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

DAVID OLIFARD, who died towards the close of the twelfth century, leaving a son and successor,

SIR WALTER OLIFARD, who acquired great popularity as justiciary of Lothian for more than twenty years under ALEXANDER II. "No person," says Douglas, "during that period in Scotland, was more trusted in public council or private affairs, or was more worthy of trust than Walter Olifard." He died in 1242, and was honorably interred in the choir of the Abbey of Melrose. By his wife, Christian, daughter of

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the Earl of Strathern, he left a son and heir,

WALTER OLIFARD, also justiciary of Lothian, whose eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy, submitted to EDWARD I. in 1297. This knight, the gallant defender of Stirling Castle, died* in 1329, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WALTER OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy, who wedded Elizabeth, youngest daughter of ROBERT I. as appears from a charter of King DAVID II. to "Waltero, dilecto et fideli suo, pro bono servitio nobis impenso, et Elizabethæ, sponsæ suæ, delectæ sorori nostræ;" regranting them the lands of Turin in Forfarshire. The son and heir,

WALTER OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy, espoused Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Erskine, of Erskine, and had two sons, JOHN Sir), his heir, and Malcolm, of Hasleside, in Ayrshire; by the elder,

SIR JOHN OLIPHANT, he was succeeded. This gentleman, who was knighted by ROBERT II. *m.* first, a daughter of Sir William Borthwick, of that Ilk, and had one son, WILLIAM, his heir. He wedded, secondly, a daughter of Sir Thomas Home, of Home, and had another son, Thomas, ancestor of the Oliphants of Kelly, in Fife. Sir John died about the year 1420, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy, living in 1423, who *m.* Isabel, daughter of John Stewart, of Innermeath, Lord of Lord, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy. This gentleman took part with the Ogilvys in their feud with the Lindseys, and was slain in the rencounter between the contending parties at Arbroath in 1445, when the Earl of Crawfurd also fell. He espoused Isabel, daughter of Walter Ogilvy, esq. of Auchterhouse, and had issue,

LAURENCE (Sir), his heir.
James.
Margaret, *m.* to William Wardlaw, esq. of Torrie, in Fife.
Isabel, *m.* o Alexander Blair, of Balthyock.

The eldest son,

SIR LAURENCE OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgy, sate in parliament as a BARON, who wedded the Lady Isabel Hay, youngest dau. of William, first Earl of Errol, and had three sons,

JOHN, his heir.
William, who wedded Christian, only child and heiress of Alexander Sutherland, of Duffus, and thereby acquired the lands of Berriedale.
George

His Lordship died about the year 1500, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN, SECOND LORD OLIPHANT, who *m.* Lady Elizabeth Campbell, third daughter of Colin, first Earl of Argyle, and had two sons,

COLIN.
Laurence, abbot of Inchaffray, who fell at Flodden.

The elder,

COLIN, MASTER OLIPHANT, espoused Lady Elizabeth Keith, second daughter of William, third Earl Marishall, and had issue,

LAURENCE, who *s.* his grandfather, in 1516, as *third Lord;* and from him descended the LORDS Oliphant.
WILLIAM.

The Master of Oliphant was slain with his brother at the field of Flodden. His second son,

WILLIAM OLIPHANT acquired, in 1543, the lands of Newton, part of the present Mr. Oliphant's estate. He married his cousin the dau. and heiress of Sir William Oliphant, of Berriedale, in Caithness, and thereby acquired those and various other possessions. The grandson of William Oliphant, and the heiress of Berriedale, was

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. first of Condie, (an estate purchased in 1601) wedded Miss Murray, of Tullibardine, ancestor of the Athol family, by whom he had issue,

1. LAURENCE, who *m.* Marriot, daughter and heiress of Sir John Blackadder, of Tullialan, and thereby disobliging his father was in a great measure disinherited.
2. Thomas, who had the lands of ROSSIE, and was ancestor of the OLIPHANTS of that place.
3. William, who *m.* Eslpeth, daughter of Sir Henry Stirling, bart. of Ardoch. This gentleman subsequently sold his portion of the estate to his elder brother.
4. James, ancestor of the OLIPHANTS of Kinneder in Fife.
5. Colin.

Laurence, first of Condie, being displeased as stated above, by the marriage of his eldest son, bequeathed his extensive estates among his younger children. The disinherited son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. second of Condie, was succeeded, at his decease, by his son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. third of Condie, who wedded Helen, sister of Sir James Wemyss, bart. of Bogie, by whom he had, with several other children, a son and heir,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. fourth of Condie, who *m.* Jeannette Meldrum, daughter of Meldrum, of Lethers, in the county of Aberdeen, (whose half sister, Mary Ogilvie, wedded, Charles, seventh Lord Oliphant), and had a son and successor,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. fifth of Condie, who dying early in life, his widow espoused the last Drummond, of Invermay, which gentleman bequeathed to his wife's

* His tombstone is still preserved in Aberdalgy church yard.

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son, Laurence Oliphant, a considerable fortune. This lady married for her third husband, James Oliphant, esq. second son of Gask. Condie was *s.* at his decease by his only son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. sixth of Condie, who espoused Miss Oliphant, of Gask, sister to his mother's third husband, and was succeeded by his only son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. seventh of Condie. This gentleman married Margaret, daughter of Anthony Murray, esq. of Dollorie, by whom he had issue,

EBENEZER, his heir.
Margaret, *m.* to George Græme, esq. of Inchbreakie.
Grace.
Helen.

Mr. Oliphant was drowned crossing the river May, and was *s.* by his only son,

EBENEZER OLIPHANT, esq. eighth of Condie, married in 1790, Mary, third daughter of Sir William Stirling, bart. of Ardoch, and had issue,

LAURENCE, his heir.
William, who died in India.
Anthony, *b.* in 1793, His Majesty's attorney-general at the Cape of Good Hope, who *m.* Miss Campbell, daughter of Colonel Campbell, and has one son,
LAURENCE.
James, resident engineer Hyderbad, who *m.* Lucy, daughter of — Maidman, esq. of the East India Company's service, by whom, who died in 1832, he has five children.
Thomas.

Mr. Oliphant died in 1806, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. of Condie and Newton, M.P. for Perth.

Arms—Gu. three crescents argent, within a bordure, quartering the ensigns of STIRLING, of Ardoch, for the present possessor's mother, of BLACKADDER for the heiress of Tullialan, also DUFFUS and CHYNE for the heiress of Berridale.

Crest—A unicorn's head, couped, arg. armed and maned or.

Supporters—Two elephants ppr.

Motto—Altiora peto.

Estates—In Perthshire.

Seat—Condie, in the county of Perth.

RASHLEIGH, OF MENABILLY.

RASHLEIGH, WILLIAM, esq. of Menabilly, in the county of Cornwall, some time member of parliament for the borough of Fowey, *m.* first, Rachael, daughter of William Stackhouse, esq. of Trehane, but has no surviving issue by that lady. He espoused secondly, Caroline, daughter of Henry Hinxman, esq. of Ivychurch, in the county of Wilts, and has issue.

Lineage.

The RASHLEIGHS of Menabilly are a younger branch of the ancient family of RASHLEIGH, of *Rashleigh*, in Devonshire. The first that came into Cornwall was

JOHN RASHLEIGH, who settled as a merchant at Fowey, about the middle of the sixteenth century. He *m.* Rice, daughter of William Lanyon, esq. and dying 10th August, 1582, left, with six daughters, one son, his successor,

JOHN RASHLEIGH, esq. who erected the mansion at Menabilly, the beautiful seat at which the family have continued ever since to reside. He was member for Fowey, in the 31st and 39th of ELIZABETH, and died in 1624, leaving by his wife, Alice, daughter of Richard Bonythorn, esq. of Carclew, several children, of whom the second son,

JONATHAN RASHLEIGH, esq. (on the death of his elder brother, John, without issue) succeeded to the property. This gentleman

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like his father, represented the borough of Fowey, in several parliaments. He *d.* in 1675, having had by his second wife, Mary, daughter of John Harris, esq. of Radford, near Plymouth, a son (who died before himself), namely,

JOHN RASHLEIGH, who *m.* Joan, daughter of John Pollexfen, esq. of Merthcombe, and left, with several other children,

JONATHAN, successor to his grandfather.

Mr. Rashleigh was *s.* by his grandson,

JONATHAN RASHLEIGH, esq. of Menabilly, who served the office of sheriff for Cornwall, in the 2nd of *King* JAMES II. He *m.* Sarah, eldest daughter of Sir John Carew, bart. of Antony, and had issue,

PHILIP, who *d. s. p.* in 1736.

JONATHAN, who continued the line of the family.

Sarah, *m.* to Carolus Pole, brother of Sir William Pole.

Jane, *d.* unmarried.

Rachael, *m.* to the Rev. John Hawkins, D.D.

Mary.

The eldest son dying without issue, the estates devolved upon the second son,

JONATHAN RASHLEIGH, esq. of Menabilly, who represented the borough of Fowey for half a century in parliament. He *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir William Clayton, bart. and had, with other issue

PHILIP, his successor.

JONATHAN, in holy orders, rector of Silverton, in Devonshire. This gentleman espoused Catherine, daughter of the Rev. William Stackhouse, D.D. of Trehane, and left, with other issue,

WILLIAM RASHLEIGH, who inherited the estates of the family at the decease of his uncle, and is its present representative.

John, of Penquite, *m.* Catherine, daughter of William Battie, M. D. and had, with younger children, the present

SIR JOHN COLEMAN RASHLEIGH, bart.

Jane, *m.* to Robert Duke, esq. of Lake House, Wilts.

Mary, *m.* to William Stackhouse, esq. of Trehane, and had issue.

Rachael, *m.* to John Gould, M.D. of Truro, and had issue.

Mr. Rashleigh was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

PHILIP RASHLEIGH, esq. of Menabilly, M.P. for Fowey. This gentleman wedded his cousin Jane, daughter of the Rev. Carolus Pole, but had no issue. Mr. Rashleigh's collection of minerals formed the most splendid cabinet of that description in Europe. He was *s.* at his decease by his nephew, the present WILLIAM RASHLEIGH, esq. of Menabilly.

Arms—Sa. a cross or, between, in the first quarter, a Cornish chough, arg. beaked and legged, gules; in the second quarter, a text T; in the third and fourth quarters, a crescent, all of the third.

Note.—Mr. Lysons observes, that "the younger branches of Rashleigh, and Peter, on removing into Cornwall, both adopted the Cornish chough, as a difference.

Estates—In Cornwall.

Seat—Menabilly in Cornwall.

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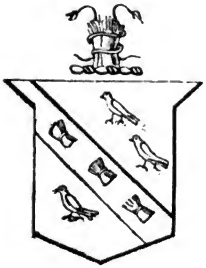
WICKSTED, OF NANTWICH.

WICKSTED, CHARLES, esq. of Nantwich, in the county of Chester, *b.* in October, 1796.

This gentleman, the only son of George Tollet, esq. of Betley Hall, in the county of Stafford, assumed by sign manual, 25th March, 1814, the surname and arms of WICKSTED, upon inheriting the property of his great-uncle, THOMAS WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich. He served the office of sheriff for the county of Chester, in 1822.

Lineage.



For the paternal line of this gentleman, see TOLLET of Betley. We proceed with *that* of Wicksted.

JOHN WICKSTED, a younger son of Wickstead of Wicksted, living in the time of HENRY VIII. *m.* Anne, daughter of Henry Bradford, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY WICKSTED, who espoused Mary, daughter of Henry Hassal, esq. Hankelow, and had issue,

RICHARD, his successor,

Henry, who *m.* Ellen, daughter of John Ruttee, and had issue,

The elder son and heir,

RICHARD WICKSTED, of Nantwich, *b.* in 1543, purchased the Weaver Meadows, and other property there, from Thomas Bromley. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Roger Walthall, and had, with three daughters,

1. RICHARD, his heir.
2. John, *m.* the daughter of William Browne,
3. Thomas, of Shrewsbury, *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Rowland Langley, and *d.* in 1623, leaving issue,
4. Ralph, of Nantwich.
5. Robert, *m.* Margaret, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Elcock.

Richard Wicksted, died about the year 1623, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RICHARD WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich, who *d.* in 1681, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich, who was born after the Herald's Visitation in 1613. He *m.* Lucretia, daughter, of John Yonge, esq. of Pembly, in the county of Salop, and was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest son,

THOMAS WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich, who *m.* Susanna Haycock, and dying in 1701, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich, who was baptized there on the 11th April, 1683. He *m.* Katherine, daughter of Samuel Watkiss, esq. of Aston,, in the county of Salop, and being killed by a fall from his horse in 1707, was *s.* by his posthumous son,

THOMAS WICKSTED, esq. of Nantwich, who wedded Grissel, daughter of Charles Fletcher, esq. of Witchurch, in the county of Salop, (by his wife, — daughter of Ralph Thickness, esq. of Balterley, and Bridget, one of the daughters of Sir John Egerton, bart.) and had issue,

1. THOMAS, of Nantwich, his successor.
2. Charles, } both died issueless.
3. Samuel, }
4. Richard, *m.* first, Anne, daughter of Samuel Gerrard, esq. of Moreton-Say, in the county of Salop, and had a daughter,
   Martha, *m.* to James Swan, esq. of Wavertree, in Lancashire, and had a son and daughter, viz.
   James Wicksted Swan.
   Mary-Anne Swan.
5. Grisel, *d. s. p.*
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Simon Horner, esq. of Hull, and had a son and a daughter, who both *d.* issueless.
7. Mary, *d.* unmarried in 1752.
8. FRANCES, *m.* in 1771, to William Jolliffe, esq. of Hull, and left an only daughter and heiress.
   FRANCES JOLLIFFE, who espoused George Tollet, esq. of Betley Hall, in the county of Stafford, and had with several daughters,
   CHARLES TOLLET, who inherit-

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ing the estates of his great uncle, assumed the surname of WICKSTED.

Mr. Wicksted was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS WICKSTED, esq. This gentleman inherited under a settlement, upon the decease of his maternal uncle, John Fletcher, esq. of Lichfield, the manor of Wigland and other estates in the county of Chester. He *m.* Anne, daughter of John Bennion, esq. of Chorlton, in that shire, but died without issue in 1814, when he devised all his estates to (the son of his niece, Frances Tollet,) his grand-nephew, CHARLES TOLLET, who assumed upon inheriting, as already stated the surname and arms of WICKSTED.

ARMS OF TOLLET, see Tollet. Of WICKSTED, Arg. on a bend az. charged with three garbs, or, between three crows sa. beaked and legged gules.

CREST—On a wreath, two serpents ppr. issuing from, and round a Garb, or.

Estates—The manors of Baddeley, and Wigland, and other lands in Baddeley Wigland, Nantwich, Wardle, Acton, Chorley, &c., all in the county of Chester.

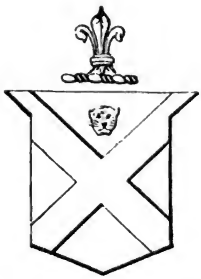
BARNETT, OF STRATTON PARK.

BARNETT, CHARLES, esq. of Stratton Park, in the county of Bedford, *b.* 31st October, 1796, *m.* 1st February, 1826, Elizabeth, third daughter of Sir Peter Payne, bart. and has issue,

CHARLES-FITZROY, *b.* 12th October, 1830.
George-James, *b.* 8th December, 1831.
Harriet-Stanhope.
Elizabeth.
Laura-Janet-Emma.

Mr. Barnett inherited the estates at the decease of his father, in 1804, and was high-sheriff of the county of Bedford in 1821.

Lineage.



LIEUTENANT BARNETT, who was lost in the Stirling Castle man of war, on the Goodwin Sands in the great storm, 26th November, 1703, was father of

CURTIS BARNETT, esq. who espoused, 13th May, 1725, Elizabeth, daughter of Benjamin Rosewell, esq. and had issue,

Benjamin, who died in infancy in 1732, at Gibraltar; his father being at that time captain of the Biddiford.

CHARLES.
Benjamin, *b.* 29th September, 1735, and *d.* in 1804.
Elizabeth, *d.* young.

Curtis Barnett died 29th April, 1746, at Fort St. David's, in the East Indies, being commander-in-chief of his Majesty's ships designed on a particular service. The eldest surviving son,

CHARLES BARNETT, esq. was of Stratton Park, in the county of Bedford, which estate and manor had been purchased, by the trustees of Curtis Barnett, in 1764, from the heirs of Sir John Cotton, bart. Mr. Barnett wedded, 17th February, 1756, Bridget, third daughter of Alexander Clayton, esq. and had (with other children who died young),

CHARLES, his heir.
James, banker, of Lombard Street.
Bridget.
Louisa-Elizabeth, deceased.
Amelia, *d.* unmarried.

The eldest son and heir,

CHARLES BARNETT, esq. of Stratton Park, *b.* in March, 1758, entering, at the age of seventeen, into the third regiment of Foot Guards, rose progressively to the rank of

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major-general. He espoused, 22nd February, 1796, Harriet, eldest daughter of Admiral Sir Richard King, bart. by whom, who died 17th September, 1799, he had, with three daughters (who all died unmarried), an only son and successor, the present CHARLES BARNETT, esq. of Stratton Park.

Major-general Barnett died, 10th October, 1804, of the epidemic fever, at Gibraltar; of which garrison he was then second in command.

Arms—Arg. a saltier sa. in chief a leopard's head of the second.

Crest—A trefoil.

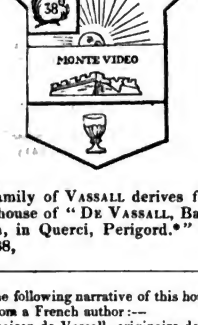
Estates—The estate and manor of Stratton, near Biggleswade, Bedfordshire; purchased in 1764.

Seat—Stratton Park.

VASSALL, OF MILFORD.

VASSALL, SPENCER-LAMBERT-HUNTER, esq. of Milford, in the county of Southampton, and of Newfound River, in the island of Jamaica, a captain in the royal navy, *b.* 17th May, 1799.

Lineage.



The family of VASSALL derives from the ancient house of "DE VASSALL, Barons de Gourdon, in Querci, Perigord.*" In the year 1588,

JOHN VASSALL, an alderman of London, equipped, and himself commanded two ships of war, the *Samuel*, and the *Little Toby*, against the Spanish Armada. His son,

* "The following narrative of this house is extracted from a French author:—

"La maison de Vassall, originaire de Quercy, et dont plusieurs branches ont formé depuis long temps des établissemens en Perigord, et dans d'autres provinces, a toujours tenu un rang distingué dans l'ordre de la noblesse, par une grande ancienneté, de nombreux services, de bonnes alliances, et par dessus tout, une fidélité inviolable et à toute épreuve envers ses Souverains.

Elle est connue dès le XI siècle, et sa filiation est prouvée littéralement depuis l'an 1343. Quelques généalogistes la font descendre des anciens barons de Gourdon en Querci, lesquels étoient une branche de la maison des Comtes de Toulouse). La maison de Vassall a produit un nombre considérable d'hommes recommandables et distingués dans l'église et dans l'état militaire. Geoffroi de Vassal fut crée Cardinal discre du titre de St. Eustache par le Pape Innocent II. en 1134, et il souscrivit en cette qualité deux chartes de l'Abbeye de Chini en 1136 et en 1142.

Fortanier de Vassall, général des frères mineurs nommé Archevêque de Ravennes en 1374, patriarche de Grade en 1351 Nommé puis legat du Pape, il fut fait Cardinal en 1361, et mourut la même année.

Geoffroi de Vassal, Archevêque de Vienne, fut transferé à l'archevêché de Lyons en 1444, et mourut en 1446.

Helis de Vassal, étoit grande prieure des dames de St. Jean de Jérusalem ou Maltaises de Martel, depuis l'an 1334 jusqu'en 1355, et

Huguette de Vassal étoit prieure claustral de la même maison et dans le même siècle.

Pons de Vassal étoit grand vicaire de Sartat et Camerier de Tulle en 1360.

Gerand de Vassall, de la Quaizée licencié de Sorbonne, étoit Abbé royal de St. Amand de Coli, et grand vicare de Sartat.

Jean de Vassall, de la branche de Sineuil étoit prevôt de Sartât en 1695, et

Louise de Vassall étoit abbesse de l'Abbeye royal de Buque en 1703.

Jean de Vassall, seigneur de la Tourette fut fait chancellier de l'ordre de St. Michel par le roi François I. qui lui écrivit et lui envoya le collier de l'ordre le 7 Octobre, 1520.

Antoine de Vassall, seigneur de la Tourette et

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Samuel Vassall, likewise an alderman of London, represented that city in parliament in 1640, and again in 1641. In the latter he was voted the sum of £10,445. 12*s*. 2*d*. for the damage he had sustained during his patriotic resistance of the arbitrary import of tonnage and poundage, and it was further resolved to consider him for his imprisonment and personal sufferings. He was one of the three hundred members who signed the protestation to support the church of England, and the liberty of Parliament, and was appointed a member of the council during the recess. He subscribed £1200. against the rebels in Ireland, his name appearing at the head of the list. In 1643, Alderman Vassall took the covenant, and was appointed in 1646, one of the Commissioners for the Kingdom of England, for the conservation of the peace with Scotland; about the same time he was chosen with Sir Thomas Soane, to give answer to the persons who brought up the city petition, and in 1648, he was appointed with the other members of the house who were citizens, to form a committee. This Samuel Vassall had two twentieths of all the Massachusetts bay, in New England. He left a son,

John Vassall, esq. who purchased large tracts of land in Jamaica, and settled there. He *m*. Anne, daughter of John Lewis, esq. for many years English resident at Genoa, and had issue.* His younger son,

Leonard Vassall, esq. wedded Miss Gale, and his second son,

John Vassell, esq. having espoused Eli-

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de la Curemont, prêta serment de fidélité pour l'ordre de Chevalier de St. Michel, dont il fut décoré par le roi Charles IX. le 13 Nov. 1570.

M. le Marquis de Vassall, de Montoiel, fut fait gentilhomme de la Manche, et puis successivement Major Général, Brigadier, l'un de huit inspecteurs d'infanterie, ensuite Maréchal de camp, et Lieutenant-Général.

M. le Chevalier de Vassall, de Montoiel, fut colonel du régiment de Dauphine brigadier, inspecteur d'infanterie, ensuite Maréchal de camp.

M. de Vassall de Sardigni fut colonel au régiment de la vieille marine, ensuite brigadier, et fut tué au siège de Barcelonne.

M. de Vassall de Marsac fut Major au régiment du Roi, inspecteur, et brigadier.

M. de Vassall de Taradel fut lieutenant de Roi à Marsal in Lorraine.

Nicolas de Vassall, Chevalier de la Quaizée, capitaine au régiment du roi cavalerie, fut fait lieutenant-colonel par brévet en 1761, pour récompense de diverses actions de valeur, et entr'autres d'avoir avec un détachement de quatre-vingt hommes forcé trois-cent Prussiens, avec un officier général qui les commandoit, à mettre bas les armes et à se rendre prisonniers de guerre. Dans la guerre de 1735, quatre-vingt officiers du nom de Vassall servoient tous à la fois dans tous les grades, depuis celui de lieutenant général, jusqu' à celui de simple cadet gentilhomme.

La maison de Vassall a toujours été, et elle est encore une des plus nombreuses en individus, que l'on connoisse; elle étoit déjà partagée du temps de St. Louis en plusieurs branches dont les deux principales étoient connue sous les noms de "Fraissinet" et "de Vaillac," c'est de la première qu' étoit noble Bertrand de Vassall, seigneur de Rinhac, chef de toutes les branches actuellement existantes; ces deux branches qu'on peut appeller anciennes parcequ'elles précédent l'année 1400, et auxquelles on peut ajouter celles de Yvars, de Balaguié, et autres, établies en Quercy, en Albigeois, en Rouisgue, &c. ont contracté des alliances avec les maisons d'Angoulesme, d'Auriale, de Belcastel, de Caltrets, de Casnac, de Puycalwel, d'Ebrard, &c. &c. et parmi les alliances modernes on compte celles d'Abzac, de Favars, de Broglie, de Gontaut, de la Roque, de Villars, &c.

Cette maison est une de celles que l'on connoit avoir produit plus de branches, et on cite comme un fait remarquable et peut-être unique en France, qu'elle a formé en moins de quatre-cent ans—trente-sept branches ou rameaux; et si l'on ajoute à ce nombre les branches qui ont existé avant l'an 1400 et sur l'existence des quelles il reste quelques traces dans les anciens titres; la totalité pourroit s'élever à près de cinquante; singularité qu'on peut regarder comme une espèce de phénomène généalogique.

Ces trente-sept branches ou rameaux tirent leur origène de trois branches principales connues sous les noms de Rinhac, de Nozac, et de la Tourette; et c'est d'elles que dérivent toutes les autres; ces trois branches ont été formées dans le XV siècle de la manière suivante:

Bertrand de Vassall, damoiseau, fils de Bason de Vassall et de Nina de Raffilhac, épousa vers l'an 1360, demoiselle Resplandine de *Rinhac*, qui lui porta la terre de son nom; il étoit déjà Seigneur, du chef de sa mère, de celles de Nozac, et de la Tourette; il fit son testament le 2 Août, 1395. en faveur de son fils qui suit,

Jean de Vassall, seigneur de Rinhac, de Nozac, de la Tourette, &c. épousa, en 1414, demoiselle Jeanne de St. Gilly, dont il eut trois fils, Jean, Pierre, et autre Jean, ce dernier mourut sans postérité, laissant pour héritier Pierre son frère.

1° Jean de Vassall l'aîné épousa, en 1443, demoiselle Louise de Toucheboeuf, dont il eut Jacques, qui a continué la branche aînée connue sous le nom de *Rinhac*.

2° Pierre de Vassall s'allia avec demoiselle Marguerite de la Johannie en 1460, de ce mariage provinrent deux fils, dont l'un nommé *Jean* épousa demoiselle Marguerite de Panlin, et devint la tige de la branche de Nozac; le second, nommé aussi *Jean*, est auteur de la branche de la *Tourette*. La branche de Rinhac a formé quatorze rameaux dont huit sont éteints.

De la branche de Nozac, sont sortis huit rameaux dont quatre sont éteints.

La branche de la Tourette a produit quinze rameaux dont neuf sont éteints.

* All the senior branches of this family are now extinct, excepting the descendants of two of the children of Florentius Vassall, namely:—

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zabeth, daughter of Spencer Phipps, esq. had (with three daughters, Ruth, Elizabeth, and Lucy,) a son,

JOHN VASSALL, esq. who settled at Boston in America, but was deprived of his lands there in the first American war for his attachment to the parent state. He returned to England, and resided alternately between Charles Lodge, in the county of Wilts, and the city of Bath. He *m.* Miss Elizabeth Oliver, and had issue,

1. JOHN, who wedded Miss Elizabeth Athill, and his son,
   JOHN, *d.* 23rd March, 1827, *s. p.*
2. SPENCER-THOMAS.
3. Thomas Oliver, who *d. s. p.*
4. Robert Oliver, who settled in Jamaica.
5. Leonard, *d. s. p.*
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Gustavus Lemaistre, esq.
7. Mary, *m.* to John Gyttins Archer, esq. and *d. s. p.*

The second son,

SPENCER THOMAS VASSALL, being designed for a military life, obtained an ensigncy in the 59th regiment of foot, at the early age of twelve. He soon afterwards embarked for Gibraltar, where he served during the memorable siege, and from that period until his gallant career closed on the ramparts of Monte Video, he was uninterruptedly engaged upon active service in almost every part of the globe. He was twice with the army in Flanders, once in the West Indies, several times on the coast of France, and once on that of Spain. He was the first man that landed in the Isle Dieu, and planted the British colours there. He formed part of both expeditions to Holland; in the last of which he was ordered by the Duke of York to attend General Don to the enemy's camp with a flag of truce. On that occasion, when Brun, the French commander in chief, in a fit of rage, pretending to suspect the motives of the mission, declared to General Don that he was determined to treat him as a spy, he turned round to Major Vassall, and said with a contemptuous smile, "Pour vous, monsieur, je vous plains," Vassall receiving the proffered sympathy with merited contempt, immediately replied, "Sir, I disdain your pity, and am ready to share the fate of my general." After experiencing every kind of indignity, and having been twice led out for execution, these brave men were at length released, and allowed to return to England. Shortly afterwards Major Vassall purchased the lieutenant-colonelcy of the 38th regiment, and was for some years stationed in Ireland, where it was his fortune to be the field officer, of the day in Dublin, on the memorable 23rd July, when Lord Kilwarden, and many others were killed by the insurgent populace. His cool determined conduct upon that occasion obtained for him the high commendation of the Irish Government, and of the commander in chief. He subsequently embarked with his regiment for the Cape of Good Hope, and assisted at the capture of that important settlement; of the town and fortress of which he was appointed commandant. This lucrative and honorable post he resigned to embark with his regiment in the second expedition dispatched to the coast of Spanish America, and there he found a soldier's grave in gallantly leading his troops to the assault of Monte Video His conduct, his courage, his fate are so faithfully depicted in the following letter from his orderly serjeant, to Sir Home Popham, that we know not how we could better close this summary of his valiant achievements.

Monte Video, 10 Feb. 1807.

SIR,

Pardon the liberty I am taking, as the gratitude I owe to my everlamented and best friend, Colonel Vassall, obliges me to give you and his friends an authentic account of his last; I being his orderly serjeant, and the chief person to witness his bravery, and the gallant manner in which he acquitted himself in doing his duty, in that unfortunate hour in which he fell. On our approach to the wall we missed the breach; the grape and musketry flew so hot it drove the men into confusion, and would have made numbers of them retreat but for his exertions. When he observed any of the men stoop or flinch, he cried out as loud as possible, "Brave 38th, my brave men, don't flinch; every bullet has its billet. Push on, follow me, thirty eighth!" He rallied them repeatedly in this manner, until he got them inside the breach. He immediately directed a party to take possession of the corner battery next the sea, which was done in a few minutes, and another, under the command of Major Ross, to advance to the great church, and he was advancing himself to the main battery on the right, when a grape shot broke his leg, and as soon as he fell he cried out, "Push on,

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of { RICHARD VASSALL, of Jamaica, whose dau. and heiress,
ELIZABETH VASSALL, espoused, first, the late Sir Godfrey Webster, bart. and, secondly, LORD HOLLAND, who has assumed the additional name of VASSAL.
ELIZABETH VASSALL, who wedded Major General the Hon. John Barrington, son of the first Viscount Barrington, and was grandmother of the present Lord.

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somebody will take me up, my good soldiers, charge them, never mind me; it's only the loss of a leg in the service." He sat up, and helped to tie on a handkerchief to stop the blood, and cried out all the time of the action, "I care not for my leg, if my regiment do their duty, and I hope they will." As soon as the town surrendered he heard the men cheer, he joined them with as great spirits as if nothing had happened, and called to me to have him carried to the head of his regiment. I feel to the heart for his family. I could wish to have fallen with him, sooner than part with a man who was so good a friend to me. At half-past three on the morning of the 3rd, he received his wound; at one o'clock on the morning of the 7th, he departed, and at eight the same evening he was interred at the entrance of the great church, with all military honors.

I am, sir,

Your very humble obedient servant,

B. MATHEWS.

The remains of this gallant soldier were at first interred in the grand church at Monte Video, with military honors, but were afterwards removed to England, and deposited in the family vault in the church of St. Paul's, Bristol, where a monument, designed by Flaxman, executed by Rossi, and erected by Colonel Vassall's widow, bears the following inscription.

Sacred to the Memory of
SPENCER THOMAS VASSALL, esq.
Lieutenant-colonel of the 38th regiment, who,
After twenty-eight years of active and unremitting service,
During which he had acquired a high military reputation,
Was mortally wounded at the storming of Monte Video, in South America,
On the 3rd of February, 1807,
At the moment he had conducted his intrepid followers within the walls of the fortress,
And expired on the 7th of the same month,
Aged 40.
His beloved remains, brought to England by the companions of his victory,
are deposited near this spot,
Where, to record her own, her children's, and her country's loss,
She, who was the wedded and happy witness of his private worth,
Has caused this monument to be erected.

"Stranger, if e'er you honor'd Sidney's fame,
If e'er you lov'd Bayard's reproachless name,
Then on this marble gaze with tearful eyes,
For kindred merit here with VASSALL lies!
But far more blest than France or England's pride,
In the great hour of conquest VASSALL died;
While still undaunted in the glorious strife,
Content he purchased victory with life,
And nobly careless of his own distress,
He bade his mourning comrades onward press;
Bade them (the hero victor o'er the man.)
Complete the conquest which his sword began;
Then proudly smil'd amidst the pangs of death,
While thanks for victory fill'd his parting breath."†

Colonel Vassall espoused 10th July, 1795, Catherine-Brandrith-Backhouse, daughter of the Rev. D. Evans, D.D. and left issue,

SPENCER-LAMBERT-HUNTER, his heir.

Rawdon-John-Popham, captain in the 78th regiment of Highlanders

Honora-Mary-Georgina, *m.* to the Rev. E. P. Henslowe.

Catherina-Spencer-Alicia-Beresford, *m.* to the Hon. Thomas Le Marchant Saumarez, second son of James, Lord De Saumarez, G.C.B.

Arms—Az. in chief a sun, in base a chalice or, and for honorable augmentation, on a fesse of the second the breached bastions of a fortress, above which the words Monte Video; on a canton arg. the number "38th" within a branch of cyprus, and another of laurel, the stems united in saltire.

Crests—First, on a mount vert, a breached fortress, thereon hoisted a flag gules, with the inscription "Monte Video," in letters of gold. Second, a ship with masts and shrouds ppr.

Mottoes—Sæpe pro rege, semper pro republica—and Every bullet has its billet.

Seat—Milford, Hants.

† The poetic part is from the pen of Mrs. Opie.

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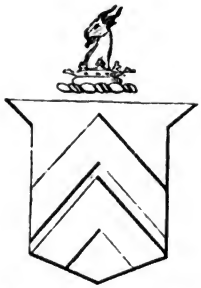
BAGOT, OF PYPE HALL.

BAGOT, THE REV. EGERTON-ARDEN, of Pype Hall, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 3rd January, 1777, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father in 1806.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the ennobled family of BAGOT.

SIR WALTER-WAGSTAFFE BAGOT, LL.D. representative in parliament successively for the borough of Newcastle-under-line, the county of Stafford, and the University of Oxford, espoused, in 1724, the Lady Barbara Legge, eldest daughter of William, Earl of Dartmouth, and had (with several daughters, the eldest of whom, Barbara, wedded Ralph Sneyd, esq. of Keel,) six sons, viz.

I. WILLIAM (Sir), his successor, M.P. for Staffordshire, who was elevated to the peerage in 1780, as BARON BAGOT, of Bagot's Bromley, in the county of Stafford.

II. Charles, who assumed, by act of parliament, the surname and arms of CHESTER, in pursuance to the will of his cousin, Sir Charles Bagot Chester, bart. He *m.* in 1765, Catherine, dau. of the Hon. Heneage Legge, a baron of the Exchequer, and dying in 1792, left issue,

1. CHARLES, *b.* in 1770.
2. Anthony.
3. William, in holy orders.
4. John, an officer in the army.
5. Henry.
6. Catherine.
7. Louisa.
8. Barbara, *m.* to John Drummond, esq.
9. Frances, *m.* to R. G. Braddyl, esq.
10. Anne.
11. Mary, *m.* to Robert, late Earl of Liverpool.
12. Elizabeth.

III. WALTER, of whom presently.

IV. Richard, who assumed, by sign manual, the surname and arms of HOWARD, upon his marriage with the Hon. Frances Howard, sister and heiress of Henry, twelfth Earl of Suffolk. He *d.* in 1818, leaving an only daughter and heiress,

MARY, *m.* 7th July, 1807, to the Hon. Colonel Fulk Greville-Upton, who has assumed the surname and arms of HOWARD only.

V. Lewis, Lord Bishop of Norwich, *m.* in 1771, Mary, daughter of the Hon. Edward Hay, and *d.* in 1802.

VI. Thomas *d.* unmarried.

The third son,

THE REV. WALTER BAGOT, of Pype Hall, in the county of Stafford, rector of Blythfield and Leigh, *b.* 2nd November, 1731, who *m.* first in 1773, Anne, daughter of William Swinnerton, esq. and had issue,

EGERTON-ARDEN, his heir.
Walter, *d.* unmarried, in 1800.
William, *m.* 28th December, 1820, Martha, daughter of Thomas Swinnerton, esq.
Ann.
Honora, *m.* to the Hon. and Rev. Augustus Legge.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Joseph Phillimore, D.C.L.
Louisa-Frances, *m.* to the Rev. Richard Levett, of Milford Hall, Staffordshire, and has a son, RICHARD-BYRD LEVETT, and a daughter, Frances-Mary.

Mr. Bagot espoused secondly, Mary, dau. of — Ward, esq. and had

Hervey, captain R.N. *d.* in 1816.
Humphrey, killed in India.
Ralph, in holy orders.

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Mary.
Caroline, married in 1828, to Edmund-Robert Daniell, esq. barrister-at-law.
Charlotte, *m.* to the Rev. William Somerville.
Jane-Margaret, *m.* to Edward-Vaughan Williams, esq.
Agnes, *m.* to John Farquhar Fraser, esq.

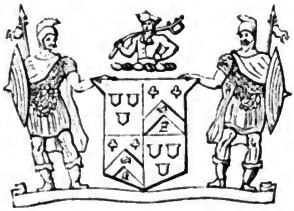
Mr. Bagot *d.* in 1806, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present Rev. EGERTON-ARDEN BAGOT, of Pype Hall.

Arms—Erm. two chevrons az.
Crest—Out of a ducal coronet, or, a goat's head ar. attired or.
Motto—Antiquum obtinens.
Seat—Pype Hall, Staffordshire

HAY, OF LEYS.

HAY-BALFOUR, DAVID, esq. of Leys, in the county of Perth, and of Randerston, in Fifeshire, succeeded his father in 1790, and is now *male* representative of the noble family of HAY.

Lineage.



The traditional origin of the house of Hay runs thus:—In the reign of Kenneth the Third, anno 980, the Danes, who had invaded Scotland, having prevailed at the battle of Luncarty, near Perth, were pursuing the flying Scots, from the field, when a countryman and his two sons appeared in a narrow pass, through which the vanquished were hurrying, and impeded for a moment their flight. "What," said the rustic, "had you rather be slaughtered by your merciless foes, than die honorably in the field; come, rally, rally!" and he headed the fugitives, brandishing the yoke of his plough, and crying out, that help was at hand: the Danes, believing that a fresh army was falling upon them, fled in confusion, and the Scots thus recovered the laurel which they had lost, and freed their country from servitude. The battle being won, the old man, afterwards known by the name of Hay, was brought to the king, who, assembling a parliament at Scone, gave to the said Hay and his sons, as a joint reward for their valour, so much land on the river Tay, in the district of Gowrie, as a falcon from a man's hand flew over till it settled; which being six miles in length, was afterwards called Errol; and the king being desirous to elevate Hay and his sons from their humble rank in life, to the order of nobility, his majesty assigned them a coat of arms, which was, argent, three escutcheons, gules, to intimate that the father and two sons had been the three fortunate shields of Scotland. The stone on which the falcon lighted is still to be seen in the carse of Gowrie, in a small village called Hawkstone. So much for tradition. But the incontrovertible fact is,

WILLIAM DE HAYA, who obtained a grant of the lands of Errol, from William the Lion, espoused Juliana, daughter of Ranulph de Soulis, Lord of Liddesdale, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. Robert, witness to a charter confirming the liberties of Durham and Coldingham Abbeys, in 1204. He was ancestor of the TWEEDDALE family.

William de Haya, who held the office of king's butler (Pincerna Domini regis) during the reigns of MALCOLM IV. and WILLIAM the Lion, died about the year 1170, and was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR WILLIAM DE HAYA, who obtained from WILLIAM *the Lion*, the manor of Herrol, now Errol, in Perthshire; erected into a barony, for the service of two soldiers, to which Hugh, Bishop of St. Andrews, is a

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witness. He *m.* Eva de Petenalin, and thereby acquired the lands of Petenalin; which he and his wife, Eva, gave to the Priory of St. Andrews. Sir William died towards the close of the twelfth century, and was *s.* by his son,

DAVID DE HAYA, who wedded Helen, daughter of Gilbert, Earl of Strathern. and had two sons, viz.

1. GILBERT, who succeeded his father at ERROL, and was ancestor of the NOBLE house of Errol, which ended in heiresses in 1717; the youngest of whom espoused the Earl of Kilmarnock, and her descendant is now EARL OF ERROL (See BURKE's *Peerage and Baronetage*).
2. WILLIAM.

The second son,

WILLIAM DE HAYA, obtained from his brother Gilbert, in 1235, a grant of two carucates of land, in Errol, called LEYS; which grant was afterwards confirmed, in 1451, by William, Earl of Errol, to Edmund Hay, of Leys, the lineal descendant of this William. He was *s.* at his demise, by his son,

— DE HAYA, of Leys, father of

EDMUND DE HAYA, of Leys, an eminent patriot, who distinguished himself in favour of *King* ROBERT I. In 1312 he obtained, to himself and his son William, a lease, from the abbot and convent of Scone, of the lands of Balgarvie. From this Edmund de Haya, the estate of Leys passed from father to son, to his great-great-grandson,

EDMUND HAY, of Leys, to whom, William, Earl of Errol, granted a charter of confirmation in 1451. He had issue,

I. EDMUND, his heir.
II. Peter, from whom descend the families of KINNOUL, Melginch, Pitfour, Seggieden, &c. (see HAY, of Pitfour, and HAY, of Seggieden.)

The eldest son and successor,

EDMUND HAY, of Leys, had seisine of his estate in 1496. He had four sons,

PETER, who predeceased his father.
PATRICK, successor to his father.
Walter, } both mentioned in a charter
Thomas, } dated 1496.

Edmund Hay died 31st January, 1497, and was *s.* by his second, but eldest surviving son,

PATRICK HAY, of Leys, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Moncrieff, of Moncrieff, and had a son,

EDMUND HAY, of Leys, who had a charter, as heir to his father, upon a precept of clare constat, 18th and 20th March, 1513. He espoused Elizabeth Durham, and was *s.* by his son,

PATRICK HAY, of Leys, who left at his decease an only daughter, Margaret, who renounced, in 1577, her succession to the lands of Leys, in favour of her cousin, John Hay. Patrick Hay dying thus, without male issue, his estate passed, as heir of tailzie, to his nephew,

GEORGE HAY, of Leys, who had an only son,

JOHN HAY, who succeeded his father in the lands of Leys, and his uncle Edmund, in Nether Ley. He married, and left issue,

PETER, his heir.
George, parson of Turriff, living in 1585.

The elder son,

PETER HAY, of Leys, had seisine of Over and Nether Leys, as heir to his father, in 1586. He left an only son and heir,

PETER HAY, of Leys, who had seisine of the lands of Leys in 1611. He was *s.* by his son,

PETER HAYS, of Leys. This gentleman obtained a charter of the lands of Leys, in 1644, upon his marriage. He wedded Joan, daughter of John Gray, of Ballygerno, and had issue,

PETER, his heir.
Mary, who *m.* James Balfour, esq. of Randerston, and had an only daughter,
MARY BALFOUR, who became her father's heir, and marrying her cousin-german, George Hay, esq. of Leys, carried the property of Randerston into that family.

The only son and successor,

PETER HAYS, esq. of Leys, married in 1671, Catherine, daughter and heiress of James Blair, esq., of Newbigging, and had issue,

GEORGE, his heir.
James, merchant of Dundee, *b.* in 1694, who is named in an instrument of resignation by David Hay-Balfour, of Leys, 10th June, 1758. He married, and had issue, whose descendants still reside at Dundee.
Jean.
Margaret.
Mary.
Ann.
Catherine.

Peter Hay, of Leys, died in 1712, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE HAY-BALFOUR, esq. *b.* in 1682, who wedded his cousin Mary, daughter of JAMES BALFOUR, esq. of Randerston, in Fifeshire, and thus acquired that estate. By this lady he had issue,

PETER, his heir.

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Catherine, *b.* in 1723, *m.* to George Clephan, esq. of Carslogie.
Mary, *b.* in 1727, *m.* to Sir Robert Gordon, of Gordonstown.
Elizabeth, *b.* in 1729, *m.* to — Sinclair, esq.

The son and successor,

PETER HAY, esq. of Leys, *b.* in 1717, was served heir to his father in 1752. He *m.* in 1739, Elizabeth, daughter of David Scott, esq. of Scottstarvit, by Lucy, daughter of Sir Robert Gordon, of Gordonston, and had issue,

DAVID, } successive proprietors.
JOHN, }
Lindsay, *b.* in 1743, *m.* to John Dalziel, esq. of Lingo, and had issue.
Catherine, *m.* to Henry Butter, esq. of Pitlochrie, and had issue.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Peter Stewart, esq. of Collarnie, and had issue.
Lucy, *m.* to Patrick Moncrieff, esq. of Reidie, eldest son of Colonel George Moncrieff, of Reidie, and had issue.
Petty, } twins.
Janet, }
In co sequence of the death of their father, previous to their birth, Robert Hay, merchant, Dundee, cousin german, became sponsor. They both died young.

The eldest son,

DAVID HAY BALFOUR, esq. of Leys and Randerston, in 1757, was served heir to his father in the lands of Leys, and to his great grandfather, James Balfour, of Randerston. He died without issue, in 1760, and was *s.* by his brother,

JOHN HAY BALFOUR, esq. of Leys and Randerston, who espoused in 1777, Catherine, daughter of Colonel George Moncrieff, of Reidie, in Fifeshire, and had issue,

DAVID, his heir.
Peter, late a captain of the 18th Dragoons.
Jane, *m.* to James Paterson, esq. of Carpow, and has issue,

Mr. Hay Balfour died in 1790, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present DAVID BALFOUR HAY, esq. of Leys and Randerston.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth ermine, three escutcheons, gules, for HAY, of Leys, second and third or, on a chevron sa. between two trefoils in chief, and a garb in base vert, banded of the first, an otter's head erased, arg. for BALFOUR, of Randerston.

Crest—A lowland Scots countryman demi-figure vested grey, waistcoat gu. bonnet az. and feather ppr. bearing on his right shoulder an ox yoke ppr. broken at one extremity.

Supporters—(Granted as the patent states, in respect of the great antiquity of the family). Two Danish soldiers of the tenth century habited in chain mail, on their head a helmet or skull cap, and holding in their exterior hands javelins all ppr. at the top of each javelin a peunencle gu. and on their arms a round shield az. bordered and spiked or, their tunic or undervest of orange colour reaching to the knee, their mantles vert, fastened on each shoulder by a round buckle gold, and half boots or buskins turned down of a buff colour.

Motto—Primus è stripe, in allusion to this family being the immediate younger branch of the noble House of Hay of Errol.

Estates—In Perth and Fifeshire

Seats—Leys and Randerston.

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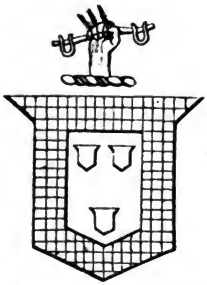
HAY, OF PITFOUR.

HAY, WILLIAM-EDMUND, esq. *b.* 31st January, 1805, lieutenant in the European regiment at Bengal, and major of brigade at Agra, succeeded to the representation of this branch of the family of HAY, on the demise of his relative, John Hay, in 1825.

Lineage.



EDMUND HAY, of Leys, to whom William, Earl of Errol, granted a charter of confirmation in 1451, left issue,

1. EDMUND, his successor, who carried on the senior line of the family, (see HAY of LEYS.)
2. PETER.

The second son,

PETER HAY, designed in authentic writs, "second lawful son of Edmund Hay, of Leys," lived in the reign of JAMES III. and was the first baron of Melginch, of the name of Hay. He married a lady, of what family is not related, and had two sons, viz. EDMUND, his heir; and William, of Lochley, by the elder of whom,

SIR EDMUND HAY, second baron of Melginch, he was succeeded. This gentleman, who acted a conspicuous part in Scotland, temp. James IV. was father of

SIR PETER HAY, of Melginch, who flourished in the reigns of JAMES V. and MARY. He wedded Margaret, daughter of Crichton, of Ruthven, and had issue,

i. PETER (Sir), his heir.

ii. James (Sir), of Fingask, whose son,

SIR JAMES HAY, of Pitcorthie, in the county of Fife, accompanied King JAMES VI. into England, and became, subsequently, celebrated as the favorite of that monarch. Sir James was created a baron of England in 1615, as *Lord Hay, of Sauley*; advanced in 1618, to the *viscounty of Doncaster*, and in 1622, to the EARLDOM OF CARLISLE. His lordship wedded Honora, daughter and heiress of Edward, Lord Denny, and dying in 1636, was *s.* by his only son,

JAMES HAY, second earl of Carlisle, at whose decease *s. p.* in 1660, the honors expired. (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*)

iii. Edmund, professor of Scotch law, at Douay.

iv. Catherine, *m.* first, to Robert Moncur, of Balumbie, and secondly, to George Drummond, of Blair.

v. Janet, *m.* to Sir Patrick Murray, of Auchtertyre.

The eldest son and successor,

SIR PETER HAY, of Melginch, was in high esteem with King JAMES VI. He espoused Margaret, daughter of Sir Patrick Ogilvie, of Inchmartin, by whom he had three sons,

i. PATRICK (Sir), his heir.

ii. George, of Kinfauns, a highly accomplished person, who was introduced at court by his uncle, the earl of Carlisle, and acquired immediately the full confidence and favor of *King* JAMES. He was, subsequently, nominated clerk register of Scotland, and in 1622, appointed lord chancellor of that kingdom. Sir George was advanced to the peerage by King Charles I. in the titles of *Baron Hay*, of Kinfauns, and *Viscount Duplin*, with reversion to his heirs general whatsoever, and created 25th May, 1633, EARL OF KINNOUL, with the same reversionary clause in the

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patent. His lordship died in 1634, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

GEORGE HAY, second earl, whose grandson, William, fifth earl, dying unmarried in 1709, the peerage devolved, according to the clause of the patent, upon his kinsman and heir at law,

THOMAS HAY, *Viscount Duplin.*

III. Peter, of Kirkland, whose great grandson,

THOMAS HAY, Viscount Duplin, eventually inherited the EARLDOM of KINNOUL, and was great-great-grandfather of

THOMAS-ROBERT, present and tenth earl.

Sir Peter Hay died between the years 1593 and 1598, and was *s.* by eldest son,

PATRICK HAY, esq. of Melginch, who got a charter of the lands of PITFOUR, from Peter Cochrane, of that place, dated 25th September, 1593. He married twice; by his first wife, he had a son PETER (Sir), his heir. By the second, a daughter of Cheyne, of Elsemont, he had another son, PATRICK (Sir), who carried on the line of the family. The laird of Melginch died prior to the year 1606, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR PETER HAY, of Melginch, who received the honor of knighthood from King CHARLES I. His male line having failed, the representation devolved upon his half brother,

SIR PATRICK HAY, designed, during his brother's life time, "of Pitfour." This gentleman, who was knighted in 1634, espoused Helen, daughter of Alexander Lindsay, of Evelick, bishop of Dunkeld, and had, with six daughters, two sons, viz.

PATRICK, his heir.

William, a captain in the army.

The elder son,

PATRICK HAY, esq. of Pitfour, wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Andrew Gray, of Balledgerno, and had, with a daughter, three sons, viz. JAMES, his heir; Patrick, provost of Perth, and William; by the eldest of whom,

JAMES HAY, esq. of Pitfour, he was succeeded. This gentleman *m.* first, Jean, daughter of Sir Andrew Hay, of Keillor, and sister to John, twelfth earl of Errol, by whom he had one son and a daughter, viz.

JOHN, his heir.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Gordon, of Wardhouse.

He married secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir George Preston, bart. of Valleyfield, and relict of Oliphant, of Gask, by whom he had another son,

PATRICK, who wedded Barbara, third daughter of John Nairn, esq. of SEGGIEDEN, and became thus possessed of that estate. (See family of HAY, of *Seggieden.*)

The eldest son,

JOHN HAY, esq. of Pitfour, espoused Mary Hay, heiress of Ross, and had issue,

JAMES, his heir.

Frances, a major in the service of the empress of Russia, who died unmarried.

Edward, } both died unmarried.
Charles, }

Louisa.

Jean.

Lillias, *m.* 3rd October, 1736, to John Hay, esq. of Seggieden.

The laird of Pitfour died in 1743, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES HAY, esq. of Pitfour, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of George Gordon, esq. of Edinglassie, by the heiress of Balledgerno, and had, with several daughters, three sons, viz.

JOHN, his heir.

WILLIAM, who purchased the estate of Newhall, in Mid-Lothian, which he afterwards sold. He *m.* Helen, daughter of William Gray, esq. of Balledgerno, by whom he had, with a daughter, six sons, viz.

I. William, who died unmarried.

II. JAMES, *b.* 8th April, 1771, who purchased the lands of Drum, in Mid-Lothian; which afterwards selling, he bought the estate of Colliepriest, in Devon, and served the office of high sheriff for that county. He wedded, 13th April, 1801, the Lady Mary Ramsay, third daughter of George, eighth Earl of Dalhousie, and *d.* in 1822, having had several children, viz.

1. WILLIAM-EDMUND, the present male representative of the family.
2. Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.
3. Helen.
4. Mary, *m.* to John Richardson, esq. of Pifour.
5. Anne.
6. Georgina-Christian.
7. Jemima.
8. Catherine.
9. Caroline-Ramsay.

III. John, } all died unm.
IV. Charles, }
V. Alexander, }

VI. Philip, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Brigadier-general French, and has two sons.

Charles, who died unmarried.

The eldest son and heir,

JOHN HAY, esq. of Pitfour, *m.* Agnes daughter of Patrick Ogilvie, esq. of Bal-

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four, and had, with two daughters, who both died unmarried, as many sons, viz. ALEXANDER, his heir, and James, a captain in the 74th regiment, who died unmarried. Mr. Hay, who sold the estate of Pitfour to John Richardson, esq. grandfather of the present possessor, died 3rd December, 1809, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ALEXANDER HAY, esq. a captain in the Glasgow regiment of foot, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of — Allen, esq. and had, with several daughters, an only son,

JOHN HAY, esq. at whose decease unmarried, 14th April, 1825, the representation of this branch of the HAY family devolved on the present WILLIAM EDWARD HAY, esq. (refer to issue of WILLIAM, of Newhall, second son of JAMES HAY, of Pitfour, by ELIZABETH GORDON.)

Arms--Arg. three inescutcheons gu. within a bordure chequez, of the second and first.

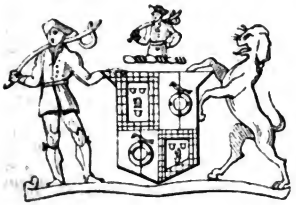
Crest—A dexter hand, holding an oxen yoke, three ears of wheat between the fingers.

Motto—Diligentia fit ubertas.

Residence—In India.

HAY, OF SEGGIEDEN.

HAY, JAMES, esq. of Seggieden, in the county of Perth, *b.* 5th May, 1771, *m.* first, in 1801, Margaret, daughter of John Richardson, esq. of Pitfour, by whom (who died 14th March, 1819) he has



JAMES-RICHARDSON, *b.* 29th December, 1802, a captain in the army, h. p. unattached, a deputy-lieutenant, &c. who inherited the estate of Aberargie, in Perthshire, upon the decease of his mother. He *m.* 7th February, 1833, Margaret-Lothian-Douglas, youngest daughter of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Inglis, of the Edinburgh regiment of militia.

John, lieutenant R.N.

Thomas, M.D. of London.

Patrick, lieutenant 42nd native infantry regiment, Bengal.

William, of Edinburgh.

Barbara.

Jane.

He espoused, secondly, in 1821, Christina-Craigie, daughter of James Stewart, esq. of Urrard. The Laird of Seggieden, who is a deputy-lieutenant of Perthshire, and one of the conveners of the county, was appointed, in 1809, lieutenant-colonel commandant of the eastern batallion of the Royal Perthshire Local Militia.

Lineage.

JAMES HAY, esq. of Pitfour, (eighth of that house, in a direct male line from PETER HAY, second son of Edmund Hay of Leys, living temp. JAMES III.) married first, Jean, daughter of Sir Andrew Hay, of Keillor, by whom he had with a daughter, a son,

JOHN, who succeeded at PITFOUR. (See HAY of PITFOUR.)

James Hay, *m.* secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir George Preston, bart. of Valleyfield, and widow of Oliphant of Gask, by whom he had another son,

PATRICK HAY, esq. who espoused Barbara, third daughter of John Nairn, esq of Seggieden, by Elizabeth Fowler, his wife. Barbara Nairn, eventually succeeded her sister as heiress of Seggieden, and entailed the property on the only son of her marriage, viz.

JOHN HAY, esq. of Seggieden. This gentleman wedded Lillias, youngest daughter of John Hay, esq. of Pitfour, by Mary, the heiress of Ross, and had, with several other children, a son and successor,

JAMES HAY, esq. of Seggieden, *b.* 17th May, 1739, who *m.* 15th August, 1770, Jean, daughter of the Rev. James Donaldson, minister of Glammis, and left, at his decease,

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23rd March, 1781, an only son and successor, the present JAMES HAY, esq. of Seggieden.

Arms—Quarterly first and fourth, arg. three inescutcheons gu. within a bordure chequez of the second and first, for HAY; and for difference in the centre of the quarters, a bull's head couped, gu. second and third party per pale sa. and arg. on a chaplet four quartrefoils all counterchanged, in the center chief a martlet arg. for difference, for NAIRN of Seggieden.

Crest—A demi countryman ppr. holding over his shoulders an oxen yoke or, the boughs gu.

Motto—Diligentia fit ubertas.

Supporters—DEXTER. A countryman ppr. holding over his shoulders an oxen yoke or, boughs gu. SINISTER a Talbot, ppr.

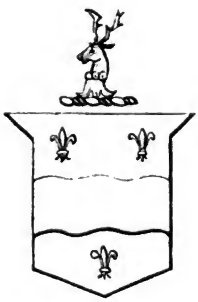
Seat—Seggieden, upon the left bank of the Tay, about four miles below Perth, and Killicranky Cottage, in the pass of Killicranky. About the time of JOHN BALIOL, SEGGIEDEN and the hospital there belonged to the monks of St. Augustine; an order, which first appeared in Britain in 1250. Spottiswood has subjoined to "Hopes minor pratiques," in his account of hospitals belonging to the popish clergy, that "these hospitals were erected either for receiving strangers, or for maintaining poor and infirm people, and they were governed by a superior who was called Magister." Among the hospitals which he enumerates is that of "Seggieden," and Cardonnel in his picturesque antiquities of Scotland gives a list of twenty nine hospitals, one of which is Seggieden.

SEGGIEDEN afterwards belonged to George Hay, first Earl of Kinnoul, Lord High Chancellor of Scotland, who died in 1634, and was succeeded by George, the second Earl, who adhering to the fortunes of King CHARLES I. during the civil wars, contracted so much debt that he found it necessary to execute a deed of division, dated 1647, by which the lands and Barony of Seggieden were assigned, with others, to Sir Thomas Blair, of Balthayock. These lands were subsequently in 1652, purchased from the Blairs, by JOHN NAIRN.

HICKES, OF SILTON HALL.

HICKES, FOWLER, esq. A. M. Un. Oxon, of Silton Hall, in the county of York, *b.* in April, 1765, barrister-at-law, and deputy-lieutenant for the North Riding of Yorkshire.

Lineage.



The family of HICKES, appears by Thoresby's Ducatus Leodiensis, to have held the manor of Nunnington, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, so early as the fourteenth century.

JOHN HICKES, Lord of Nunnington, about the year 1580, had two sons,

1. ———
2. Robert, who remained at Nunnington. This gentleman, *b.* in 1586, married in 1619, Frances Wright, and had several children. His grandson, Marmaduke, was mayor of Leeds in 1666—1681, and 1694.

The elder son,

— HICKES, who took up his abode at Nesse, near Nunnington, had two sons, Ralph, who continued at Nesse, and

WILLIAM, who migrated to Newsham Hall, near Kirby Wisk, in the North Riding of Yorkshire. He married Elizabeth Kaye, and had issue,

GEORGE, *b.* 20th June, 1640, the cele-

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brated Dr. George Hickes, Dean of Worcester 1679, and Suffragan, Bishop of Thetford, a man of universal learning, deeply read in the primitive fathers of the church, and particularly erudite in the old northern languages and antiquities, of which his "Linguarum veterum Septentrionalium Thesaurus," and the "Grammatica Anglo-Saxonica" are splendid proofs, and held in high estimation in this country, and throughout Europe.

The death of Charles II. to whom Dr. George Hickes was chaplain, and his high church principles deprived him of the see of Bristol. At the revolution he was an uncompromising non juror, and therefore bereft, in 1690, of his benefices and other church dignities. Subsequently he espoused the cause of the Chevalier, and was actively engaged in the service of that unfortunate prince. Dr. George Hickes died in 1715, in the 75th year of his age.*

John, brother of George, was of different religious principles, and became eminent as a nonconformist. In the year 1675, having published a pamphlet complaining of the conventicle act, and of the oppression of many honest men in Devonshire, where he was incumbent of Stoke, two king's messengers were sent to apprehend him as a state criminal. "It happened," continues Dr. Calamy in his nonconformist's memorial, "that upon the road Dr. J. Hickes fell into the company of these messengers, having no suspicion of them. He travelled all the morning and dined with them, when they talked with great freedom against one John Hickes as an ill man and a great enemy to the government. He bore with their scurrility till dinner was over, and then going to the stable to his horse, of which he was always tender, he there gave them to understand he was the person that they had so vilified, and to teach them to govern their tongues better in time to come took his cane and corrected them till they begged his pardon. He then mounted his horse and rode to London." Upon his arrival, he procured by means of a friend in power an introduction to the King, with whom he so successfully pleaded, that he not only obtained indemnity for himself, but for all the Devonshire nonconformists. In the ensuing reign joining the standard of the illfated Duke of Monmouth, to whom he was chaplain, he suffered death as a traitor, A. D. 1685.*

William,

The third son,

William Hickes, espoused Miss Mary Oastler, and had a son,

Thomas Hickes, esq born at Newsham Hall. He *m.* Miss Mary Fowler, and had issue,

George, who left issue one son, George. Fowler

Thomas, who died in America, leaving no issue.

Mary.

Mr. Hickes died in 1781. His second son,

Fowler Hickes, esq. of Silton Hall, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, married Jane, only child of John Topping, esq. lineally descended maternally from the Gildarts, representatives of the town of Liverpool, in many successive parliaments, and had by her an only son, the present Fowler Hickes, esq. of Silton Hall.

Arms—Gu. a fesse wavy, between three fleurs de lys or.

Crest—A buck's head couped at the shoulder or, gorged with a chaplet vert, gu.

Motto—Tout en bonne heure.

Estates—In Yorkshire, Silton, otherwise Silton Pagnell, North Riding of that county, an ancient seat of the Constables, of Burton Constable.

Seat—Silton Hall, near Thirsk.

Note—A Branch of the family of Hickes, of Nunnington, early in the sixteenth century settled in Gloucestershire, and was elevated to the peerage in the person of Sir Baptist Hickes, who was created Baron Hickes, of Ilmington, in the county of Warwick, and Viscount Campden, of Campden, *com.* Glost. His lordship died in 1629, and was succeeded by (the husband of his eldest daughter) Edward Noel, esq. (See Burke's *Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

The Viscount's elder brother Sir Michael Hickes, knt. bred to the bar, was secretary to the Lord High Treasurer Burghley. He purchased the estate of Beverstone, in Gloucestershire, and on his decease was succeeded by his eldest son William Hickes, esq. of Beverston, created a Baronet 25th July, 1619. Sir William married Margaret, dau. of William Lord Paget.

* Zouche's Sketches, Biogr. Dict. Biogr. Britt. last edition.

* Calamy, Palmer and Biogr. Britt. last edition.

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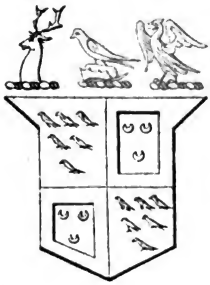
ARUNDEL, OF TRERICE.

ARUNDEL-HARRIS, WILLIAM-ARUNDEL, esq. of Lifton Park, in the county of Devon, *b.* 17th September, 1794, espoused Mary-Lucinda, second daughter of William Webber, esq. of Exmouth, and has had issue,

William-Arundel-Walpole, *b.* 24th June, 1816, and died in the October of the same year.
WILLIAM-REINFRID-ARUNDEL, *b.* 12th January, 1822.
Mary-Wilmot.
Penelope.

Mr. Harris-Arundel, who re-assumed the surname of ARUNDEL in 1822, served the office of high-sheriff of Cornwall in 1817. He is a magistrate for the counties of Devon and Cornwall, and a deputy-lieutenant for the former shire.

Lineage.



The ancient and eminent family of ARUNDEL, of TRERICE, now represented by W. A. HARRIS-ARUNDEL, esq. of Lifton, derives its descent from

ROGER DE ARUNDEL, who held twenty lordships in the county of Somerset, 20th WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

GILBERT DE ARUNDEL, who acquired lands in Dorsetshire and Wilts, temp. *King* STEPHEN. He wedded Rosamond de Novant, and left a son and heir,

RICHARD DE ARUNDEL, who accounted for £40. knights' fees, 7th HENRY II. He *m.* Juliana ——, and was *s.* by his son,

REINFRID DE ARUNDEL, who espoused Alice de Butler, and was father of

SIR REINFRID ARUNDEL, living in the 15th HENRY III. This gentleman *m.* Alice de Lanherne, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR HUMPHREY ARUNDEL, who wedded Joan Umphraville, and had a son and heir,

SIR RALPH ARUNDEL, sheriff of Cornwall in 1260. This feudal lord *m.* Eve, daughter of Sir Richard de Roche, of Roche, and was *s.* by his only son,

RENIFRICK ARUNDEL, who wedded Margaret Trombleigh, and left a son and successor,

SIR JOHN ARUNDEL, knt. of Lanherne, in the county of Cornwall, who espoused Joan, daughter of John De la Beere, of Somersetshire, and had issue. Sir John Arundel was *s.* at his demise by his son,

JOHN ARUNDEL. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Oliver Carminowe, by whom, who *d.* in 1363, he left a son and heir,

SIR JOHN ARUNDEL, knt. marshall of England, in the reign of RICHARD II. who *m.* Joan, daughter and co-heiress of Sir William de Lustock, knt. of Lustook, in Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN ARUNDEL, of Lanherne, sheriff of Cornwall in 1418, 1424, and 1427, and created a Knight of the Bath at the coronation of HENRY IV. who wedded Eleanor, daughter and heir of Sir William Lamborne, knt. by Joan, his wife, daughter and heiress of Ralph Soor, of Talverne, and had three sons,

JOHN (Sir), of Lanherne, from whom the ARUNDELS, of WARDOUR. (See *Burke's Peerage.*)
THOMAS, of whom we are about to treat.
Humphrey, who *m.* Joan, daughter of

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Sir John Coleshill, and had two sons, viz.

John, Bishop of Exeter in 1501.

Humphrey (Sir), who *m.* Elizabeth Hoyard, and *d. s. p.*

The second son,

THOMAS ARUNDEL, of Kenelhelwas, married Mary, daughter of Durnford, of Durnford, in the county of Somerset, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR OLIVER ARUNDEL, Lord of Carshay, or the English Castle, who *m.* Margery, daughter and co-heir of Ralph, Lord of Albominster, son of George, Lord Arundel, and the Lady Maud, his wife, and left a son and heir,

RALPH ARUNDEL, of Kenelhelwas, who *m.* in 1422, Joan, daughter and sole heiress of Michael Trerice, and was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

NICHOLAS ARUNDEL, who wedded Jane, daughter of Peller, Lord of Peller, &c. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN ARUNDEL, knt. of Trerice. This gentleman married Jane, daughter and heiress of John Durant, and had issue,

NICHOLAS, his heir.

Richard, who left with a son, who died *s. p.* a daughter, who *m.* — Vyvyan, of Trelowarren.

Sir John was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

NICHOLAS ARUNDEL, who *m.* Jane, daughter and heir of Edward St. John, and had

Leonard, who predeceased his father without issue.

JOHN (Sir) his heir

Alexander, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Lanyon, and, by this marriage, was ancestor of the ARUNDELS of Leigh.

The eldest surviving son and heir,

SIR JOHN ARUNDEL, of Trerice, espoused Amy or Anne, daughter of Sir Walter Moyle, of the county of Kent, and dying in 1561, left issue,

I. JOHN (Sir), of Trerice, whose great-great-grandson,

RICHARD ARUNDEL,* was elevated to the peerage in 1664 as BARON ARUNDEL, of TRERICE. The male line of this nobleman having failed, the representation of the ARUNDELS of TRERICE has passed to the descendant of ROBERT, the second son of Sir John Arundel, by his wife, Amy Moyle, namely, the present W. A. Harris-Arundel, esq. of Lifton.

II. ROBERT, of whom presently.

III. Nicholas, } both died *s. p.*
IV. Walter, }

The second son of Sir John,

SIR ROBERT ARUNDEL,† styled *knight* on his tombstone in Camborne Church, is named in the will of his father, Sir John Arundel, of Trerice (as are the other sons and daughters of that gentleman), by which the estate of Menedarva is given to him and his heirs for ever. He *m.* first, Eleanor, daughter of Robert Southwood, but by her had no issue. He wedded secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of William Clopton, esq. of Warwick, by his wife, a daughter of the ennobled house of Grey, and had

CHRISTOPHER, his heir.

John, who *m.* in 1583, Elizabeth, daughter of — Trenwith.

William.

Richard.

Mary.

Jacquetta, *m.* to Bosawsack, of Bosawsack.

Blanch.

Julian, *m.* to Carew, of Antonie.

Sir Robert Arundel died in 1580, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

CHRISTOPHER ARUNDEL, esq. of Menedarva, named in the will of his grandfather, Arundel of Trerice. This gentleman *m.* in 1583, Katherine, daughter of William Chiverton, esq. of Paul, in the county of Cornwall, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Thomas.

John, who *m.* Anne Pendarves, and had issue, John, baptized, at Camborne, 7th September, 1623; Elizabeth, baptized, at Camborne, 23rd May, 1626.

Margery.

Elizabeth, *m.* to David Grosse, esq.

The eldest son and heir,

WILLIAM ARUNDEL, esq. of Menedarva, married, in 1608, Dorcas, daughter of E. Grosse, esq. of Camborne, by whom (who died in 1644, and lies buried at Camborne) he had six sons and a daughter, viz.

I. EZEKIOL, his heir.

II. William.

III. John.

IV. ROBERT, who *m.* Elizabeth Pendarves, of Roserowe, and had issue, Nicholas, who went to Malaga, in Spain, and married there about

* From FRANCIS ARUNDEL, brother of the first peer, descended the TRENGWAINTON ARUNDELS.

† See Harleian MSS. Vis. of Cornwall, cod. 1162, pl. 56 D. another, cod. 1079, 65 B. and a third, 1149, 66 B. This gentleman, in the *original* visitation of Cornwall, is registered as a knight, and as second son of Sir John Arundel, of Trerice and Camborne, knt. by Anne, daughter of Sir Walter Moyle.

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1674, as appears by the pleadings at the trial at Launceston, in 1692. He died in 1683, leaving (with an only daughter, who accompanied her mother and brother to England in 1691) an only surviving son,

WILLIAM, of whom hereafter as inheritor of the estates and representation of the family.

v. Francis.
vi. James.
vii. Catherine, *m.* to Richard Pendarves, esq.

William Arundel died in 1631, and was buried at Camborne. His eldest son and heir,

EZEKIOL ARUNDEL, esq. espoused Margery Bossaverne, and had (with a daughter, Margery, baptized, at Camborne, 7th April, 1641) an only son,

WILLIAM ARUNDEL, esq. baptized, at Camborne, 11th August, 1639, who died without issue in 1692, and was succeeded by his cousin,

WILLIAM ARUNDEL, esq. aged three months at the death of his father. This gentleman on his return from Spain had to institute proceedings for the recovery of the family estates. The case was tried at Launceston, and decided in his favour. anno 1692. He *m.* in 1700, Elizabeth Tremenheere, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Elizabeth.
Anne.

Mr. Arundel dying in 1708, was buried at Camborne, and *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM ARUNDEL, esq. of Menedarva and Trengwainton, who *m.* first, in 1724, Jane, daughter of Christopher Harris, esq. of Hayne, and sister of John Harris, master of the household to Kings George II. and George III. which John settled lands in Devon and Cornwall upon the said Jane and her issue. By this lady he had a daughter, Jane, married to — Starmer, esq. and a son, WILLIAM, his heir. Mr. Arundel wedded, secondly, the daughter of — Pendarves, esq. and relict of — Williams, esq. but had no further issue. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM ARUNDEL, of Trengwainton and Menedarva, *b.* in 1725, who assumed, in 1776, the surname and arms of HARRIS. He *m.* first, Wilmot Daniell, of Crane, and secondly, Frances Nicolls, by the former of whom only he had issue, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.
John, who *m.* Maria, daughter of — Sanders, esq. and had issue,
1. William.
2. Anne.
3. Maria.
4. Lydia.
5. Laura, who *d. s. p.* in 1820.
Arthur.
Jane.
Wilmot.
Elizabeth.
Wilmot.
Lydia.

Mr. (Arundel) Harris *d.* in 1792, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THE REV. WILLIAM ARUNDEL-HARRIS, of Kenegie and Lifton, who *m.* in 1793, Mary, daughter of John Beard, esq. of Hall Whyddon, in Cornwall, and left at his decease a son and heir, the present WILLIAM-ARUNDEL HARRIS-ARUNDEL, esq. of Lifton, now representative of the ARUNDELS, of TRERICE.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, sa. six swallows arg. three, two, one, for ARUNDEL. Second and third, sa. within a border, three crescents argent, for HARRIS.

Crest—First, a stag's head ppr. horned or; second, on a chapeau sa. turned up ermine, a martlet arg. for ARUNDEL; third, an eagle rising ermine, beaked and spurred or, for HARRIS.

Mottoes—For ARUNDEL, De Hirundine, and Nulli præda. For HARRIS, Kar Deu. Res. Pub. tra.

Estates—In Devon.

Seat—Lifton Park, Devon.

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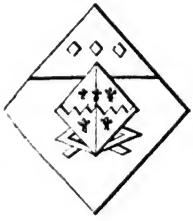
BAVERSTOCK, OF ALTON AND WINDSOR.

BAVERSTOCK, JANE, of Windsor, in the county of Berks, *b.* in 1750-1. This lady, the daughter of the Rev. John Hinton, and heiress of her mother, *m.* in 1769, JAMES, youngest son of THOMAS BAVERSTOCK, esq. of Alton, by whom (who *d.* at Southampton, 26th December, 1815, and was interred at Alton) she has had issue,



I. Thomas, who espoused Margaret, daughter of Captain Vallancy, (late major of brigade to the forces in Ireland, and secretary to the commander-in-chief,) but *d. s. p.* in 1816.

II. JAMES-HINTON, F.S.A. *b.* 31st December, 1785, *m.* first, in 1809, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Bridger Seward, esq. of Chawton, by Mary Duncombe, his wife, descended from an ancient Surrey family, and has issue,

JAMES-HINTON, *b.* in 1815.
Mary.
Jane.

He wedded, secondly, Miss Hannah Seward, by whom he has,

John, *b.* in 1822.
Thomas Bosville-Boteler, *b.* in 1830.
Anna.
Alicia-Catherine.
Elizabeth-Emma.

III. Jane, *m.* to Montagu Grover, esq. of Boveney, in Bucks, *d. s. p.* in 1808.

IV. Frances.

Mrs. Baverstock, whose descent is highly honorable, counts amongst her progenitors some of the most ancient houses in the kingdom; she represents solely the Hintons, of Newbury, the Martins, of Witney and Ensham, the Knights, of Chawton, and the Botelers, of Fryerning, in Essex, while as a co-heir, she is partly representative of the Knightly family, of BOSVILLE, of EYNSFORD.

Lineage.

MICHAEL MARTIN, esq. of Ensham, in the county of Oxford, born in 1545, died in 1610, leaving a son and heir,

RICHARD MARTIN, esq. of Ensham, *b.* in 1573, who *m.* a lady named Joan, but of what family is not ascertained, and left at his decease in 1617, three sons, viz.

1. RICHARD, *b.* in 1612, who wedded Dorothy, daughter of Stephen, and sister to Richard Knight, esq. of Chawton. (See family of KNIGHT, of *Godmersham.*)
2. Michael, who died *s. p.*
3. EDWARD.

The third son,

EDWARD MARTIN, esq. of Whitney, in Oxfordshire, espoused Anne, daughter of — Brice, of the same place, and had an only dau. and heiress, JOAN MARTIN, who married

THE REV. JOHN HINTON, prebendary of Sarum, rector of Newbury, &c. and had, with younger children, a son,

THE REV. EDWARD HINTON, rector of Sheering, in Essex, *b.* in 1671, who wedded Mary, daughter, and eventually sole heiress of the Rev. Francis Bridge, D D. of Hatfield Broad Oak, by his wife, Martha, daughter of THOMAS BOTELER, of Fryerning. By this lady he had a son, who died an infant, and a daughter,

MARTHA HINTON, who espoused in 1745, her cousin, the Rev. John Hinton, (son of JOHN, fifth son of the rector of Newbury) and had an only surviving child,

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JANE HINTON, heiress to her mother, and the families which that lady represented. She wedded, as previously stated, JAMES BAVERSTOCK, esq. of Alton and Windsor.

The Rev. John Hinton *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Harrison, esq. of Amery, in Alton, by whom he had, with three surviving daughters, an only son, JOHN-KNIGHT HINTON. Mr. Hinton died in 1802, at his rectory of Chawton, to which living he had been presented in 1744, pursuant to a bequest in the will of his kinswoman, Mrs. KNIGHT.

FAMILIES OF BOTELER AND BOSVILLE.

The BOSVILLS were originally from Yorkshire, where several distinct branches formerly flourished, and where some still remain. In the course of a long and unbroken descent they allied with families of high distinction through whom they became connected with many of the princely and noble houses of Europe.

SIR RALPH BOSVILLE, of Bradburne, (second son of John Bosvile, of Gunthwaite, in Yorkshire) appears to have been the first of this family who settled in Kent. Sir Ralph, who was clerk of the court of wards and liveries, espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Clement, of the Moat, in Ightham, (by Anne, his wife, relict of John Grey, brother of Thomas, second marquess of Dorset, and grandson to ELIZABETH WIDVILLE, queen consort of EDWARD IV.) and dying in 1580, left, with other issue,

SIR ROBERT BOSVILLE (his second son). This gentleman espousing Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of John Sybil, of Eynsford, acquired that estate, and settled there about the year 1586. Sir Robert died in 1623, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR HENRY BOSVILLE, of Eynsford, *b.* in 1587, who *m.* Isabella,* eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Wiseman, of Rivenhall, in Essex, and had (with other children, of whose descendants, if there were any, no trace remains)

1. THOMAS (Sir), whose granddaughter and heiress,

   MARGARET BOSVILLE, *m.* Sir Robert Marsham, of Bushy Hall, Herts. The great-great grandson of this marriage is the present,

   CHARLES MARSHAM, EARL OF ROMNEY (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

2. Henry (Sir), who died *s. p.* in 170?
3. ISABELLA.

The eldest daughter of Sir Henry,

ISABELLA BOSVILLE, wedded in 1637, THOMAS BOTELER,† esq. of Fryerning, by whom (who died in 1681) she had several children, all of whom died without issue, except one of the daughters, MARTHA, of whom hereafter, as eventual heiress of the family. The eldest son and heir,

THE REV. THOMAS BOTELER, of Trinity College, Cambridge, died unmarried in

* This lady was lineally descended from SIR THOMAS MORE. Her mother being Isabel, daughter of Anthony, second son of William Roper, of Eltham, by Margaret, the chancellor's favorite daughter.

† A member of the ancient house of BOTELER

JOHN BOTELER, of Yatton, living temp. EDWARD I. fifth in lineal descent from Radulphus *Pincerna*, espoused Anne Hanbury, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN BOTELER, to whom succeeded,

NICHOLAS BOTELER, who *m.* in the reign of EDWARD III. Jane, daughter and heiress of — Boteler, of Droitwich, and had a son,

WILLIAM BOTELER, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of John Webb, of Wyche, in the county of Worcester, by Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Froxmere, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM BOTELER, of Wyche, living temp. HENRY VI. This gentleman espoused Isabel, or Elizabeth, daughter of — Bradwell, and had, by her, a son and successor,

WILLIAM BOTELER, of Wyche, who *m.* Dionisda, daughter of — Barnesley, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM BOTELER, of Wyche, who espoused Jane, daughter and heiress of Bachecote, and died in 1509, leaving a son and heir,

GEORGE BOTELER, esq. of Shambrooke, in the county of Bedford, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard Throgmorton, esq. of Highhamsike, in the county of Northampton, and granddaughter of Sir Robert Throckmorton, by whom he left, with other issue, at his decease in 1551, a son and heir,

JOHN BOTELER, esq. of Shambrook, who *m.* first, Cressida, daughter of Sir John St. John, of Bletshoe, in the county of Bedford, and secondly, Mary, daughter of John Gedge, of Essex, surveyor to *Queen* MARY. By the first lady he had, inter alios,

1. OLIVER (Sir), of Shambrook and Barham Court, in Kent, ancestor of the BARONETS BOTELER, which family became EXTINCT on the death of SIR PHILIP BOTELER, bart. in 1772.
2. JOHN.

The second son,

JOHN BOTELER, esq. of Little Birch Hall, and of Fryerning, in Essex, living in 1634, married Jane, daughter of Edward Elliot, esq. of Newland Hall, and was *s.* by his second, but only surviving son,

THOMAS BOTELER, esq. of Fryerning, who wedded, as in the text, ISABEL, daughter of HENRY SIR BOSVILLE, of Eynsford, in Kent.

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1709, when the representation of the family devolved upon his only surviving sisters, MARY, who died unmarried, and was buried at Chawton in 1746, and

MARTHA BOTELER, who espoused the Rev. Francis Bridge, of Hatfield Broad Oak, D.D. and had issue,

Sarah Bridge, *m.* to Phil. Betts, esq. but *d. s. p.*

Martha Bridge, died unmarried.

MARY BRIDGE, who wedded, as previously stated, the Rev. EDWARD HINTON, of Sheering, and was grandmother of JANE HINTON, now Mrs. Baverstock.

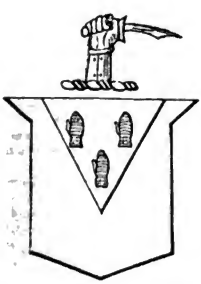
Arms — Az. a fret or, on a chief of the second, three fusils vair for BAVERSTOCK; on an escutcheon of pretence, the ensigns of HINTON, viz. quarterly, per fess indented, or and sa. five fleurs-de-lys, 3rd and 2nd, counterchanged. Mrs. Baverstock quarters the ensigns of many eminent houses, including those of BRIDGE, BOTELER, BOSVILLE, BERTRAM, CHAMPNEYS, &c.

Residence—Windsor.

JOLLIFFE, OF AMMERDOWN PARK.

JOLLIFFE, JOHN-TWYFORD, esq. of Ammerdown Park, in the county of Somerset, inherited the estates at the decease of his father, in 1824.

Lineage.



The family of JOLLIFFE, originally JOLLI, is of considerable antiquity in the counties of Stafford and Worcester, and the pedigree, in possession of the senior members, comprises intermarriages with many eminent and noble houses. One branch established in the north, enjoyed, it appears from authentic records, power and affluence, even before the institution in Europe of hereditary honors.

JOHN JOLLI, living about the middle of the 16th century, was father of

THOMAS JOLLI, of Leek, in the county of Stafford, and of Buglawton, in Cheshire, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Laurence Swettenham, of Somerford, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM JOLLI, of Bothoms, in Staffordshire, *b.* in 1584, who wedded Anne, daughter of Benedict Webb, of Kingswood, in Gloucestershire, and was father of

THOMAS JOLLEY, OR JOLLIFFE, esq. of Cofton Hall, in the county of Worcester, who *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of Richard Skinner, esq. of Cofton (by Margaret, daughter of Sir Edward Lyttleton, knt. of Pillaton, and Margaret, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Sir William Devereux, son of Walter, Viscount Hereford,) by whom (who died 6th January, 1647), he left surviving issue,

BENJAMIN, his heir.

Anne, *m.* to Alexander Fitton, esq. of Gauseworth, in Cheshire.

—, *m.* to Tilston Brayne, esq. of Stapleford.

He wedded secondly, Mary, daughter of Sir Gabriel Lowe, knt. of Newark, and by that lady (who died in 1663) had another son, William, who died unmarried in 1680. Mr. Jolliffe died in 1694, and was *s.* by his son,

BENJAMIN JOLLIFFE, esq. of Cofton Hall, who espoused Mary, daughter of John Jolliffe, esq. of London, and sister of Sir William Jolliffe, by whom he left at his decease, in 1719,

I. THOMAS, his successor at Cofton Hall, who died unmarried in 1758.

II. William, died unmarried at Aleppo.

III. JOHN, of whom presently.

IV. Rebecca, *m.* to Humphrey Lowe, esq. of Bromsgrove, in Worcestershire. Her grandson,

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Thomas Humphrey Lowe, esq. of Bromsgrove, *m.* in 1780, Lucy, eldest daughter and co-heir of Thomas Hill, esq. of Court of Hill, in the county of Salop, M.P. and died, leaving issue. (See family of Hill.)

v. Anne, *m.* to Robert Biddulph, esq. of Ledbury.

The third son,

JOHN JOLLIFFE, esq. represented the borough of Petersfield in parliament, *anno* 1763. He wedded first, Katherine, daughter of Robert Mitchell, esq. of Petersfield, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter and heiress of Samuel Holden, esq. of London, by whom he had

I. WILLIAM, M.P. who espoused Eleanor, dau. and heiress of Sir Richard Hylton, bart. (formerly Musgrave), of Hayton Castle, in Cumberland, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

The Rev. WILLIAM JOLLIFFE, who *m.* Julia, daughter of Sir Abraham Pytches, knt. of Streatham, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son, the present SIR WILLIAM GEORGE HYLTON JOLLIFFE, bart.

II. THOMAS-SAMUEL, of whom presently.

The following lines by SAVAGE, entitled the "Portraiture of a Gentleman," are known to have been intended for Mr. Jolliffe:

A graceful mien, engaging in address;
Looks which at once each winning charm express;
A life, where love, by wisdom polish'd, shines,
Where wisdom's self again, by love, refines;
Where we to chance for friendship never trust,
Nor ever dread from sudden whim disgust;
To social manners, and the heart humane;
A nature ever great, and never vain;
A wit that no licentious coarseness knows:
The sense, that unassuming candour shows:
Reason, by narrow principles uncheck'd,
SLAVE TO NO PARTY, BIGOT TO NO SECT;
Knowledge of various life, of learning too;
Thence taste, thence truth, which will from taste ensue;
Unwilling censure, though a judgment clear;
A smile indulgent, and that smile sincere!
An humble, though an elevated mind;
A pride, its pleasure but to serve mankind:
If these esteem and admiration raise,
Give true delight and gain unflatt'ring praise;
In one bright view the accomplished man we see:—
These graces all were thine, and thou wert he.

Mr. Jolliffe was succeeded, at his decease, in 1771, by his son,

THOMAS-SAMUEL JOLLIFFE, esq. M.P. for Petersfield, who wedded, in 1778, Mary-Anne, daughter and heiress of — Twyford, esq. of Kilmersdon, in the county of Somerset, by whom he had issue,

JOHN-TWYFORD, his heir.
Thomas-Robert, in holy orders.
Charles, an officer in the army, who fell at Waterloo.
Mary-Anne.

Mr. Jolliffe died on the 6th June, 1824, a the close of the seventy-eighth year of his age. The following particulars of this excellent country gentleman appeared in the *Bath Herald* of that period.

"Descended from an ancient family which dates its origin from the incursion of the Norman Conqueror, and collaterally allied to some of the chief nobles of the Kingdom, Mr. Jolliffe filled an elevated station in society with distinguished ability and credit. Of late years he resided almost entirely in the country; but he formerly mingled in the brilliant circles of the Metropolis, and sate in several parliaments, during the government of Lord North, and the first poriod of Mr. Pitt's administration. In the House of Commons, as in every other situation, he sustained the character of a high minded and scrupulously honorable gentleman. Of the disinterested and upright principle which universally governed his conduct, he early in life gave an eminent proof, by resisting a very flattering overture, which embraced high hereditary rank as well as pecuniary emolument, rather than desert those connexions whose political views he had conscientiously adopted. Mr. Jolliffe had considerable property in various parts of England; but his chief estates were in Somersetshire, for which county he was several years since, appointed high-sheriff, and served the office with a degree of splendour, which has seldom been equalled; the whole of his retinue on that occasion being selected from his principal tenantry. As a magistrate, he was acute, active, humane, upright, intrepid, and intelligent; his opinions were received with the sincerest deference, and his decisions heard with respectful acquiescence. On the institution of the Fencible Dragoons, at an important crisis of the late war, he was appointed to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel; a situation for which he was peculiarly qualified by his habits of activity, his address in the management of his horse, and his personal accomplishments. Since the reduction of the regiment, he has resided almost exclusively on his extensive domain; where in the calm scenes of domestic retirement, he became the centre of a grateful and admiring circle."

Mr. Jolliffe was *s.* by his elder son, the present JOHN TWYFORD JOLLIFFE, esq. of Ammerdown Park.

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Arms—Arg. on a pile azure, three dexter gauntlets of the field.

Crest—A cubit arm erect, vested and cuffed, the sleeve charged with a pile arg. the hand grasping a sword ppr.

Estates—The lordship of the extensive hundreds of Kilmersdon and Willow, with their royalties and paramountship, in the county of Somerset; other lands in Kent.

Seat—Ammerdown Park, near Bath.

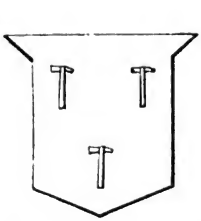
HAMERTON, OF HELLIFIELD-PEEL.

HAMERTON, JAMES, esq. of Hellifield-Peel, in the county of York, M.A. barrister-at-law, *b.* 16th May, 1779, *m.* 22nd April, 1806, Maria, daughter of S. Chamberlayne, esq. of Ryes, in Essex, and has issue,

CHISNALL, *b.* 22nd February, 1807, B.A.
John, *b.* in April, 1810, B.A.
Henry, *b.* 14th March, 1813.
Mary-Anne.
Frances.

Mr. Hamerton succeeded his father in 1824.

Lineage.



"The Town of Hamerton," says Doctor Whitaker, "gives its name to one of the most ancient families in the North of England." The first member of which upon record,

RICHARD DE HAMERTON, living in the 12th of HENRY II. was lineal ancestor of

ADAM DE HAMERTON, Lord of Hamerton, who flourished towards the close of the reign of EDWARD III. He *m.* Katherine, daughter of Elias de Knolle, and acquired thereby the manors of Wigglesworth, Knolsmere, and Hellifield.* He was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD DE HAMERTON, Lord of Hamerton, Knolsmere, Wigglesworth, and Hellifield, who augmented his possessions by espousing Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of William de Radcliffe, (and of his wife Ellen, niece and heiress of Henry de Langfield, of Langfield). The son and heir of this marriage,

LAURENCE HAMERTON, of Hamerton, Langfield, &c. obtaining in the 19th of HENRY VI. license to fortify and embattle his manor of Hellifield, erected the mansion of HELLIFIELD-PEEL. He wedded Isabel, daughter of Sir John Tempest of Bracewell, (see page 290) and left issue,

RICHARD (Sir), his heir.
Isabel, *m.* first, to — Radcliff, of the county of Lancaster, and secondly, to Sir John Mallory, of Studley.
Alice, *m.* to Richard Sherburne, of Stonyhurst.
Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Thomas Aldwark, of Aldwark, and secondly to John Woodrove, of Wollay.
Jane, *m.* to — Metcalfe, of Nappey.
Grace, *m.* to Thomas Pudsay, of Barford.
Katherine, *m.* to Peter Murfield, of Tong.

He was *s.* by his son,

SIR RICHARD HAMERTON, of Hamerton, who founded a chantry in the church of Long Preston, dedicated to our Ladye, and

* HELLIFIELD, anciently HELGEFELT, (the field of HELGE, its first SAXON possessor) was held by its mesnes lords of the knights of St. John, of Jerusalem, and by the latter of the Percies, chief lords of the fee. The Knolles acquired it from Isabel, daughter of Richard de Helgefelt, and widow of Robert de Stainton.

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St. Anne. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, relict of Sir Ralph Harrington, and daughter of Sir John Assheton, K.B. of Assheton-under-Line. He *d.* in 1480, leaving with a daughter, Jane, the wife of Brian Rocliffe, of Cowthorpe, one of the barons of the Exchequer, a son and successor,

SIR STEPHEN HAMERTON, of Hamerton, who was made a knight banneret in Scotland, by Richard, Duke of Gloucester, in the 20th EDWARD IV. He espoused Isabel, daughter of Sir William Plumpton, of Plumpton, and dying in the 16th HENRY VII. was *s.* by his only son,

JOHN HAMERTON, of Hamerton, &c. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Geoffrey Middleton, of Middleton, in Westmorland, and had issue,

- STEPHEN (Sir), his successor.
- Richard, who *m.* Agnes, daughter of John Sedgwick, of Dent, and had, (with younger children)
  - JOHN, of whom hereafter, as continuator of the family.
- Laurence.
- Thomas, living in Craven, in the time of HENRY VIII.

John Hamerton *d.* in the 6th HENRY VIII. and was found by inquisition to have been seized in demesne as of fee in the manors of Hamerton, Knolsmere, Wigglesworth, Hellifield, Langfield, &c. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR STEPHEN HAMERTON, of Hamerton, who *m.* in the 21st HENRY VII. Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Ralph de Bigod, knt. of Setterington, and had an only son,

- HENRY, who wedded Joan, daughter of Christopher Stapleton, esq. of Wighill, and died, supposed of a broken heart, on the day of his father's execution. He left an only daughter,
  - MARGARET, who wedded Francis Redman, esq.

In the 17th HENRY VIII. we find Sir Stephen Hamerton in the train of Henry de Clifford, first earl of Cumberland, and in favor at court, but afterwards being involved in the great Northern insurrection, (anno 1537) he received his majesty's pardon. Rebelling* a second time with the Lord Darcy, and his brother-in-law, Sir Francis de Bigod, he was taken prisoner, conveyed to London, and executed and attainted. The estates of this unfortunate gentleman falling under the attainder, HELLIFIELD PEEL remained vested in the crown, until granted (in the 37th HENRY VIII.) by the name of "the manor of Hellifield, with its appurtenances, part of the possession of Stephen Hamerton, knt. attainted of high treason," to George Browne, and his heirs, to be held of the King *in capite* for the consideration of £296. 9*s.* 2*d.* The estate did not remain however long in this family, for in the 7th EDWARD VI. it was alienated to Sir Arthur Darcy, knt. and by him, in the next reign, transferred to John Redman, esq. father of the gentleman who had married the granddaughter of the attainted Sir Stephen Hamerton. In the 3rd of ELIZABETH, this John Redman passed the manor to the nephew, and next male heir of the said Sir Stephen, namely,

JOHN HAMERTON, esq. who thus became "of Hellifield-Peel." This gentleman wedded Ursula, daughter of Robert Banister, esq. of Kilbrook, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

LAURENCE HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel, who espoused Mary, daughter of William Wycliffe, esq. of Wycliffe, and had a son and successor,

STEPHEN HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel. This gentleman *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Sir Mauger Vavasor, knt. of Weston, (see page 54) but had no issue. He wedded secondly, in 1607, Mary, daughter of Laurence Lister, esq. of Thornton and Midhope, and was *s.* at his decease, 9th November, 1651, by his eldest son,

JOHN HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel, *b.* in 1610, *m.* Dorothy, daughter and coheir of Richard Folkingham, esq. of North Hall, in Yorkshire, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

STEPHEN HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel, who espoused Eleanor, daughter of Alexander Rushton, esq. of Rushton Grange, and dying in 1676, left an only surviving son and heir,

STEPHEN HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel, *b.* in 1668, who *m.* Anne, daughter and heiress of Sir Edward Chisenhall, of Chisenhall, in the county of Lancaster, and was *s.* in 1745, by his eldest son,

JOHN HAMERTON, esq. of Hellifield Peel, *b.* in 1695, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Thomas Purchase, esq. of Langton, by whom (who *d.* in 1740) he had an only surviving child,

- MARY, *m.* to the Rev. James Brooke, of Killoughbeck.

Mr. Hamerton wedded secondly, Mary, daughter of Gilbert Holden, esq. of Hollins and dying in 1763, left by this lady,

- JAMES, his successor.
- John, A.B. *d.* in 1773, unm.
- Gilbert, *b.* in 1754.
- Thomas.
- William.
- Susanna.
- Anne.

The eldest son,

* The insurrection is known in history as the "Pilgrimage of Grace."

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James Hamerton, esq. of Hellifield Peel, *b.* 16th April, 1749, wedded Miss Hancock, and had two sons, and two daughters, viz.

James, his heir.
William-Richard.
Mary-Ann.
Susan.

Mr. Hamerton *d.* in 1824, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present James Hamerton, esq. of Hellifield Peel.

Arms—Argent, three hammers sa.

Crest—A greyhound couchant.

Motto—Fixus adversa sperno.

Estates—Hellifield, in the county of York, and Chisnall Hall, in Lancashire.

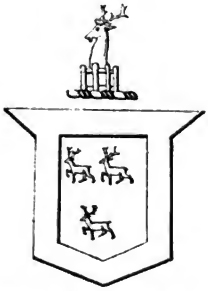
Seat—Hellifield Peel.

GREENE, OF ROLLESTON.

GREENE, HENRY, esq. of Rolleston Hall, in the county of Leicester, *b.* 4th April, 1794, *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his maternal uncle, Henry Green, esq. in 1801.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was Thomas, assumed, by sign manual, in 1815, the surname and arms of Greene, as representative of that ancient family.

Lineage.



The family of Greene, of Rolleston, is of high antiquity in the county of Leicester.

Richard Greene, esq. of Wykin, in the county of the city of Coventry, was father of

Richard Greene, esq. of Wykin, who espoused Joan, daughter of Edward Pell, esq. of Rolleston, and sister and co-heir of Edward Pell, esq. of the Middle Temple, and had issue,

Richard, of Wykin, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Smith, esq. of Withcote, and left an only daughter and heiress,

Elizabeth, who *m.* her cousin, Henry Greene, esq.

Edward, William, Thomas, Francis, } all *d. s. p.*

Henry, of whom presently.

The youngest son,

Henry Greene,* esq. of Rolleston, espoused Mary, daughter of Abel Barker, esq. of Hamilton, in the county of Rutland, and sister to Sir Abel Barker, by whom he had, with other issue, a son,

Henry Greene, esq. of Rolleston, *b.* about the year 1663, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of his uncle, Richard Greene, esq. of Wykin, by whom he had an only son,

Richard Greene, esq. of Rolleston, who served the office of sheriff of Leicester in 1731. This gentleman *m.* Catharine, daughter of William Fortrey, esq. and niece of James Fortrey,† esq. of Royal Fenn, and had issue,

* This gentleman was born on shipboard in the passage from Dieppe to England: and either he or his father built the house opposite to Kew Palace, which has since been inhabited by several branches of the Royal family.

† By this James Fortrey, who was page of the Back Stairs to King James II. many of the family pictures now at Rolleston Hall were painted; and several curiosities still in the family collected. He *m.* the celebrated Lady Bellasyse, widow of the son of John, Lord Bellasyse, who was remarkable for a vivacity which seems to have supplied the place, and answered all the purposes of beauty: though she was one of the least handsome women that appeared at court, she gained so far upon the affections of the Duke of York, that he gave her a promise under his hand to marry, which through the interference of King Charles was afterwards destroyed.

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HENRY, his successor.

Anna-Maria, *m.* in 1759, to Edward Hickman, esq. of Old Swinford, in the county of Worcester, and *d.* in 1779, leaving four sons and four daughters.

Catherine, *m.* to Rev. Christopher Hatton Walker, M.A. rector of Harrington, Northamptonshire, and of Kibworth, in the county of Leicester, by whom she had issue,

1. RICHARD, in holy orders, rector of Galby.
2. Catharine, *m.* in December, 1791, to the Rev. George Boulton, rector of Oxendon and vicar of Weston, by whom she has issue,

   Henry Towers Boulton, *b.* in February, 1794.

   Catharine, Georgiana, Anna, } Boulton.

Richard Greene *d.* in January, 1781, and was *s.* by his son,

THE REV. HENRY GREENE, M.A. rector of Little Burstead and Laingdon, in Essex, and prebendary of Oxted in St. Paul's Cathedral, who *m.* Mary, only daughter of William Stainforth, esq. of Stillington near York, by Judith, one of the co-heiresses of Sir Walter Hawksworth, of Hawksworth, and had issue,

HENRY, *b.* in December, 1761, who *s.* his father at Rolleston, 13th September, 1797, and *m.* in August, 1794, Elizabeth, daughter of John Glover, esq. of Barton, in Cambridgeshire, but dying without issue, in March, 1801, the family estates devolved upon his nephew.

Catharine, who *m.* the Rev. Edward Thomas, M.A. vicar of Billesdon, and had issue,

1. HENRY THOMAS (now GREENE), present proprietor.
2. Edward-Thomas, *b.* 20th September, 1795.
3. Catherine-Thomas.

Arms—Vert, three bucks trippant or, within a bordure of the second, quartering the ensigns of many distinguished houses, including PELL, FORTREY, JOCELYN, BARDOLF, &c.

Crest—Out of park pales in a circular form a stag's head ppr. attired or.

Estates—Of Rolleston and Norton, in the county of Leicester.

Seat—Rolleston Hall, Leicestershire.

DALTON, OF THURNHAM.

DALTON, JOHN, esq. of Thurnham Hall, in the county of Lancaster, *b.* in 1770, *m.* Miss Etheldreda Gage, by whom (who *d.* in 1819) he has had issue,

JOHN, who wedded Mary-Anne, daughter of George Cary, esq. of Torr Abbey, in the county of Devon, but *d.* without issue. His widow espoused, secondly, Sir John Hayford Thorold, bart. of Marston.

Mary, *d.* unmarried.

LUCY, *m.* to Joseph Bushèll, esq. barrister-at-law.

ELIZABETH.

Bridget, Charlotte, } both *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Dalton inherited the estates upon the demise of his father.

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Lineage.

SIR JOHN DALTON, knt. son of Sir Robert de Dalton living in the reign of EDWARD III. died in 1369, seised of the manors of Bispham, Dalton Hall, and other lands in the county of Lancaster. He was direct ancestor of

ROBERT DALTON, esq. of Bispham and Pilling, who acquired by purchase, in 1556, the manor and estate of THURNHAM. This gentleman *d. s. p.* in 1580, and was *s.* by (the son of his younger brother, Thomas Dalton, by Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Molyneux, knt. of Sefton,) his nephew,

ROBERT DALTON, esq. of Thurnham, who *d.* in 1626, and was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS DALTON, esq. of Thurnham. This gentleman, a most enterprising, gallant, and intrepid cavalier, on the breaking out of the civil wars raised, at his own expense, a regiment of horse, to support the cause of royalty; to which he ever remained most faithfully attached. After rendering many very essential services to his ill-fated sovereign, he was at length so desperately wounded at the second battle of Newbury as to survive but for a very short period that unhappy conflict. He was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT DALTON, esq. of Thurnham, who made some additions to the family mansion. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Thomas Horner, esq. of Middleham, in Yorkshire, and had two daughters, his coheirs, viz.

ELIZABETH.

Dorothy, who inherited the manors of Caton and Aldcliffe, in Lancashire.

The elder daughter,

ELIZABETH DALTON, succeeded to the estates of Thurnham, Cockersand, &c. in the county of Lancaster. She espoused WILLIAM HOGHTON,* esq. of Park Hall, in the same shire, and was *s.* at her decease in 1710, by her eldest son,

JOHN HOGHTON, esq. who on inheriting Thurnham and the other estates of the family of DALTON, assumed that surname. He wedded Frances, daughter of Sir Piers Mostyn, bart. of Talacre, in the county of Flint, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT DALTON, esq. of Thurnham, father of the present proprietor, JOHN DALTON, esq.

Arms—Az. semée of cross crosslets, arg. a lion rampant gardant of the last.

Crest—A dragon's head vert, between two dragon's wings or.

Estates — At Thurnham, Cockerham, Preston, Bispham, Pilling, Cockersand, Bulk, Caton, Lancaster, &c.

Seat—Thurnham Hall, Lancashire.

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* The family of HOGHTON, anciently written *de Hocton*, has been seated, time immemorial, in the county of Lancaster, at Hoghton Tower, "a stately stone edifice, built upon a high and very steep hill, in the middle of a park, in the hundred of Leyland."

SIR RICHARD HOGHTON, of Hoghton Tower, one of the knights of the shire for the county of Lancaster, 1st of Edward VI. lineally descended from Adam de Hoghton, who held one carucate of land in Hoctor, temp. HENRY II. espoused four wives; by the first, Alice, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Assheton, knt. he left two sons and a daughter, who all died without issue, and by the second, Alice, daughter of — Morley, he had, with as many daughters, three sons, viz.

I. THOMAS, who eventually inherited Hoghton Tower and the other family estates, and was lineal ancestor of the present
   SIR HENRY-PHILIP HOGHTON, bart. of Hoghton Tower. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

II. Rowland.

III. RICHARD, of Park Hall, from whom sprang in direct descent, the WILLIAM HOGHTON, esq. of Park Hall, who wedded (as in the text) the heiress of THURNHAM.

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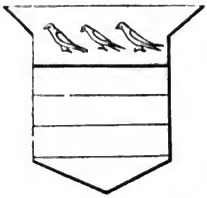
AGLIONBY, OF NEWBIGGIN HALL.

AGLIONBY, HENRY-AGLIONBY, esq. of Newbiggin Hall, in the county of Cumberland, *b.* 28th December, 1790. Mr. Aglionby is M.P. for Cockermouth.

Lineage.



The family of AGLIONBY was established in Cumberland by one of the soldiers of the CONQUEST,

WALTER DE AGUILON, who accompanied Ranulph de Meschines* into that shire, and fixing his residence there called it Aguilon's or Aglionby's Building; from him lineally descended

WILLIAM AGLIONBY, of Aglionby, who *m.* in 1391, Maria, daughter of Alan Blennerhasset, of Carlisle, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS AGLIONBY, of Aglionby, living in the time of HENRY V. He wedded Katherine, daughter of Skelton, of Armathwaite Castle, and was grandfather of

EDWARD AGLIONBY, of Aglionby, who was sheriff of Cumberland in the 36th of HENRY VIII. His son and successor,

JOHN AGLIONBY, of Carlisle, espoused a daughter of Richard Salkeld, esq. of Corby Castle, and left a son and heir,

EDWARD AGLIONBY, esq. of Carlisle, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Cuthbert Musgrave, esq. of Crookedayke, and had issue,

EDWARD, his heir.

John, "who became a student of Queen's College, in 1583; where, after he had gone through the servile duties several years, he became a fellow: whereupon entering into holy orders, he became a most polite and learned preacher. Afterwards travelling, he was introduced to the acquaintance of Cardinal Bellarmine, who shewing to him the picture of Mr. Whitaker of Cambridge, which hung up in his library, told him, pointing to the picture, that he was the most learned heretic that ever he read, or to that effect. After his return he was made chaplain in ordinary to *Queen* ELIZABETH, took the degree of D.D. in 1600, was made principal of St. Edmund's Hall the year after, being at that time rector of Islip, near to, and in the county of Oxford, and soon after chaplain in ordinary to *King* JAMES I. He was a person well accomplished in all kind of learning; profoundly read in the fathers, and in select divinity; an accomplished linguist; and of an *aquiline acumen*; as one who is profuse in his praise tells us."†

Dorothy, *m.* to Alan Blennerhasset, esq. of Carlisle.

The elder son,

EDWARD AGLIONBY, esq. of Carlisle, *m.* Jane, daughter of Henry Brougham, esq. and dying in 1648, left, with a daughter, Mary, *m.* to John Stanford, esq. of Askham, a son and heir,

JOHN AGLIONBY, esq. of Carlisle, *b.* in 1610. This gentleman took an active part in the defence of the city of Carlisle, when besieged by the Parliamentarians, from October, 1644, until its surrender in June, 1645. In breach, however, of the capitulation that the garrison should enjoy the honors of war, and the citizens perfect safety, Mr. Aglionby and Sir Philip Musgrave, bart. were both thrown into prison,

* By some of our historians this Ranulph is styled Earl of Carlisle from residing in that city. He was Lord of Cumberland and Carlisle by descent from his father, but having enfeoffed his two brothers, William of Coupland, and Geffery of Gillesland, in a large portion thereof, he exchanged the earldom of Cumberland for that of Chester, on condition that those whom he had settled there, should hold their lands of the king *in capite.—Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

† Wood's Athenæ.

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tried, and condemned to death. They escaped from durance the night, however, previous to the time appointed for their execution, and thus providentially preserved their lives. Mr. Aglionby wedded Margery, daughter of Christopher Richmond, esq. of Highhead Castle (by Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony Chaytor, esq. of Croft), and had (with three daughters, Jane, Isabel, and Mary,) five sons, viz.

JOHN, his successor.
Henry, A.M. in holy orders, presented to the rectory of Bowness in 1691. He *d.* in 1701.
Christopher.
Richard, for many years register of Carlisle; this gentleman had, with two sons, who both died in youth, a daughter,
URSULA, *b.* in 1698, *m.* in 1729, to William Nugent, esq. of Clonlost, in the county of Westmeath, and had two daughters,
Elizabeth Nugent, *m.* to — Nash, esq.
Mary Nugent, *m.* to the Right Hon. Barry Yelverton, Lord Avonmore, chief baron of the Exchequer in Ireland.

The eldest son and heir,

JOHN AGLIONBY, esq. *b.* 28th March, 1642, being bred to the bar, obtained a silk gown, and was many years recorder of Carlisle. In 1696, he exchanged Drumburgh castle and manor, with Sir John Lowther, bart. for the estate of Nunnery, and manor of Ermathwaite, in the parish of Ainstable, in Cumberland. He wedded Barbara, daughter of John Patrickson, esq. of Calder Abbey, and had a son, JOHN, his successor, and a daughter, Bridget, *m.* to George Watson, esq. of Goswick Castle, in the county of Durham. He died in 1717, and was interred in the family vault, St. Cuthbert's Church, Carlisle. His son and heir,

JOHN AGLIONBY, esq. of Nunnery, *b.* in 1663, espoused Dinah, daughter and coheiress of the Rev. Richard Stodart, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY AGLIONBY, esq. of Nunnery, *b.* in 1684. This gentleman represented the city of Carlisle in two parliaments, *temp.* GEORGE I. and was sheriff for the county in 1733. He was likewise an alderman of Carlisle, and repeatedly mayor of that borough, where he enjoyed considerable influence. In 1715 he pulled down the old nunnery, and erected the present mansion, whence he removed, upon the marriage of his son, to Crossfield, and there built another fine house, where he continued to reside until his decease. He wedded Elizabeth, youngest sister of Sir Gilfred Lawson, bart. of Brayton, and had issue,

HENRY, his heir.
John, A.M. of Queen's College, Oxford, where he died.
Sarah-Grace, died young.
Sarah, *m.* to Richard Lowthean, esq. of Dumfries.
Elizabeth, died young in 1738.

Mr. Aglionby *d.* in 1759, and was *s.* by his elder son,

HENRY AGLIONBY, esq. of Nunnery, *b.* in 1715, *m.* Anne, fourth daughter of Sir Christopher Musgrave, bart. of Edenhall, (by Julia, daughter of Sir John Chardin) by whom (who *d.* in 1780) he had issue,

Henry, who died in 1766, his father still living.
John, *d.* young.
CHRISTOPHER, eventual heir.
Elizabeth, *m.* to — Bamber, esq.
Julia, *d.* unm.
ANNE, *m.* to the Rev. Samuel Bateman, of Newbiggin Hall, rector of Farthingstone, and had a son,
HENRY-AGLIONBY BATEMAN, who relinquishing his patronymic, assumed, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of one of his aunts, the surname of AGLIONBY instead, and is the present HENRY-AGLIONBY AGLIONBY, esq.
Mary, *m.* to John Orfeur Yates, esq. of Skirwith Abbey, in Cumberland.

Mr. Aglionby, who served the office of sheriff for Cumberland in 1763, and was for many years an alderman of Carlisle, died at Nunnery, in 1770, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

CHRISTOPHER AGLIONBY, esq. of Nunnery. This gentleman, who was a minor at the time of his father's decease, served the office of sheriff for Cumberland in 1780. He died in five years afterwards, unmarried, when the male line of the family expired, and the estates were subsequently divided by a decree of the Court of Chancery between his four sisters.

Arms—Barry of four, sa. and arg. on a chief of the last three sheldrakes of the first.

Estates—In Kirkcudbrightshire, near Dumfries, and in the counties of Cumberland, Westmorland, and Middlesex.

Town Residence—Temple, London.

Seat—Newbiggin Hall, near Carlisle.

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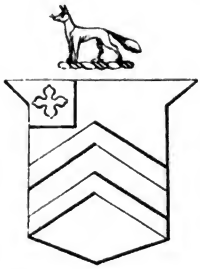
STAUNTON, OF STAUNTON.

STAUNTON, THE REV. J. of Staunton Hall, in the county of Nottingham, LL. D. *b.* in May, 1765, *m.* in May, 1793, Elizabeth, daughter of Job Brough, esq. and has issue,



WILLIAM-JOB-CHARLTON, in holy orders, *m.* Isabella, only daughter of the Very Rev. Dr. Gordon, Dean of Lincoln.

Elizabeth-Katherine, *m.* to George, eldest son of Dr. Gordon.

Mary-Anne.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was ASPINSHAW, assumed, together with his wife and children, in 1807, by sign manual, the surname and arms of STAUNTON, of STAUNTON only. Dr. Staunton is rector of Elton-supermontem, and of Staunton-cum-Kelvington.

Lineage.

The family of STAUNTON,* which is of great antiquity, can be regularly traced from the time of the CONQUEROR, and though the name has not been ennobled, the STAUNTONS have ever maintained the station, scarcely less enviable, of respected country gentlemen.

Many of the branches have honorably served the state in parliament, on the bench, in the church, and in the army.

GALFRIDUS DE STAUNTON (son of Malgerus, temp. William the Conqueror) gave lands in Kelum to the monastery of Rufford, which *King* STEPHEN confirmed. He espoused Beatrice de Muschamp, and was grandfather of

SIR WILLIAM DE STAUNTON, knt. who granted freedom to Hugh Travers, and all his progeny, for the reason that the said Hugh had assumed the cross for him, and proceeded to Jerusalem. Sir William *m.* Athelina, daughter and co-heir of John de Musters, lord of Bosingham, in Lincolnshire, and thereby acquired part of that estate. Sir William* was *s.* by his son,

* There is a kind of rhyming bard-like pedigree of this family, made by one Robert Cade, who wrote a similar one for the Skeffingtons. It is of considerable length, containing nearly 150 stanzas, and transcribing all the epitaphs from the church. The commencement is as follows:

O champion cheefe and warlike wight;
Of Staunton's stocke the pryme
The and thy sequel I must blase,
And pedegrewe define.

Though Haroldes they in noble sorte
Thy arms not pende in vaine,
Yet something wants that here is writte
As Books and Toumbes shew plain.

The first Sir Mauger Staunton, Knight,
Before Williame came in,
Who this realme into one monarche
Did conquer it and winne.

At which same time this Mauger, Knight,
Thrughe feats of arms and shield,
In marcyall prowe so valiant was,
That then he wanne the field.
&c. &c. &c.

* In the rhyming pedigree before alluded to, is the following account of Sir William and his son,

Sir William Staunton kt. was next
Dame Athelin was his wife
Sir Geoffrey Staunton kt. their heire,
Bothe voide of vice and strife.

And Sir Henry his brother was,
Who gave himself to learne,
That when he came unto man's state,
He could the laws discerne.

And in the same went forward still,
And profited much, I know,
At ynnes of court a counseiler
And serjeant in the law.

And in processe of tyme indeede,
A judge he came to bee
In the Common Benche at Westminster,
Such was his high degree.

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SIR GEOFFREY DE STAUNTON, knt. father of

SIR WILLIAM DE STAUNTON, knt. who gave to Sir Theobald de Trickingham, knt. in frank marriage with Margaret, his sister, and to their heirs, his rent in Scarthorpe and Silkeby; and the seal now appended to this deed exhibits *Two chevrons* and "S. WILLI. DE STAVNTON MILITIS," in the circumference. Sir William espoused Isabel, sister of Sir Ralph de Kirketon, knt. and dying in 1326, was *s.* by his grandson,

SIR GEOFFREY DE STAUNTON, sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, temp. EDWARD III. who *m.* Joan, daughter of Sir — de Loudham, knt. and had three sons, viz.

WILLIAM (Sir), who *m.* twice, and left at his decease in 1371, an only daughter, Elizabeth, the wife of William Hamstrell, esq.

Thomas (Sir), who *d. s. p.*

RALPH.

Sir Geoffrey died in 1369, and the estates eventually devolved upon the third son,

RALPH STAUNTON, of Staunton, who married twice, but had issue only by his second wife, Constantia de Sutton. His son and heir,

THOMAS DE STAUNTON, of Staunton, who died in 1446, was grandfather of

THOMAS DE STAUNTON, of Staunton, who wedded Anne, daughter of Thomas Pourment, and was *s.* at his decease in 1517, by his son,

ANTHONY STAUNTON, of Staunton, who *m.* Sith, daughter of Robert Nevill, of Ragnell, and had several children. He died in 1560, when the estates devolved on his son,

ROBERT STAUNTON, esq. of Staunton, "a very pious good man," who *m.* Bridget, daughter and co-heiress of Gabriel Barwick, esq. lord of Bulcote, in Notts, and was *s.* at his death in 1582, by his son,

WILLIAM STAUNTON, esq. of Staunton. This gentleman disposed of his share in the estate of Bulcote, to his cousin, Gabriel Odingsells for £1500. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Daniel Deisney, esq. of Norton Deisney, in the county of Lincoln, by whom he left at his demise in 1602, a son and heir,

ANTHONY STAUNTON, esq. of Staunton, under age, and in ward to the earl of Rutland. The tradition is that "Sir Matthew Palmer, of Southwell, won him at bowls of Robert Dallington, servant to Earl Roger, who gave him to that gentleman in 1604, and when he, the said Sir Matthew had him, he married him to his sister Frances. By this lady (who married for her second husband Robert Waring, of Wilford), he had a son and successor,

WILLIAM STAUNTON, esq. of Staunton, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Edmund Waring, esq. of Leycroft, in the county of Stafford. This gentleman joined in 1642, the Royal Standard, at Nottingham, and thence attending his Majesty, CHARLES I. to Shrewsbury and Edge-Hill, obtained from his ill fated master, a colonel's commission. He subsequently raised a regiment of foot, and provided for it at his own expense. This heavy outlay with sequestration and composition money, reduced and eventually quite ruined his estate, for which he never afterwards obtained any return. Colonel Staunton's second but eldest surviving son,

HARVEY STAUNTON, esq. of Staunton, inherited the remnant of his father's possessions, and was last heir male of this ancient family, after a continued male succession of upwards of 500 years. He died *s. p. m.* and left his estates to his eldest daughter,

ANNE STAUNTON, who wedded (see page 28) Gilbert Charlton, esq. son of Sir Job Charlton, bart. of Ludford, speaker of the House of Commons, temp. JAMES II. and had issue,

JOB-STAUNTON, her heir.

Gilbert, in holy orders, rector of Staunton, who *m.* the relict of — Hall, esq. and had two daughters, who both died in infancy.

Emma, *m.* to George Loddington, esq. of Bracebridge, in the county of Lincoln.

Anne, *m.* to Richard Brough, esq. of Thoroton, in the county of Nottingham, and had issue,

1. George-Staunton Brough, in holy orders, rector of Staunton and Wollaton.
2. Richard Brough, a military officer.
3. JOB BROUGH, who married and had two sons, who both died unmarried, and two daughters, viz.

EMMA, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Fynes, rector of Cromwell, in Notts, and prebendary of Westminster, LL.D.

ELIZABETH, of whom hereafter as inheritor of the STAUNTON estates. She *m.* the Rev. Dr. Aspinshaw, rector of St. Peter's, Nottingham, the present Dr. STAUNTON, of STAUNTON.

4. Francis Brough, R.N.

The elder son,

JOB-STAUNTON CHARLTON, esq. inherited the Staunton estates. He espoused Mary, youngest daughter of Dr. Greenwood, M.D. of Northampton, and had, with three younger daughters, Emma, Mary, and Elizabeth, who all died unmarried,

ANNE CHARLTON, who survived her three sisters for many years, and bequeathed, at her decease, her estate at Staunton, besides other manors, to her cousin, ELIZABETH,

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second daughter of Job Brough, esq. and wife of the Rev. Dr. Aspinshaw.

Arms—Arg. two chevrons sa. with a quatrefoil on a canton az. for distinction.

Crest—A fox passant ppr.

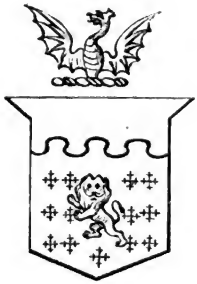
Estates—Staunton, in Nottinghamshire, possessed since the time of the Saxons.

Seat—Staunton Hall, near Grantham.

*** There is an ancient custom, when any of the royal family honor Belvoir Castle with their presence, for the chief of the STAUNTON family personally to appear and present the key of the stronghold of the castle (called Staunton's Tower,) to the royal visitors. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Staunton, in virtue of his tenure of the manor of "Staunton," commonly called "Castle Guard," with an appropriate speech to the Prince Regent (GEORGE IV.), when His Royal Highness honoured the Duke of Rutland with his presence at the christening of the Marquess of Granby, January, 1814. Dr. Staunton's son, the Rev. William Job Charlton Staunton, in consequence of his father's illness, performed the same ceremony to H. R. H. the Duke of Gloucester, with an appropriate oration, when that prince paid a visit to Belvoir Castle in 1833.

DALTON, OF SLENINGFORD.

DALTON, JOHN, esq. of Sleningford, in Yorkshire, and of Fillingham Castle, in the county of Lincoln, *m.* first, 10th March, 1783, Susanna, eldest daughter of the late General Robert Prescott, of Rose Green, in Sussex, and has had issue,



JOHN, late a captain in the 4th regiment, *m.* Elizabeth, only daughter of Richard Lodge, esq. of Leeds, and has issue.

James-Robert, commander in the royal navy.

Charles, captain in the royal artillery, *m.* in February, 1832, Mary, daughter of Dr. Duncan, M.D.

George, lieutenant royal engineers, *m.* in August, 1829 Euphemia Caulfield, daughter of Thomas Hannington, esq. of Dungannon Castle, Derry, Ireland.

William-Serjeantson, an officer in the army, *m.* in January, 1830, Laura, daughter of Captain King R.N.

Susanna-Isabella, *m.* to Major-general Dalbiac, and has issue.

Frances-Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. John Walker Harrison, of Norton-le-Clay, in the county of York, and has issue.

Maria-Catherine, *m.* to George Cleghorn, esq. of the Weens, in Roxburghshire, and has issue.

Albinia.

Madelina-Agnes, *m.* in October, 1830, to the Rev. Cecil-Wray Dalton.

This gentleman, who was formerly a lieutenant-colonel in the army, inherited the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1811.

Lineage.

The family of DALTON is proved by Dugdale's Visitation (1666) to have been settled at Kingston-upon-Hull many years prior to going into Richmondshire.

THOMAS DALTON, of Kingston-upon-Hull, was father of

JOHN DALTON, of the same place, who espoused Katherine, sister of the Right Rev. John Alcock, Bishop of Ely, in 1486.

THOMAS DALTON, of Sutton, in Holdernesse, espoused Anne, second daughter of Sir Robert Tyrwhitt, knt. of Kettilby, in

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Lincolnshire, by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter and sole heiress of Sir Thomas Oxenbridge, and had, with other issue, a son,

SIR WILLIAM DALTON, knt. of York, one of the king's council for the northern parts. This gentleman, who was bred to the bar, filled the office of recorder of York and Hull, and was subsequently appointed by JAMES I. attorney-general to the court at York, receiving, at the same time, the honor of knighthood. Sir William died in 1649. His son and heir,

JOHN DALTON, esq. of Hawkeswell, espoused Dorothy, daughter of Sir Conyers Darcy, Lord Darcy, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM (Sir), knt. of Hawkeswell, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Wyvill, and dying in 1675,* left issue,

1. SIR MARMADUKE DALTON, of Hawkeswell, who received the honor of knighthood in 1676. He *m.* Barbara, daughter of the Hon. Henry Belasyse, M.P. for the county of York, and relict of Walter Strickland, esq. by whom he left, at his decease in 1680 (being accidentally drowned at Dalton Bridge, near Topcliff), three daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

GRACE, *d.* unmarried.
MARY, *m.* to Edward Graham, Viscount Preston.
ELIZABETH, *d.* unmarried.

2. Christopher, *d.* young.
3. Charles (Sir), who *s.* to Hawkeswell upon the demise of his niece, Elizabeth. Sir Charles, who was gentleman usher of the Black Rod, *d.* unmarried, and was *s.* by his nephew.
4. Darcy, in holy orders, rector of Aston and prebendary of York, who *m.* twice. By his first lady he had an only son, who died unmarried. By the second,

CHARLES, in holy orders, of Hawkeswell, who *d.* unmarried.
William.
FRANCIS, who eventually inherited Hawkeswell, and marrying Mary, daughter of John Tacker, esq. left an only daughter and heiress, MARY, who conveyed, in 1779, Hawkeswell to her husband, Henry Gale, esq. of Scruton.
Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Samuel Drake, D.D.
Barbara, *m.* to William Tancred, esq. of Arden.
Jane, died unmarried.
Mary, *m.* to the Rev. Gilbert Knowler, D.D.

5. Isabel, *m.* to Roger Crofte, esq.
6. Dorothy.
7. Elizabeth.
8. Ursula, *m.* to Sir Barrington Bourchier, knt. of Beningborough.

II. THOMAS, of Bedale.
III. Marmaduke.
IV. Mary, *m.* to John Beverley, esq. of Smeton.
V. Barbara, *m.* to Charles Tancred, esq. of Arden.

John Dalton (the first possessor of Hawkeswell), who served as lieutenant-colonel to his brother-in-law, the Lord Darcy, was mortally wounded on passing the bridge of Burton-upon-Trent, while conducting the queen from Burlington to Oxford. His second son,

THOMAS DALTON, esq. of Bedale, espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Wyvile, bart. of Constable Burton, by Isabel, daughter and sole heiress of Sir William Gascoign, knt. of Sedbury, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOHN DALTON, esq. of Bedale, who *m.* Jane, daughter of — Thornton, esq. and left at his decease in 1700, a son and heir,

JAMES DALTON, esq. captain of the 6th regiment of foot, who wedded Miss Elizabeth Smith, by whom (who *d.* in 1769, and was buried at Kendal) he had issue. Captain Dalton *d.* in the West Indies in 1742, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DALTON, esq. This gentleman acquired very high reputation in the East India Company's service. He espoused Isabella, second daughter of Sir John Wray, bart.* by whom (who died 29th May, 1780)

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* Sir William Dalton lies interred in the church of Hawkeswell, where the following lines are engraven to his memory:

En conjux, pater, et frater, patronus, amicus
Charus, amans, cordi non temeratus idem
Non tam marmorei tumuli insignitus honore
Quam probitate homini, quam pietate deo.

* Sir John Wray married Frances, only daughter of FAIRFAX NORCLIFFE, esq. and had three daughters his co-heirs, viz.

MARY, who succeeded upon the demise of her uncle Thomas Norcliffe, esq. of Langton, to the estates of that family. She espoused in 1769, Sir James Innes, knt. who assumed the additional surname of Norcliffe, and eventually became Duke of Roxburghe. Her ladyship dying, however, issueless in 1807, the Northcliffe estates passed, by a

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he left at his decease in July 1811, three sons and two daughters, viz.

THOMAS, who assumed in 1807, on inheriting the estates of the family of NORCLIFFE, that surname. He had wedded in December, 1784, Ann, dau. of William Wilson, esq. of Allerton Gledhow, in Yorkshire, and dying in 1820, devised Langton and his other possessions to his widow for life, with remainder to his only son NORCLIFFE NORCLIFFE, esq., and in strict entail.

JOHN, who inherited Sleningford, in the county of York, and Fillingham Castle, in Lincolnshire.

James, in holy orders, rector of Croft, in Yorkshire, who *m.* Maria, daughter of the Rev. E. Gibson, of Bishops Stortford, in Essex, and has issue,

Frances-Elizabeth, *m.* to William Garforth, esq. of Wiganthorpe.

Isabella, *m.* to George Baker, esq. of Elemore, in Durham. (see page 546)

Mr. Dalton, who purchased SLENINGFORD from Sir Cecil Wray, bart. was *s.* at his decease by his second son, the present JOHN DALTON, esq. of *Sleningford.*

Arms—Az. semee of cross crosslets arg. a lion rampant guardant of the second, a chief nebulée arg. and sa.

Crest—A Wyvern's head, displayed vert, the sides of the wings or, gorged with a collar.

Estates—SLENINGFORD in Yorkshire, inherited from his father. FILLINGHAM CASTLE Estates, Lincolnshire, came into the present proprietor's possession, in 1826, at the decease of Lady Wray, widow of his uncle Sir Cecil Wray, bart.

Seats—Sleningford, near Ripon, Fillingham Castle, ten miles north of Lincoln.

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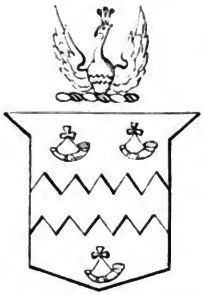
further limitation in the entail to her sister, Mrs. Dalton.

ISABELLA, mentioned in the text as wife of JOHN DALTON, esq.

FRANCES, who *m.* John Arthington, esq. of Arthington, but had no issue.

COTGREAVE, OF NETHERLEGH.

COTGREAVE, SIR JOHN, knt. of Netherlegh House, in the county of Chester, *b.* 22nd July, 1770, *m.* first, 20th August, 1791, Miss Catharine Crosse, of the ancient family of Crosse, of Crosse Hall, by whom (who *d.* 23rd December, 1822) he has had issue,



John Johnson, *b.* 13th July, 1792, *d.* 23rd July, 1811.
Mary.
Catharine, (twin with Mary) *m.* to the Rev. Stephen Cragg, of Great Ilford, Essex.

He espoused, secondly, 2nd March, 1824, Miss Harriet Spence, of the city of Chester, and has further issue,

THOMAS, *b.* 12th December, 1824.
Frederic, *b.* 27th February, 1826.
Francis-Gamull, *b.* 27th August, 1831.
Elinor-Gamull.
Frances-Brerewood.
Alice-Holme.

Sir John Cotgreave, whose patronymic was Johnson, assumed, upon succeeding to the estates of his cousin, Thomas Cotgreave, esq. by sign manual, dated 22nd June, 1795, the surname and arms of that family alone. He was mayor of Chester, in 1815, and received the following year the honor of knighthood.

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Lineage.

The COTGREAVES of Netherlegh descend from a younger branch of the Cotgreaves of Malpas whose senior line springing from Robert Fitz Hugh, Baron of Malpas, terminated in 1361, with an heiress, married to Brereton, of Brereton Hall.

ROBERT COTGREAVE, younger son of Randle Cotgreave of Malpas, *b.* in 1384, espoused Alice, daughter of William Holme, of the city of Chester, lord of the manor of Frannure, of the same family as the three Randles Holme, the heralds, and had a son and successor,

HUGH COTGREAVE, *b.* in 1418, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Jenkin Lowther, sheriff of the city of Chester, by whom (who *d.* in 1468) he had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

Alice, *d.* unmarried in 1492.

Hugh Cotgreave *d.* in 1472, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS COTGREAVE, of Chester, who wedded Dorothy, daughter of John Chamberlain, of Chester, sheriff for that city in 1461, and had (with another son Ralph, who settled at Guilden Sutton, in 1515, and founded the family of Cotgreave of that place,) a son and successor,

WILLIAM COTGREAVE, *b.* 1483, who *m.* Jane, dau. of John Crosse, esq. of Ledsham, in the county of Chester, and dying in 1545, was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM COTGREAVE, esq. *b.* in 1526, who was Mayor of Chester in 1589. This gentleman espoused Agnes, daughter of Christopher Morville, merchant, sheriff of Chester, and had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

Elinor, *m.* to William Gamull, esq. of Chester, son of Thomas Gamull, esq. recorder and M.P. for the city of Chester, and uncle of Sir Francis Gamull, M.P. who entertained at his mansion, the unfortunate *King* CHARLES during his stay at Chester, and stood next to his majesty in the Phœnix Tower, on the walls of the town, when he witnessed the defeat of the royal army at Rowton Moor.

Mr. Cotgreave *d.* in 1592, and was *s.* by his son,

ROBERT COTGREAVE, esq. *b.* in 1561, who wedded Frances, daughter of John Brerewood, esq. and sister to Sir Robert Brerewood, knt. recorder and representative of the city of Chester in parliament, 15th Charles I. by whom he had a son and successor,

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RALPH COTGREAVE, esq. *b.* in 1600, who espoused Mary, dau. of Thomas Thropp, esq. of Chester, and dying in 1693, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN COTGREAVE, esq. *b.* in 1640, who served the office of sheriff of Chester in 1720. This gentleman *m.* first, Margaret Fitton, of Chester, and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of William Wilme, esq. mayor of Chester. He *d.* in 1724, leaving one son and a daughter, viz.

JOHN, his heir.

MARGARET, who espoused William Johnson, gent. of the city of Chester, and left at her demise in 1722, a son,

JOHN JOHNSON, *b.* in 1714, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of John Crosse,* esq. of Chester, a descendant of the Crosses, of Crosse Hall, in the county of Lancaster, and dying in 1772, left a son,

JOHN JOHNSON, of Scocroft, in

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* The family of Crosse, of Crosse Hall, in the county of Lancaster, derives its descent from

ALMARICK CROSSE of Liverpool, living temp. EDWARD III. who was great-great-grandfather of

RICHARD CROSSE, esq. of Liverpool, who married towards the close of the reign of HENRY IV. Katherine, relict of William Houghton, of Houghton Tower, and was *s.* at his decease by his son,

RICHARD CROSSE, esq. of Crosse Hall, in Lancashire, father of

JOHN CROSSE, esq. of Crosse Hall, and of Ledsham, in Cheshire, who flourished in the reigns of HENRY VI. and EDWARD IV. He *m.* Jane, daughter of Richard Calcott, of Chester, and left a son and heir,

RICHARD CROSSE, esq. of Crosse Hall, who wedded first, the daughter and co-heir of Roger Walton, of Walton, in the county of Lancaster, and had several sons, who all died without issue. He married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund Winstanley, esq. of Winstanley in Lancashire, by whom he had a son,

JAMES CROSSE, esq. of Crosse Hall, living temp. HENRY VIII. who espoused Margery Cotes. His second son,

THOMAS CROSSE, esq. was father of

JOHN CROSSE, esq. of Ledsham, in Cheshire, whose son,

THOMAS CROSSE, esq. of Ledsham, married —— and had with other issue, a son,

JOHN CROSSE, gent. of the city of Chester, living 1672, who was *s.* by his son,

JOHN CROSSE, of Chester, gent. born in 1670, who died in 1738, leaving a daughter CATHERINE, the wife, as in the text, of JOHN JOHNSON, esq. of Middleton.

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the county of Lancaster, who inheriting the Cotgreave estates, assumed that surname, and is the present Sir JOHN COTGREAVE.

Mr. Cotgreave was *s.* by his son,

JOHN COTGREAVE, esq. who purchased, in 1735, the Netherlegh estates from the Stanleys of Alderley. This gentleman was mayor of Chester in 1735, and marrying Miss Mary Fernaough, of the city of Chester, had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.

JOHN, who inherited from his brother.

Mary, *m.* to John Hignett, esq. of Rowton, in the county of Chester, but *d. s. p.*

Mr. Cotgreave was *s.* at his decease in 1759, by his elder son,

THOMAS COTGREAVE, esq. of Netherlegh, mayor of Chester in 1758, who, dying unmarried, devised his estates (with remaindership to his cousin, John Johnson) to his brother,

JOHN COTGREAVE, esq. of Netherlegh, who died unmarried in 1794, and was *s.* according to the limitation, by the said

JOHN JOHNSON, esq. who, in consequence, assumed the surname of COTGREAVE, and is the present proprietor.

Arms—Gu. a fess indented erminois, between three bugles or, stringed arg. quartering, with others, the ensigns of HOLME, JOHNSON, CROSSE, &c.

Crest—A demi-peacock arg. charged on the breast with a fess indented gu. the wings elevated or, with an ermine spot on each wing.

Motto—Antiquam obtinens.

Estates—Netherlegh. This estate belonged to the Barons of Halton, and was granted in trust to Herbert d'Orreby by Geoffrey de Dutton about 1270, when he assumed the cross, and embarked in the Crusade. It was afterwards held under the Warburtons by the Orrebys of Gawsworth, and passed by marriage with an heiress to the Fittons, from whom it came to the Stanleys of Alderley, who sold it, in 1735, to JOHN COTGREAVE, esq. The ancient mansion is within a moated site, and is occupied as a farm-house. During the siege of Chester in 1645, it was fortified by the parliamentary general, Sir William Brereton, who fixed his head quarters there.

Another portion of Netherlegh was purchased in 1756 by John Cotgreave, esq. from the LAKES, of Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex.

Property in Overlegh; all within the liberties of the city of Chester.

Lands in the township of Saltney in Flintshire, possessed by inclosure, according to to the act of parliament.

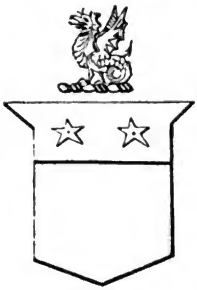
LLAY or LLOY, commonly called BANGOR BANKS, two miles from Overton, Flintshire, purchased by Thomas Cotgreave, esq. in 1773, from Lewis Briscoe, of the city of Chester.

Lands in Handbridge, and in the liberties of the city of Chester, purchased by the Cotgreaves in the years 1435, 1512, 1691, 1726 and 1736.

Seats—Netherlegh House; standing on the right hand side of the road leading to Eaton, a short distance from Handbridge: Bangor Bank, Flintshire.

SALVIN, OF CROXDALE.

SALVIN, WILLIAM-THOMAS, esq. of Croxdale, in the county of Durham, *b.* 4th July, 1768, *m.* 22nd July, 1800, Anna-Maria, dau. of John-Webb Weston, esq. of Sutton Place, Surrey, and has issue,



GERARD, *b.* 24th September, 1804.
William-Thomas, *b.* 11th November, 1808.
Edward-John, *b.* 2nd October, 1810.
Marmaduke-Charles, *b.* 11th February, 1812.
Francis-Henry, *b.* 4th April, 1817.
Catharine.
Anna-Maria.
Louisa-Mary.
Agnes-Elizabeth.
Elizabeth-Mary.
Emma-Maria.

Mr. Salvin *s.* his father on the 20th of January, 1800. He is co-heir to the BARONY of ROS OF WARKE, should the attainder passed in the reign of EDWARD I. be removed

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Lineage.

This is one of those ancient houses established at the CONQUEST, whose undeviating adhesion to the Roman Catholic faith consigned to long and honorable retirement.

JOCEUS LE FLEMANGH came into England with the CONQUEROR, and held the third part of a knight's fee in Cukeney, in the county of Nottingham. He was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD DE CUKENEY, of Cukeney, living in the reigns of WILLIAM I. and HENRY I. who had by his first wife three sons, viz.

1. RICHARD, of Cukeney, a benefactor to the Abbey of Welbeck.
2. German.
3. RALPH, of whom presently.

His second wife was Hawise, cousin of —, Earl Ferrers, and by her he had another son,

4. THOMAS, who became heir to his mother, and founded the Abbey of Welbeck, county of Nottingham, in the reign of HENRY II. He *m.* Emma ——, and had issue,
   - Hugh de Cukeney, who *d. s. p.*
   - Isabella de Cukeney, *m.* to Simon, son of Simon de Kyme, and had three daughters,
     - Agnes de Kyme, wife of Walter de Fauconberg.
     - Isabel de Kyme, wife of Walter de Riebœuf.
     - Patronilla de Kyme, wife of Stephen de Fauconberg.
   - Emma de Cukeney, *m.* to Gerard Glanville, brother to Ralph Glanville, chief justice of England.

The third son,

RALPH, was of Norton and Woodhouse, in the county of Notts, and from the latter, was called LE SILVAN. He was living in the time of HENRY II. and was a benefactor to the Abbey of Welbeck. His son and successor,

OSBERT SILVAN, of Norton and Woodhouse, was sheriff of Nottinghamshire, in the 5th *King* STEPHEN. He paid ten marks composition for his father's lands, 9th HENRY II. and held lands in Tickhill, in the 22nd of the same reign. He was *s.* by his son,

RALPH SILVAYNE, of Norton and Woodhouse, living in the reign of HENRY II. and beginning of that of *King* JOHN. He *m.* Margeria, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR OSBERT SILVAYNE, knt. of Norton and Woodhouse, 29th HENRY III. who had lands in Wilnerby, and was *s.* by his son,

RALPH SALVAYNE, of Woodhouse, and of Thorpe Salvin, in the county of York, who married ——, and had issue,

RALPH, of Thorpe Salvin, who wedded MARGERIE MALLORIE,* eldest sister and co-heir of Nicholas Mallorie, lord of Northallerton, and acquired by that lady the lands of Malthorpe. He was *s.* by his elder son,

SIR ANKETINE SALVAYNE, of Thorp Salvin, whose grandson,

SIR NICHOLAS SALVAYNE, of Thorpe Salvayn, gave security to the king for lands in North Dalton, 25th EDWARD III. He held lands there, in Serjeantry, 29th of the same reign.

ROBERT, of whom presently.

Agnes, who gave to her brother, Robert, four oxgangs of land at Hallowes, and one at Aston, in the county of Derby.

The second son,

ROBERT SALVAYNE, of North Duffield, in the county of York, wedded Sibilla, daughter and co-heir of Robert Beeston, of Wilberfoss, in the same shire, and was *s.* by his son,

GERARD SALVAYN, of North Duffield, Herswell, and other places, in the county of York, who was ambassador to the court of France, in the 32nd EDWARD I. and 5th EDWARD II. Escheator North of Trent, in the first of the latter reign, and sheriff of Yorkshire from the 4th to the 8th of the same. He *m.* Margerie —— and had issue,

JOHN, (died before his father) who *m.* MARGARET, elder daughter and co-heir of the attainted Robert, LORD ROS, *of Warke*,† and had a son,

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* SIR ROBERT BRIDESHALL, knt. lord of Clifford, in the county of York, wedded Mabilla, daughter and heir of — Malthorpe, of Malthorpe, and left an only daughter and heiress,

SARAH BRIDESHALL, who espoused ANKETINE MALORIE, and had issue,

NICHOLAS MALORIE, lord of Northallerton, who died without issue, beyond sea, before 3rd EDWARD I. when his sisters became his heirs.

MARGERIE MALORIE, *m.* as in the text, to RALPH SALVAYNE.

SARAH MALORIE, *m.* first, to William Glenton, and secondly, to Thomas Grimston.

NICHOLIA MALORIE, *m.* to Nicholas Orlesthorpe, of Yorkshire.

AVICIA MALORIE, *m.* to William Burdon.

† This ROBERT *Lord Ros of Warke*, was son of Robert, first Lord Ros of Warke, by Margaret his wife, sister and co-heir of Peter, Baron Bruce of Kendale Castle, which Robert, first Lord Ros of Warke, was second son of Robert Ros, Lord of Helmsley, and Isabella his wife, daughter of WILLIAM *the Lion*, KING of Scotland. Refer to BURKE's *Extinct and Dormant Peerage*.

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GERARD, who succeeded his grandfather.

Gerard, who paid two marks as a fine in the 14th EDWARD II.

Jane, *m.* to Thomas Maleverer.

Gerard Salvayn died before the 3rd of May, in the 13th EDWARD II. and was *s.* by his grandson, (then twelve years of age),

SIR GERARD SALVAYN, knt. of North Duffield and Herswell, who was high sheriff for the county of York, in the 24th EDWARD III., and sometime escheator for the King South of Trent. This gentleman obtained from the crown the manor of Bellester, in Tyndale, county of York, and an exemplification of the pardon and restitution in blood granted to his mother (for her father the Lord Ross's treason) by patent, dated 26th June, 41st EDWARD III. He *m.* first, Agnes, daughter of Sir Robert Maleverer, and had issue,

JOHN, who *d.* in the life time of his father, leaving a son,

GERARD (Sir), who succeeded his grandfather.

Robert, on whom his father settled lands in Millington, 22nd EDWARD III.

Richard, on whom his father settled lands in 1348, died *v. p.*

Sir Gerard wedded secondly, Alice, ter of ——, and had

Gerard, on whom he settled lands in Bruneby, in the county of York, and from this Gerard sprang the SALVINS of Newbiggin.

Sir Gerard Salvayne died in the 43rd EDWARD III. and was *s.* by his grandson, another

SIR GERARD SALVAYN, knt. of Herswell and North Duffield, sheriff of Yorkshire, who *m.* Alice, daughter of ——, and had issue,

I. ROGER (Sir), his heir, who was made a knight of the Bath, at the feast of St. George, at Caen, 6th HENRY V. He was one of the knights of the body of that monarch, and named a legatee in his will. Sir Roger wedded a daughter of Sir Robert Hilton, knt. lord of Swine, in Holderness, county of York, and dying 7th March, 1422, left issue,

ROGER, of Herswell, *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Bolton, alderman of York, living in 1429.

John, of Herswell, *d. s. p.* 4th May, 19th HENRY VI. leaving his property to the son of his eldest sister

ALICE, *m.* to Henry Wilton, and left two sons,

JOHN WILTON, alias SALVIN, who inherited his uncle John's fortune, but died, aged 16, 21st HENRY VI.

HENRY WILTON, alias SALVIN

II. John (Sir), of North Duffield, died 19th January, 1432, leaving a widow, Joanna.

III. Thomas.

IV. GERARD, of whom presently.

V. Muriel, *m.* to Sir Gerard Soothill, knt. of Soothill Hall, in the county of York, living about 1430.

The fourth son,

GERARD SALVAYN, wedded AGNES, LADY OF CROXDALE,* and in her right became "of Croxdale," in the county palatine of Durham, having had livery of his wife's inheritance on the 1st October, 1402. He *d.* in 1422, and was *s.* by his son,

GERARD SALVYN, esq. of Croxdale, who *m.* Jane, daughter of William Skargill, esq. of Thorpe, in the county of York, and dying in the life time of his mother, 8th May, 20th HENRY VI. was *s.* by his son,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, heir to his grandmother, the LADY OF CROXDALE, (who had married for her second husband, John Mauleverer, esq.) at the period of whose death he was aged twenty-one years and upwards. He *m.* Elizabeth ——, and was *s.* by his son,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, living in 1476, who wedded Eleanor, daughter of Sir Roger Coigniers, of Wynyard, in Durham, and was father of

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, called senior. This gentleman espoused Johanna, daughter of ——, and had issue,

GERARD, his heir.

Anthony, B.D. master of Univ. Coll. Oxford, in 1557; rector of Winston, in 1545; rector of Sedgefield, and of Ryton, in 1558; prebendary of the 12th stall, 1556; master of Sherburn hospital, and vicar general for the bishop of Durham; deprived of all his preferments in 1559.

John, of London, gentleman, living in 1570.

Isabel, *m.* to Robert Birkead, of West Brandon, in the county of Durham.

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* WILLIAM DE WALTON, of the city of Durham, had lands in Northallerton in the county of York, which belonged to Robert de Walton, in the 5th EDWARD II. His son,

ROBERT DE WHALTON, of Durham, had lands in Old Durham, 1354, which were Joan Wyot's, eldest daughter and co-heir of John Wyot, of Old Durham. He had lands in Northallerton, 44th EDWARD III. His daughter,

JOANNA, lady of Croxdale, died the wife of William de Rissaby, seised of lands in Durham, heretofore Robert de Waltons. Her only daughter and heir,

AGNES, lady of Croxdale, *m.* GERARD SALVAYN as in the text.

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Anne, *m.* to William Claxton, esq. of Burnhall.
Margaret, *m.* to John Heley, merchant of Newcastle-on-Tyne, living 2nd EDWARD VI.

Mr. Salvin *d.* in 1563, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of William Wrenn, esq. of Billyhall, in the county palatine (marriage contract dated 20th August, 24th HENRY VIII.), and had issue,

GERARD, his successor.
Anthony, living in 1570, and in 1596.
Thomas, of Thornton Hall, in the county palatine, left at his decease, 23rd February, 1609-10, by his second wife, Rebecca, seventh daughter of Cuthbert Collingwood, esq. of Esslington,
John, who inherited Thornton Hall, and sold it in 1620. He had wo daughters,
Dorothy, baptized 11th April, 1619.
Frances, *d.* in 1629.
Robert, who *d.* in 1644.
Thomas, *d.* in 1634.
Margaret, *m.* to George Grey, esq. of Littleburne, and died 23rd December, 1613. This lady's death was thus announced: "Mrs. Margaret Graie, about the aige of one hundreth yeares." She was mother of *the Rev.* ANTHONY GREY, who succeeded his cousin, Henry Grey, eighth Earl of Kent, as ninth Earl, in 1639 (See BURKE'S *Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).
Muriel, *m.* to Sir Robert Rokeby, knt. of Marske, in the county of York, living in 1570 and 1584.

Mr. Salvin *d.* in 1570, and was buried on the 16th February, in that year. His eldest son and heir,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, had livery of his estates, 24th April, 13th ELIZABETH. He wedded Joane, daughter of Richard Norton, esq.* of Norton Conyers, and was father of

GERARD, his successor.
Richard, living in 1602.
Thomas, of London, living in 1602.
Susan, who *m.* 14th October, 1593, John Halliman, of Lumley, gent. *d. s. p.*
Jane, wife of Thomas Simpson.
Anne, wife of Ralph Young, of Sunderland by the Bridge, *d. s. p.*

He *d.* 9th November, 1587, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, who espoused Anne, daughter of Humphrey Blakiston, esq. of Great Chilton, and had issue,

I. GERARD, his heir.
II. William, living in 1602, without issue.
III. Ralph, *d.* unmarried; will dated at Paris, 8th August, 1625.
IV. Francis, of Tursdale, in the county of Durham, devisee of Diana, Lady Bulmer, in 1639. This gentleman, who was lieutenant-colonel of horse in the regiment of Sir Richard Tempest, bart. fell at Marston Moor, fighting under the royal banner, in 1644. He left by his wife, Margaret, daughter of George Reveley, esq. of Ancroft, in the county of Northumberland (by Frances, daughter of Sir Bertram Bulmer, of Tursdale),
John, of White Hurworth, *d.* in June, 1672.
William, living in 1639.
Mary, *d.* unmarried in November, 1678.
Frances, living in 1666.
Margaret, living in 1666.
Agnes, living in 1639.
V. Ellen, *m.* to William Orde, esq. of Prudhoe Castle, in the county of Northumberland, living a widow, named in the will of Ralph Young, in 1633.
VI. Muriel, *m.* to Robert Merryman, of Butterwick and Wadley, in the county of Palatine, *d.* in January, 1675.
VII. Elizabeth, *m.* to Launcelot Newton, esq. of Stockfield Hall, in the county of Northumberland.
VIII. Troth, buried 21st July, 1601.

Mr. Salvin's will bears date 28th August, 1602. He was buried 19th September following, and *s.* by his eldest son,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale. This gentleman wedded, first, Mary, daughter of Robert Hodgson, esq. of Hepburn, in Durham, by whom (who *d.* in 1622) he had issue,

I. GERARD, lieutenant-colonel of Colonel Tempest's regiment of foot, slain at Northallerton, 1644, in the service of *King* CHARLES I. and *d.* unmarried.
II. William, *d.* unmarried.
III. Anne, *d.* unmarried in December, 1683.
IV. Mary, *m.* to Michael Pudsay, esq. of Lawfield, in the county of York.
V. Eleanor, of Claypath, in the county

* By the *Hon.* SUSANNA NEVILLE, daughter of Richard, LORD LATIMER.

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of Durham, *d.* unmarried in July, 1601.

vi. Elizabeth, *m.* to John, son and heir of Richard Skelton, esq. of Armathwaite Castle, in the county of Cumberland.

Mr. Salvin *m.* secondly, Mary, daughter of Bryan Belasyse, esq. of Morton House, in the county Palatine, and had further issue,

vii. BRYAN, of Butterby, who died in the lifetime of his father, 15th August, 1658, leaving by his wife, Catherine, daughter of Sir Thomas Tempest, bart. of Stella (to whom he was married in February, 1652),

1. GERARD, successor to his grandfather.
2. Thomas, of Owton, died unmarried in December, 1687.
3. Troth, *m.* to Philip Saltmarsh, esq. of Newby Wisk, in the county of York; buried 20th May, 1684.
4. Mary, died unmarried at Owton, and was buried at Stanton, 1st November, 1691.

viii. Ralph, on whom his father settled the estate of Tudhow, in the 15th of CHARLES II. This gentleman died unmarried, and was buried 12th August, 1705.

ix. John, died an infant.

x. James, died unmarried, buried 26th October, 1655.

xi. Charles, of Tudhow, died unmarried, and was buried 31st March, 1585.

xii. Anthony, of Sunderland Bridge, sole executor named in his father's will, 1633, died in 1709, and buried on the 7th June (See *Salvin of Sunderland Bridge*).

xiii. Nicholas, of Durham, executor to the will of his brother Charles in 1685, buried 11th March, 1696.

xiv. John, buried 30th March, 1631.

xv. William, of Brandon Hall, *m.* first, Dorothy ——, and secondly, Elizabeth Danby, widow of James Shafto, gent. of Tanfield; and left by the former, at his decease in November, 1711, an only son,

Ralph, of Tudhow, devisee and sole executor of his uncle, Ralph Salvin, in 1705; *m.* 10th June, 1708, the *Hon.* Barbara Browne, daughter of Henry, fifth Viscount Montagu, and left, at his decease in 1729, an only child,

Dorothy, who *d.* unmarried in 1741

xvi. Margaret, *m.* to Francis Appleby, esq. of Lartington, in the county of York, living in 1666.

xvii. Mary, *m.* to Thomas Smythe, esq. brother of Sir Edward Smythe, bart. living in 1683.

Mr. Salvin died 18th January, 1663, and was *s.* by his grandson,

GERARD SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, who wedded Mary, daughter of Ralph Clavering, esq. of Callaly,* (see page 239) and was father of

BRYAN, his successor.

Catharine, *d.* unmarried in June, 1754.

Mary, *m.* to Edward Haggerston, esq. of Ellingham, in the county of Northumberland; buried 2nd March, 1720.

Anne, *m.* in 1700, to Walter Strickland, esq. of Sizergh (see page 59), living in 1729.

He died 5th February, 1722-3, and was *s.* by his son,

BRYAN SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale. This gentleman espoused in 1716, Anne, third daughter of William Haggerston, esq. son and heir apparent of Sir Thomas Haggerston, bart. of Haggerston, and had issue,

GERARD, who *d.* unmarried 7th March, 1736, his father then living.

BRYAN, *b.* 27th September, 1722, died unmarried 21st May, 1744.

WILLIAM, eventually heir.

Edward of Tudhow, *d.* unmarried 21st December, 1757.

Marmaduke, *d.* unmarried in April, 1731.

Mary, *m.* to George Markham, esq. of Claxby, in the county of Lincoln.

Mr. Salvin died 1st March, 1751, and was *s.* by his elder surviving son,

WILLIAM SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale, *b.* 28th November, 1723, who wedded first, Mary, eldest daughter of Sir Edward Gascoigne, bart. of Parlington, in the county of York, by which lady, who *d.* in May, 1756, he had no issue. He espoused secondly, in 1758, Catherine, only child and heir of Thomas Thornton, esq. of Nether Witton, in Northumberland, and had issue,

i. Gerard Haggerston, *b.* 22d November, 1764, *d.* 19th December, 1779.

ii. WILLIAM-THOMAS, eventual heir.

iii. Bryan-John, of New Burn Hall, *b.* 28th April, 1779.

iv. Catherine, who *m.* Sir Thomas Stanley-Massey Stanley, bart. of Hooton, and *d.* in 1798.

v. Mary.

vi. Anne, who died young.

vii. Margaret, *m.* 19th April, 1790, to Thomas Riddell, esq. of Swinburn Castle, in the county of Northumberland, whom she has survived.

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* By Mary, daughter of William Middleton, esq. of Stokeld.

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viii. Isabella, *m.* first, 20th June, 1792, to Horsley Widdrington Riddell, esq. of Felton, in Northumberland, but had no issue. She espoused secondly, 9th May, 1803, Ralph Riddell, esq. of Cheeseburn Grange, in the same shire.

ix. Frances, *d.* unmarried in February, 1790.

x. Eliza.

Mr. Salvin died 20th January, 1800, and was *s.* by his elder surviving son, the present WILLIAM-THOMAS SALVIN, esq. of Croxdale.

Arms.—Arg. on a chief sa. two mullets or. Quartering the ensigns of twenty families, including BERTRAM, ROS of Warke, RADCLIFFE, DERWENTWATER, MENVIL, &c.

Crest—A dragon vert, wings elevated and endorsed ppr.

Motto—Je ne change qu'en mourant.

Estate—Croxdale, in the parish of St. Oswalds, and other possessions in the palatinate of Durham.

Seat—Croxdale.

SALVIN, OF SUNDERLAND BRIDGE.

SALVIN, ANTHONY, esq. of Sunderland Bridge, in the county of Durham a major-general in the army, *m.* first, Catherine, daughter of Thomas Wharton, M.D of Old Park, by whom he has had issue,

Thomas, who *d.* unmarried, in 1805.

Anne, *m.* to Robert de Lisle, esq. of Acton House.

General Salvin wedded, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Mills, esq. of Willington, in the county Palatine, and has an only son,

ANTHONY, who *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev. William Nesfield, rector of Brancepeth, and has issue.

The general succeeded his father, 29th April, 1785.

Lineage.

ANTHONY SALVIN, esq. of Elvet, and of Sunderland Bridge, twelfth son of Gerard Salvin, esq. of Croxdale, who died in 1663, was sole executor to his father, and guardian to his nephew, Gerard. He espoused, in 1676, Eleanor, daughter of Simon Peacock, gent. and had issue,

JAMES, his heir.

Anthony, of Elvert, who *m.* 26th February, 1714, Elizabeth, daughter of William Tempest, esq. of Old Durham, and left at his decease, in 1720, an only child,

Anthony, of Howledge, *b.* 25th February, 1715, and *d.* unmarried, 25th February, 1744.

Gerard, Bryan, } both died young.

Mary, *m.* first, in 1696, to Gilbert Machon, esq. of Durham, and secondly, to George Bowes, esq. D. C. L. brother of Sir William Bowes, of Streatlam.

Margaret, *m.* first, in 1704, to David Johnson, esq. of Durham, barrister-at-law, and secondly, to William Turville.

Elizabeth, *d.* unmarried.

Eleanor, *d.* in 1705.

Catherine, *d.* unmarried, 1760.

Anthony Salvin *d.* in 1709, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES SALVIN, esq. of Sunderland Bridge, who wedded Miss Ruth Kempe, of the city of London, and had several children, by the eldest surviving of whom,

ANTHONY SALVIN, esq. of Sunderland Bridge, he was succeeded at his decease, in 1753. This gentleman married, 21st October, 1756, Anne, daughter of George Smith, esq. of Burnhall, and had issue,

ANTHONY, his heir.

George, paymaster to the 15th foot, who *m.* Marianne, second daughter of Thomas Isherwood, esq. of Marple, (see p. 103) and has issue.

Henry, sometime of Castle Eden, who *m.* Magdalen Barecroft, eldest daughter of Thomas Isherwood, esq. Marple, and has issue

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Jeffrey, a military officer, who *m.* Miss Amelia Strong.
Hugh, (twin with Jeffrey,) in holy orders.
Elinor-Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Bowlby, A.B. perpetual curate of Painshaw.
Anne, *m.* to George Crowe, esq. of Langton, only brother of Robert Crowe, esq. of Kipling, in Yorkshire who left her a widow, without children, in 1801.

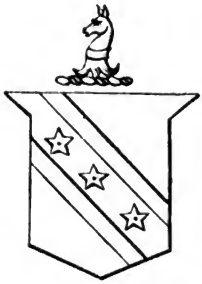
Mr. Salvin *d.* 29th April, 1785, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present *Major-general* SALVIN.

Arms—See Salvin, of Croxdale.

Residence—Durham.

HIPPISLEY, OF LAMBORNE.

HIPPISLEY, THE REV. HENRY, of Lamborne Place and Sparsholt House, both in the county of Berks, *b.* 7th April, 1776, *m.* 21st December, 1803, Anne, third daughter and co-heiress of Lock Rollinson, esq. of Chaddlington, in the county of Oxford, and has issue,



JOHN, *b.* 29th October, 1804, who *m.* in 1831, Anne, third daughter of the late Rev. Thomas Clare, rector of St. Andrews, and has a son and heir, John.
Henry, *b.* 6th March, 1808.
Robert-William, *b.* 17th July, 1818.
Margaret.
Anne.
Mary.
Frances.
Charlotte-Martha.
Jane.
Emma-Elizabeth.
Isabella-Maria.

Mr. Hippisley inherited the estates at the death of his father, in 1822.

Lineage.

The HIPPISLEYS were possessed of large landed estates in the county of Somerset, in the reign of EDWARD III. held under the following grant, from JOHN A GAUNT.

"I, John a Gaunt, do give and grant unto Richard Hippisley,
All the manners herein named, as I think in number seven,
To be as firm to be thine, as ever they were mine, from Heaven above to Hell below,
And to confirm the truth, I seal it with my great tooth, the wax in doe.

Stone Easton, Camley, Wakam, Tuddlhouse, Brasket Charde, Hinton Bluet."

The RICHARD HIPPESLEY, mentioned in this rhyming grant, was born in the 14th EDWARD III. His descendant,

JOHN HIPPESLEY, esq. of Stone Easton, in Somersetshire, espoused the daughter of J. Flower, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
William, who died in 1630, leaving three sons, viz.
1. Thomas, who *d.* in 1640, leaving issue.
2. Richard, captain of Standgate Castle.
3. John (Sir), ranger of Bushy Park, who on the breaking out of the civil wars, sided with the parliament, and was a commissioner sent to treat with the king. Sir John Hippesley sold Marston House to the earl of Cork.

Mr. Hippesley was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Stone Easton, who wedded Dorothy, daughter of Sir John

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Horner, of Cloford and Wells, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

JOHN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Stone Easton, who *m.* Eliza, daughter and heiress of John Organ, esq. of Lamborne, in the county of Berks, and had issue,

1. JOHN, of Stone Easton, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of John Preston, esq. of Cricket St. Thomas, in the county of Somerset, and had with other issue,
   - John, eldest son, who died *s. p.*
   - RICHARD, of Stone Easton and Camley, second son, who *m.* Miss Elizabeth Yorke, and was succeeded by his son,
     - PRESTON HIPPISLEY, esq. of Stone Easton, who *m.* Susan, daughter and heiress of Charles Yorke, esq. of Bassets Down, in Wilts, and was *s.* by his only daughter,
     - MARGARET HIPPISLEY, who *m.* John Coxe, esq. of Lee, and conveyed to him the estates of the principal branch of Hippisleys. The son and heir of this marriage,
     - JOHN HIPPISLEY-COXE, wedded Mary, daughter of Stephen Northleigh, esq. of Peamore, in Devon, and had issue,
       1. RICHARD HIPPISLEY COXE, of Stone Easton, M.P. for Somersetshire in 1768, who *d. s. p.*
       2. John, *d. s. p.*
       3. HENRY, of Stone Easton M.P. for Somersetshire, who *m.* Elizabeth-Anne, dau. of Thomas Horner, esq. of Mells Park, but *d. s. p.* in 1795.* His widow *m.* secondly, Sir John Cox Hippisley.
       4. Willliam, } all *d. s. p.*
       5. Charles, }
       6. Robert, }
       1. Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. John Hippisley, of Stow, in Gloucestershire.
       2. Mary, *m.* to John Buller, esq. of Downes.
       3. Anne, *m.* to William James, esq. of Ash.
       4. Susannah, *m.* to Francis, Lord de Dunstanville.
   - George, (seventh son of John Hippisley, of Stone Easton, by Margaret Preston) was father of
     - John Hippisley, who *m.* Miss Mary Atkyns, of the county of Hereford, and was *s.* by his son,
     - Richard Hippisley, who *m.* Jane, daughter of the Rev. Henry Edwards, vicar of Chard, in Somersetshire, and had a son,
       - JOHN, in holy orders, of whom presently, as HEIR to the LAMBORNE branch.

II. RICHARD.

The second son,

RICHARD HIPPISLEY, esq. inherited the estate of Lamborne, in Berkshire. He wedded Anne Orlebar, and had two sons,

Richard, who died *s. p.* and

JOHN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Lamborne, who espoused Miss Catherine Southby, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Lamborne, who *m.* Cotton, daughter of — Bowles, esq. and had a son and heir,

ORGAN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Lamborne, who died in 1735, without surviving issue, and was *s.* by his brother,

JOHN HIPPISLEY, esq. of Lamborne. This gentleman *m.* Miss Maria Odam, but dying *sine prole* in 1769, devised his estates to his kinsman,

THE REV. JOHN HIPPISLEY, of Stow, in Gloucestershire, who thus became of "Lamborne," (refer to issue of GEORGE, seventh son of John Hippisley, of Stone Easton, by Margaret Preston). This gentleman *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Hippisley Coxe, esq. of Stone Easton, in the county of Somerset, and had issue,

- RICHARD, who has assumed the additional surname and arms of TUCKFIELD (see family of TUCKFIELD, of Fulford.)
- HENRY.
- Frances-Anne.

Mr. Hippisley, who died in 1822, bequeathed his estates at Lamborne, to his second son, the present Rev. HENRY HIPPISLEY.

Arms—Sa. three mullets pierced in bend between two bendlets or.

Crest—A hind's head erased ppr. gorged with a collar sa. and or, surcharged with three mullets pierced.

Estates—In the county of Berks.

Seats—Lamborne Place, and Sparsholt House, both in Berkshire.

* Mr. Hippisley-Coxe settled his estates among other entails, on the Rev. Henry Hippisley, who will inherit after Mr. Hippisley Coxe's widow, the present possessor.

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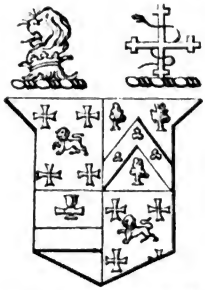
ASTELL, OF EVERTON.

ASTELL, WILLIAM, esq. of Everton House, in the county of Huntingdon, a deputy-lieutenant for Bedfordshire, and representative, for many years, of the borough of Bridgewater in parliament, *b.* 13th October, 1774, *m.* in July, 1800, Sarah, only dau. of John Harvey, esq. of Ickwellbury, in Beds., and of Finningley Park, in the county of York, and has issue,



RICHARD-WILLIAM, a captain in the grenadier guards.
John-Harvey, of the Hon. East India Company's factory, at Canton.
Henry-Godfrey.
Charles-Edward.
Sarah.
Louisa.
Caroline, *m.* to Thomas Quintin, esq. jun. of Hatley Park, in the county of Cambridge.
Harriett.

This gentleman, whose patronymic was THORNTON, assumed, by sign manual, in 1807, the surname and arms of ASTELL. Mr. Astell is colonel of the Royal East India Volunteers, a director of the East India Company, and has frequently filled the chair of the court of Directors.

Lineage.

The family of THORNTON, whence Mr. Astell derives paternally, was settled at a remote period in the county of York.

THE REV. ROBERT THORNTON, M.A. rector of Birkin, in that shire, was eminently distinguished during the civil conflicts of the reign of CHARLES I. for his loyalty to his king and attachment to the church of England. His great and manifold privations in those distressing times are fully related in "Walker's Sufferings of the Clergy." Mr. Thornton, who was removed from his rectory during the Protectorate, but reinstated at the Restoration, died in 1665, and lies interred in the church of Birkin, where a monument is erected to his memory. His son,

THE REV. ROBERT THORNTON, A. M. rector of Birkin, "who," as the inscription on his tomb relates, "having lived happily about forty-five years with his wife, Mrs. Clare Thornton, a virtuous charitable and hospitable house-keeper, by whom he had nine children, buried her 3rd December, 1696, aged 65 years, and himself was laid with her, 2nd February, 1697, in the 74th year of his age." Mr. Thornton had issue,

JOHN.

William, in holy orders, A.M. rector of Birkin, who died in 1718.

Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. Robert Banks, M.A. prebendary of Stillington.

Elizabeth, *d.* unm.

The elder son,

JOHN THORNTON, esq. merchant in Hull, erected the monument in Birkin church to the memory of his ancestors, with the following inscription:

"En Filium, Patrem, Avum, hujus Ecclesiæ, successivè Rectores, Quorum in societate amænitas, facilisque accessus, in amicitiâ fides, in Pauperes munificentia, in omnes Hospitalitas, studiumque pacis ita suis Delectos reddiderunt Parochianis ut nomen Thorntonianum bene audiat.

He espoused Jane, daughter of John Field, esq. of Kingston-upon-Hull, by Sarah, daughter of Robert Wood, esq. of Monk Bretton, in Yorkshire, and *d.* in 1731, having had issue,

1. ROBERT, of London and Clapham, one of the directors of the bank, who *m.* Miss Hannah Swynocke, and left at his decease in 1747, with four daughters, an only son,
   JOHN, of Clapham, who *m.* Lucy, daughter and heir of Samuel Watson, esq. by Margaret, his wife, daughter of Sir Henry Hoghton, bt. of Hoghton Tower, and died in 1790, leaving issue,

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1. SAMUEL, of Clapham and Albury Park, in Surrey, M.P. for that shire, who *m.* in 1780, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Miles, esq. of Wakefield, and had issue,
   - JOHN, *b.* in 1783, who *m.* the daughter of Edward Parry, esq. of Gower-street.
   - Henry-Milnes, *b.* in 1792.
   - Samuel, *b.* in 1797, capt. R.N.
   - Lucy.
   - Esther-Mary.
   - Jane, *m.* to R. Mee Raikes, esq.
   - Harriet, *m.* to her cousin, Hon. J. Thornton Leslie Melville, second son of the late Earl of Leven and Melville, and *d.* in 1832.
2. Robert, of Clapham, M.P. for Colchester, who *m.* Maria, daughter of Francis Eyre, esq.
3. Henry, of Clapham, M.P. for Southwark, who *m.* Mary Anne, daughter of Joseph Sykes, esq. of West Ella, in Yorkshire, and died leaving issue.
4. Jane, *m.* to Alexander, late earl of Leven, and is mother of the present Earl.
5. Lucy, died unm.

II. Joseph.

III. John, who *m.* Pentecost, daughter of Ezekiel Hall, esq. and died *vitâ patris* in 1729.

IV. GODFREY, of whom presently.

V. William, of Kingston-on-Hull, merchant, who left at his death in 1782, two daughters, his co-heirs,
   - Jane, *m.* to John Porter, esq.
   - Sarah, *m.* to Robert Thornton, esq. of Kensington.

VI. Sarah, who *m.* William Wilberforce, esq. of Kingston-on-Hull, merchant, and had issue,
   - Robert Wilberforce, of Kingston-on-Hull, father of WILLIAM WILBERFORCE, esq. the benevolent advocate for the abolition of the nefarious traffic in slaves, and formerly M. P. for Yorkshire.
   - William Wilberforce, who *m.* Hannah, daughter of Robert Thornton, esq. and *d. s. p.* in 1777.

The fourth son,

GODFREY THORNTON, esq. of Clapham, a director of the Bank of England, *b.* in 1701, married Margaret, daughter of WILLIAM ASTELL, esq. of Everton, and had with other children, who *d.* young.

- WILLIAM, of London and Clapham, *b.* in 1733, who assumed by sign manual in 1777, the surname and arms of ASTELL. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Thornton, esq. but died *s. p.* in 1801.
- Robert, of Kensington, who *m.* first, Sarah, daughter and co-heir of William Thornton, esq. and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Warner, esq. but died *s. p.* in 1803.
- GODFREY.
- Charles, } both *d.* unm.
- John, }

Mr. Thornton died in 1751. His third son,

GODFREY THORNTON, esq. of Mogerhanger House, in Bedfordshire, a bank director, espoused Jane, daughter and co-heir of Stephen Peter Godin, esq. of Culland's grove, Middlesex, and had issue,

I. STEPHEN, of Mogerhanger House, a bank director, *b.* in 1767, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Thomas Littledale, esq. of Rotterdam, and has issue,
   - GODFREY, *b.* in 1795, lieutenant-colonel in the grenadier guards, who *m.* first, his cousin, Miss Dixon, and secondly, Sophia, daughter of Brise Pearse, esq. of Woodford.
   - Charles, *d.* unm.
   - Stephen-Edward, *m.* the daughter of John Campbell, esq. of Blunham in Beds.
   - Edmund, deceased.
   - George, in holy orders.
   - William, capt. gren. gds.
   - Harry.
   - Edward.
   - Mary.

II. William, the present WILLIAM ASTELL, esq. of Everton.

III. Claude-George, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Samuel Smith, esq. of Woodhall Park, Herts, M.P.

IV. Anna-Maria, *m.* to Thomas Vigne, esq. of Woodford.

V. Almeria, *m.* to William Phillimore, esq. of Lincoln's Inn, barrister at law.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, Gu. a lion passant per pale or, and arg. between four cross crosslets of the last, for ASTELL. Second, Arg. on a chev. gu. between three trees ppr. three crosses patee fitchee, arg. for THORNTON. Third, for GODIN.

Crests—First, A cross crosslet or, entwined with a serpent vert. Second, A lion's head erased purpure, round the neck a coronet or.

Motto—Sub cruce glorior.

Estates—In the counties of Bedford, Northampton, and Surrey.

Town Residence—4, Portland Place.

Seat—Everton House.

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DELAFIELD, OF FIELDSTON.

DELAFIELD, JOSEPH, esq. of Camden Hill, in the county of Middlesex, *b* 14th May, 1749, *m*. 4th January, 1790, Frances, second daughter of the late Hervey Christian Combe, esq. of Cobham Park, in Surrey, one of the members of parliament, for many years, for the city of London, by whom he has had issue,

JOSEPH.
Edward-Hervey, who *d*. unmarried.
John, in holy orders, *m*. Lady Cecil-Jane Pery, daughter of the Earl of Limerick.
William.
Frances-Henrietta, *m*. to the Rev. Thomas Rennell, one of the prebendaries of Salisbury, eldest son of the Very Rev. the Dean of Winchester.
Maria.

Mr. Delafield is the second son of the late John Delafield, esq. but his elder brother, Count Delafield, having established himself abroad, he is now the representative of the family in England. The Count appears to be the undoubted heir to the ancient BARONY OF FITZ WARINE, which has been suspended for more than four centuries.

Lineage.

This family derives its descent from the COUNTS DE LA FELD, the once powerful proprietors of the demesnes and castle near Colmar, of which the latter still bears their name. These Lords had large possessions in Alsace and Loraine, and are frequently mentioned in the wars of those countries. The Croix d'or of La Feld, their ancient badge, is still the coat armour of the house immediately before us.

It is probable that HUBERTUS DE LA FELD was the first of his race that emigrated to England; and that he came over amongst the crowd of foreigners who attended the conqueror hither, his name appearing enrolled as the owner of lands in the county of Lancaster, in the third of WILLIAM I. The name of JOHN DE LA FELD occurs in the 12th of HENRY I. as a proprietor in the counties of Lancaster and Bucks; of ROBERT DE LA FELD, without a date, and of JOHN DE LA FELD, in the 38th and 43rd of HENRY III. The last mentioned person,

JOHN DE LA FELD, witnessed two deeds in the same years on the marriages of his son and daughter, viz.

JOHN, of whom presently.
ELIZABETH, who *m*. (43d HENRY III.) Norman D'Arcy, of Nocton, in the county of Lincoln, and had issue,
PHILIP D'ARCY, who was summoned to parliament as LORD D'ARCY, in 1299.
JOHN (Sir), D'Arcy, a very distinguished personage in the reigns EDWARD I., EDWARD II., and EDWARD III. In the two latter he was JUSTICE OF IRELAND, and was summoned to parliament as a BARON in 1332. He *m*. first, Emeline, dau. and co-heir of Walter Heron, of Hedleston, in Northumberland, and secondly, Joane, daughter of Richard de Burgh, Earl of Ulster, and widow of Thomas Earl of Kildare. By the first, he had three sons, and by the second, a son William, and a daughter ELIZABETH, *m*. to James, EARL OF ORMONDE, surnamed the *noble Earl*.
Robert D'Arcy, of Starlingburgh, in the county of Lincoln.

The son,

JOHN DE LA FELD, espoused in the 38th of HENRY III. Elizabeth Fitzwarine, (whose

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father was Lord Warden of the Marches in the North,) and had three sons, JOHN, Robert or Hubert, and Nicholas, of whom, the eldest,

JOHN DE LA FELD, married in the 15th of EDWARD I. Maude, daughter and heir of Montacute, by whom he had two sons,

ROBERT, or HUBERT,

JOHN. Canon of the abbey church, at Hereford.

The elder

ROBERT (or HUBERT) DE LA FELD, wedded in the 11th of EDWARD II. his cousin, the daughter and heir of Fulke Fitzwarine, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DE LA FELD, who espoused in the 23d of EDWARD III. Margaret de Tyringham, and had three sons, THOMAS, Robert, and Nicholas. The eldest,

THOMAS DE LA FELD, wedded in the 45th EDWARD III. Elizabeth, his kinswoman, daughter of Thomas Butler, second son of Thomas, Earl of Ormonde, and great-great-granddaughter of Elizabeth De la Feld, wife of Norman D'Arcy. He fell soon after his marriage in the French wars, and leaving no issue, was *s.* by his brother,

ROBERT DE LA FELD, who *m.* in the 51st of EDWARD III. Elinor Butler, sister of his brother's wife, and co-heir with her of their father the Hon Thomas Butler. By this lady he had, with a daughter Anne, abbess of a convent at Lancaster, a son and successor,

ROBERT DE LA FELD, who wedded 12th of HENRY IV. Alice, daughter and heiress of Sir Reginald de Grey, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS DE LA FELD, who wrote himself of Ailesbury in England, and of the Lordships of Fieldston and Culduffe, in the county of Kildare, in Ireland. This gentleman *m.* in the 16th HENRY VI. Katherine, only daughter of Sir Thomas de Rochfort,* by whom (who wedded secondly, Thomas Luttrell, esq. of Luttrelstown, ancestor of the Earls of Carhampton) he had a son,

SIR JOHN DELAFELD, who wedded, in the 35th of HENRY VI. Elizabeth Hankford, sister of Sir Richard Hankford,† and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

Gerald, who *m.* an heiress and assumed her surname and armorial ensigns, though his son resumed the family name, but retained his mother's coat armour, viz. or, a lion gu. and arg.

Catherine, *m.* in the 18th of EDWARD IV. Sir Richard Barnewall, and conveyed to her husband the lordship of Fieldston. Their descendant in the fifth degree, NICHOLAS BARNEWALL, *of Turvey*, was created in 1646, Baron Turvey, and Viscount Barnewall, of Kingsland.

The elder son,

SIR THOMAS DELAFIELD, *m.* in the 21st of EDWARD IV. Margaret, daughter and heir of Ralph Howard (descended from the Howards of Fersfield), and had a son, JOHN, and a daughter, Isabel; which John having removed with the court to Calais in 1500, on account of a great pestilence then raging in England, and not returning for several years, it was supposed by his family that he had perished; and ISABEL, his only sister, being married to Gerald Fitzgerald, of Alloone (descended from Maurice, first Knight of Kerry, and son of John, fourth Lord of Offaley), took the lordship of Culduffe into that family, for which the Fitzgeralds of Alloone quartered the arms of Delafield. She had issue, Bartholomew Fitzgerald, married to Anne Aylmer; and Alison Fitzgerald, *m.* to Gerald Aylmer, ancestor to the Lords Aylmer. In some years afterwards,

JOHN DELAFIELD returned, after a long absence, to the great joy of his family, and married Thomasine, the "faire daughter" of Sir Thomas Dillon, ancestor of the Earls of Roscommon. He had two sons, Gerald, the younger, married Elinor Plunket, of the Killeen family, and the elder,

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* By Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of John D'Arcy, by Joane, only, or as some assert eldest daughter and co-heir of John Fitzwarine, son and heir of William Fitzwarine, summoned to parliament 16th EDWARD III. as Lord Fitz Warine. In *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage* there is an evident mistake regarding this Lord Fitz Warine and his descendants, who are confounded with those of Robert, Lord Fitzpayne. Lord Fitzwarine left an only son, Ivo or JOHN FITZWARINE, who was with the Earl of Buckingham at the siege of Nantz, and after that, in 9th RIC. II. with the Duke of Lancaster in his naval expedition for the recovery of the inheritance of Constance, his wife, heir to the kingdom of Castile. His daughter, JOANE, *m.* John D'Arcy, by whom she had an only child, the above-mentioned ELIZABETH D'ARCY, who wedded Sir Thomas de Rochfort.

† Sir Richard Hankford's only daughter and heiress, ANNE HANKFORD (niece of Lady Delafeld), espoused Thomas Butler, Earl of Ormonde, and had two daughters, namely,

ANNE BUTLER, *m.* to Sir James St. Leger.

MARGARET BUTLER, *m.* to Sir William Boleyne, K.B. their son,

SIR THOMAS BOLEYNE, was created Viscount Rochford, and Earl of Wiltshire and Ormonde. He was father of

ANNE BOLEYNE, the unhappy queen consort of HENRY VIII.

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SIR THOMAS DELAFIELD, became his successor. This gentleman espoused Margaret Fleming, grandaughter of the Lord Slane, and was *s.* by his son,

PATRICK DELAFIELD, who wedded in 1563, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Cusack, esq. of Gerardstown, and his wife, the Hon. Anne St. Lawrence, daughter of Nicholas, sixteenth Lord Howth,* and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DELAFIELD. This gentleman married Anne de la Bere, co-heir of her brother, who was a younger branch of the De la Beres of Gloucestershire. He had two sons,

JOHN.
William, *m.* to Isabel Dudley, and had a son, William.

The elder son,

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. *m.* in 1610, Elizabeth, dau. and heir of Thomas Hampden, son of John Hampden, of Hampden, in Bucks, and had four sons, JOHN, William, James, and Thomas. The eldest,

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. espoused, in 1636, Elizabeth Brooke, and was fa her of

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. born 1637. This gentleman, having entered into foreign service, participated in the triumphs of Prince EUGENE of Savoy, and at the glorious engagement of Zenta, against the Turks, led on by the grand vizier in person, having taken a standard from the infidels, was created, a COUNT OF THE HOLY ROMAN EMPIRE in 1697. Count Delafield left issue,

I. JOHN.
II. Leopold, a count of the holy Roman Empire, who married and settled abroad. His grandson,
Count LEOPOLD DELAFIELD, wedded a daughter of Count Goltz, and had a son,
Count LEOPOLD DELAFIELD, who was shot in a duel at Paris in 1817.
III. Theophilus.

The eldest son,

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. *b.* in 1656, married Mary, daughter of James Heanage or Headage, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. *b.* in 1692, who wedded Sarah, daughter of James Goodwin, esq. and had three sons and a daughter, viz.

JOHN.
Thomas
Joseph.
Mary, *m.* to E. Unsworth, esq.

The eldest son,

JOHN DELAFIELD, esq. espoused Martha, daughter of John Dele, esq. of Aylesbury, Bucks, and had issue,

JOHN, settled abroad, a count of the holy Roman Empire, as inherited from his great-great-grandfather, JOHN. Count Delafield *m.* Mary, daughter of George Tollemache, esq. and has, with younger children, a son,
JOHN, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter and heiress of John Roberts, esq. of Whitchurch, in the county of Bucks; and secondly, his cousin, Miss Elizabeth Tollemache.
JOSEPH, the present Joseph Delafield, esq. of Camden Hill.
William, died unmarried.
Martha, *m.* to Thomas Arnold, esq. of Slatwoods, in the Isle of Wight, and has issue,
Thomas Arnold, in holy orders, who *m.* Mary, daughter of — Penrose, esq.
Lydia Arnold, *m.* to Richard, present Earl of Cavan.
Mary, died unmarried.

Arms—Sable, a cross patonce or. The escutcheon borne on the breast of the imperial eagle of Germany, as granted in the German patent: supported by two lions arg. and surmounted by the coronet of a count of the holy Roman Empire.

Crest—A dove displayed, holding in its beak an olive branch, ppr.

Mottoes—Insignia fortunæ paria; and *Fest*, signifying *pim*, said to have been given after the battle of ZENTA.

QUARTERINGS.

FITZWARINE.	GREY.
MONTACUTE.	HOWARD.
BUTLER.	HAMPDEN, &c.

Town Residence—Bryanstone Square.
Seat—Camden Hill, Middlesex.

* By his wife, the Lady Joan Beaufort, daughter of Edmond, Duke of Somerset, grandson of John of Gaunt.

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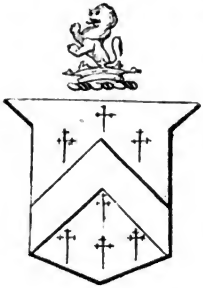
LONGFIELD, OF LONGUEVILLE.



LONGFIELD, JOHN, esq. of Longueville, in the county of Cork, *b.* in May, 1767, *m.* in October, 1797, Eleanor, only daughter of John Lucas, esq. of Mount Lucas, in the King's County, and has issue,

RICHARD, high-sheriff for the county of Cork, in 1833, wedded Harriette-Elizabeth, dau. of John M'Clintock, esq. of Drumear, in the county of Louth.
John, an officer in the army.
Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Wood, esq. of Preston Tower in Northumberland.
Elizabeth.

This gentleman, who served for twenty years in the army, and had, on his retirement, the rank of lieutenant-colonel, is a magistrate for the county of Cork, for which shire he served the office of sheriff in 1829.

Lineage.

The family of LONGFIELD claims to be descended from the Longchamps of Normandy,* who accompanied the Conqueror in his expedition into England, and having acquired grants of land, were summoned to parliament as tenants *in Capite.*

WILLIAM LONGFIELD, esq. living in the reign of JAMES II., forfeited large estates by his adhesion to that ill fated prince. His descendants are now extinct.

His younger brother,

JOHN LONGFIELD, esq. espoused Miss Hownby, and died 22nd April, 1730, leaving issue,

ROBERT, his heir.
John, *b.* 24th June, 1697, who *m.* 21st September, 1738, Miss Westrop, and left, at his decease, 1st April, 1765, two sons,
1. JOHN, of whom presently as heir to Lord Longueville.
2. Mountiford, M P. for Enniscorthy, who inherited from his cousin Lord Longueville, the estates of Castle May. He *m.* Miss Bateman.
William, *b.* in 1710, who wedded Miss Goodman, and died in 1771, leaving a son, the late Doctor Longfield of Cork.

The eldest son,

ROBERT LONGFIELD, esq. was of Longueville, in the county of Cork, *m.* in 1731, Miss Gearing, and had issue,

John, *b.* 3rd July, 1733, who *m.* Miss Tilson, and left at his demise, an only son,
Robert, who *m.* Miss O'Callaghan, only daughter of Thomas O'Callaghan, esq. and sister to Cornelius, first Lord Lismore, by whom he left no issue at his decease in 1775.
RICHARD.

The second son,

RICHARD LONGFIELD, esq. of Longueville, who sat for several years in the parliament of his native country, as member for the city of Cork, was created in 1795, *Baron Longueville of Longueville*, and advanced in 1800, to the VISCOUNTY OF LONGUEVILLE. His lordship, who was governor of the county of Cork and a representative peer for Ireland, wedded in 1756, Margaret, daughter of Richard White, esq. of Bantry, and aunt to Richard, present Earl of Bantry, but dying *s. p.* in 1811, the honors expired, while the greater portion of his lordship's estates devolved on his cousin,

JOHN LONGFIELD, esq. of Longueville, who espoused Miss Elizabeth Foster, first cousin to the late Right Hon. John Foster, Lord Oriel, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

* Playfair.

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Mountiford, in holy orders, rector of Desert Diocese, county of Cork.
Henry.
Patience, *m.* to the late John Wallis, esq. of Dreshane, in the county of Cork.
Elizabeth, *m.* to the late George Stawell, esq. of Crobeg.

Mr. Longfield, who represented the borough of Mallow in parliament, died in 1815, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JOHN LONGFIELD, esq. of Longueville.

Arms—Gu. a chevron erm. between seven cross crosslets fitchee.

Crest—Out of a ducal coronet, a demi lion rampant.

Motto—Parcere subjectis.

Estates—In the counties of Cork and Limerick.

Seat—Longueville, near Mallow.

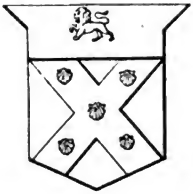
BAKER, OF ELEMORE.

BAKER, GEORGE, esq. of Elemore Hall, in the county of Durham, *m.* Isabella, daughter of John Dalton, esq. of Sleningford, in Yorkshire, by Isabella, sister and co-heir of Sir Cecil Wray, bart. and has an only daughter,

ISABELLA, *m.* to her cousin, Henry Tower, esq. younger son of Charles Tower, esq. and has issue.

Mr. Baker *s.* his father in 1774, and stood, in 1813, a severe contest with George Allan, esq. of Blackwell Grange, for the representation of the city of Durham, but unsuccessfully.

Lineage.



WILLIAM BAKER, who died in 1597, was *s.* by his son,

OSWALD BAKER, of the city of Durham, who *m.* 28th November, 1592, Mary Heron, and had two sons, viz.

1. William, of the city of Durham, baptised 19th August, 1593, died in 1642, leaving no surviving issue.
2. GEORGE (Sir), of whom presently.

Oswald Baker died in May, 1608. His widow married William Smith, esq. barrister-at-law, 3rd October, in the same year, and died in 1642. The second son,

SIR GEORGE BAKER, knt. barrister-at-law, was clerk of the Chancery of Durham, and recorder of Newcastle-upon-Tyne. He *m.* 5th February, 1621-2, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Liddell, esq. of Ravensworth Castle, in the county of Durham, (afterwards a baronet) and had four sons, of whom one only survived him. This gentleman, one of the loyal defenders of Newcastle, purchased, about the year 1635, Crook Hall, in the county of Durham, in which he was *s.* at his decease in August, 1667, by his son,

GEORGE BAKER, esq. of Crook Hall, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Forster, esq. of Edderstone, in Northumberland, and had issue,

1. GEORGE, *his successor.*
2. Thomas, in holy orders, a distinguished scholar and antiquary, *b.* at Crook Hall, 16th September, 1656, A.B. of St. John's College, Cambridge, 1679; A.M. in 1681; collated to the rectory of Long Newton, in the county of Durham in 1687; resigned that rectory 1st August, 1690; ejected from his Fellowship of St. John's College, 20th January, 1716; *d.* 2nd July, 1740, at the advanced age of 84, buried in the Ante-Chapel, of St. John's College.
3. Ralph, *d.* in 1666.
4. Francis, of Tanfield, in the county

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of Durham, *m.* 13th February, 1700, Margaret Foster, and had issue,

George,
Ferdinando,
Francis,
John, an alderman of Newcastle,
Magdalen,
Margaret,
} all of whom *d. s. p.*

5. Margaret, *m.* to John Hunter, gent. of the county of Durham.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* first, to the Rev. Charles Basire, M.A. rector of Boldon, county of Durham, and secondly, in 1691, to Zachary Whittingham, gent. of Holmside, in the same shire.

Mr. Baker *d.* 14th October, 1677, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE BAKER, esq. of Crook Hall, *b.* 1st August, 1654, who *m.* Elizabeth, only dau. and heir of Samuel Davison, esq. of Wingate Grange, in the county of Durham, (third son of Sir Alexander Davison, of Blakiston, by Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of John Cosin, lord bishop of Durham) and dying in 1699, was *s.* by his only son,

GEORGE BAKER, esq. of Crookhall. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, only dau. and heir of Thomas Conyers, esq. of Elemore, in the county of Durham, M.P. for the city of Durham, by whom he acquired that estate, and had issue,

Conyers, who *d.* in infancy.
GEORGE, his successor.
Margaret, *m.* to Edward Shipperdson, esq. of Piddington Hall Garth, in the county of Durham, (see p. 109).

Mr. Baker, who represented the city of Durham in parliament in the 12th ANNE, and 1st and 7th GEORGE I. died at Bristol, 1st June, 1723, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE BAKER, esq. of Elemore Hall, who espoused Judith, daughter and co-heir of Cuthbert Routh, esq. of Dinsdale, in the county of Durham, (by Judith, daughter of Sir Ralph Milbanke, bart. of Halnaby, in Yorkshire,) and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Christopher Thomas Tower, esq. of Weald Hall, in Essex.

Mr. Baker *d.* 15th May, 1774, aged fifty-one, and was *s.* by his only son, the present GEORGE BAKER, esq. of Elemore Hall.

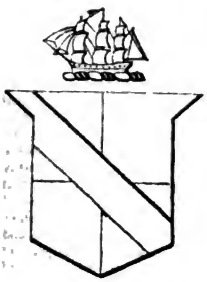
Arms—Arg. on a saltire azure, five escallops on the first, on a chief azure, a lion passant arg.

Estates—In the counties of Durham and Northumberland.

Seat—Elemore Hall.

CONSTABLE, OF WASSAND.

CONSTABLE, THE REV. CHARLES, of Wassand, in the county of York, *b.* 25th April, 1773, *m.* in June, 1796, Lucy, daughter of Jonathan Acklom, esq. of Wiseton, and has an only daughter,



MARY, who wedded, in 1818, George, eldest son of Sir William Strickland, bart. by whom she has issue,

CHARLES-WILLIAM STRICKLAND, *b.* in 1819.
Frederick Strickland, *b.* in 1820.
Henry Strickland, *b.* in 1821.
Lucy-Henrietta Strickland.

Mr. Constable *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his uncle, 6th July, 1812. He is in the commission of the peace for the three ridings of Yorkshire.

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Lineage.

From the CONSTABLESHIP of Chester, which it formerly enjoyed, this family derives its surname. Soon after the Norman conquest, WILLIAM having conferred on Hugh de Abrincis the palatinate of Chester, to hold "ita liberè ad gladium sicut ipse rex tenebat Angliam ad coronam," that nobleman, for the greater efficiency of his government, nominated eight barons under himself being according to Camden, "all his trusty friends:" Of these the chief was NIGELL, the cousin of Hugh, whom the Earl created Baron of Halton, and appointed, in recompense for his bold and daring exploits, CONSTABLE of CHESTER, then an officer of a high rank, to whom was committed the command of all the soldiers, with the charge of the horses, armour, and other munitions of war. This

NIGELL, son of Ivon, Viscount Constantine, in Normandy, by Emma, sister to Adam, Earl of Bretagne, was father of

WILLIAM FITZ NIGELL, Constable of Chester, founder of the abbey of Norton, whose daughter,

AGNES, heiress to her brother William, espoused EUSTACE FITZ JOHN, one of the most potent among the Northern barons in the reign of HENRY I. This Eustace was son of John *Monoculus*, Lord of Knaresborough, brother and heir of Serlo de Burgh, who erected, temp WILLIAM *the Conqueror*, the castle of Knaresborough. By his first wife, Agnes, Eustace acquired the Barony of Halton, &c. and had an only son, RICHARD FITZ EUSTACE. He wedded secondly, Beatrice, only daughter and heiress of Ivo de Vesci, Lord of Alnwick, in Northumberland, and of Malton in Yorkshire, and had issue,

WILLIAM, ancestor of the great baronial House of VESCY.

Jeffery.

This Eustace Fitz John, who founded the abbeys of Alnwick, in Northumberland, and of Walton and Malton, in Yorkshire, was slain in the wars against the Welsh, with Robert de Courcy, and many others in the first year of HENRY II. His eldest son,

RICHARD FITZ EUSTACE, inheriting the honors of his mother, became Baron of Halton and CONSTABLÆ of CHESTER. He wedded Albreda, daughter and heiress of Eudo de Lizours, and half sister (by the mother) of Robert de Lacy, Baron of Pontefract, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

ROBERT, the Hospitaller.

ROGER, Lord of Warkworth, in Northumberland, from whom sprang the great Northern House of CLAVERING. (See *Clavering of Callaly*, p. 237).

The eldest son and heir, John, becoming heir to his half uncle, Robert de Lacy, assumed *that* surname, and inherited, as

JOHN DE LACY, the Baronies of Halton and Pontefract, with the Constableship of Chester. This feudal chief, who was Lord of Flambro, Baron of Halton, and Constable of Chester, had two sons,

ROGER, Constable of Chester, Lord of Halton and Pontefract, who gave to his brother Robert the Lordship of Flambro'. He participated in the achievements of the *Lion hearted* RICHARD, and was ancestor of the *Lacys*, EARLS OF LINCOLN. (See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage*).

ROBERT.

The second son,

ROBERT DE LACY, or CONSTABLE, who obtained from his elder brother Roger, a grant of the Lordship of Flamburgh, wedded a Lady, named Agnes, but of what family is not recorded, and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM CONSTABLE, of Flamburgh, living in 1260, father of

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, of Flamburgh, who was knighted with three hundred others at the grand festival of Whitsontide in the 34th year of the reign of Edward I. when that monarch in order to augment the splendour of his court, and the glory of his intended expedition into Scotland, conferred the same honor on his eldest son, the Earl of Carnarvon. Sir Robert was succeeded at his decease by his son,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, who served the office of sheriff for Yorkshire, in the 40th EDWARD III. His son and successor,

SIR WILLIAM CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, wedded the daughter of the Lord Fitz Hugh, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, high sheriff for the county of York, in the 8th 9th and 18th of RICHARD II. He *m.* —— daughter of William Skipwith, and left a son and heir,

SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, who married Catherine, daughter of Robert Cumberworth, and was succeeded by his son,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, of Flamburgh, who received the honor of knighthood before the 16th of HENRY VI., in which year as

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well as in the 2nd and 3rd of EDWARD IV., he was sheriff of the county. Sir Robert wedded Agnes, daughter of Sir William Gascoigne of Gawthorp, and sister to the Lord Chief Justice Gascoigne, so eminently distinguished in the reign of HENRY IV. and was succeeded, at his demise, by his son,

SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, sheriff for Yorkshire, 19th EDWARD IV. and M.P. for that county. This gentleman *m.* Agnes, daughter of Sir Roger Wentworth, knt. of Nettlested, in the county of Suffolk, and dying in 1488, left issue,

1. MARMADUKE (Sir), of Flamburgh, surnamed the *Little*, born in 1443. This gallant person, an eminent military commander, shared, with his four sons, in the glory of Flodden.* He *m.* first, Joyce, daughter of Sir Humphrey Stafford, and secondly, Margery, daughter of Lord Fitz Hugh, by the former of whom alone he left issue, at his decease in 1518, namely,
   1. ROBERT (Sir), of Flamburgh, who was knighted 17th June, 1497, at the battle of Blackheath, for his signal services against the Cornish rebels. Subsequently however, taking part in the Lincolnshire commotions excited by Lord Hussey, he was attainted and executed at Hull. Sir Robert left issue by his wife, Jane, daughter of Sir William Ingleby of Ripley, a son and heir,
      SIR MARMADUKE CONSTABLE of Nuneaton in Warwickshire, which estate he had acquired by grant from the Crown. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord D'Arcy, of D'Arcy, K.G. and was *s.* at his decease in 1559, by his son,
      ROBERT CONSTABLE, esq. of Flamburgh, who *m.* first, Dorothy, daughter of Sir William Gascoigne, and secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Widdrington, by the latter of whom, he left a son and successor,
      SIR ROBERT CONSTABLE, knt. of Flamburgh, who espoused Ann, daughter of John Hussey, esq. of North Duffield, and dying in 1660, was *s.* by his son,
      SIR WILLIAM CONSTABLE, who was created a BARONET in 1611, but dying *s. p.* in 1655, this, the senior line of the family, expired with the title. Sir William was buried in Westminster Abbey.
   2. MARMADUKE (Sir), ancestor of the Constables of Everingham, now represented by WILLIAM CONSTABLE-MAXWELL, esq. (see family of CONSTABLE-MAXWELL of Everingham and Carlaverock.)
   3. William (Sir), of Hatfield.
   4. John (Sir), of Knowlton.

II. John in holy orders, dean of Lincoln.
III. Philip.
IV. Robert of Cliffe, serjeant-at-law.
V. WILLIAM, of whom we are about to treat.
VI. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Metham, esq.
VII. Margaret, *m.* to Sir William Ever.
VIII. Agnes, *m.* first, to Sir Gervase Clifton, and secondly, to Walter Griffith, esq.
IX. Margery, *m.* to Sir Ralph Bijot.
X. Anne, *m.* to Sir William Tyrwhitt, of Ketilby, knight banneret.
XI. Catherine, *m.* to Sir Ralph Ryder.

The fifth and youngest son,

WILLIAM CONSTABLE, esq. of Caythorpe,

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* For his distinguished service on that occasion, HENRY VIII. addressed to Sir Marmaduke, the following autograph letter;

HENRY.

By the King.

Trustye and welbeloved wee greete you well and und'stand aswell by the respport of o^r right trustye cousyn and consailor the Duc of Norff: as otherwayes what acceptable service Yee amongs other latly did unto us by yor valiant towardness in th assisting of our said cousyn against our great enemy the late King of Scots and how courageouslye yee as a veray herty loving Knight acquitted yourself for Ye overthrow of the said King and distrustinge of his malice and powar to our great honor and th avancement of your no little fame and praise, for the which wee have good cause to favour and thank you—and soe wee full hertily doe—And assured yee may be that wee shall in such effectuall wise remember yor said service in any yor reasonable po'pects as yee shall cause to thinke the same right well ymployed to yor comfort and weale hereafter and spially because yee (notwithstanding our licence to you granted by reason of your great age and impotency to take yor ease and liberty) did thus kindly and dyligently to your peyne serve us at this time which require longe thankes and remembrance accordingly—Yeven under our Signet at our Castele of Wyndeshore the xxvi day of Novembre 1514

Indorsed.

To our Trustye and well boloved Knight for our body Sir, Marmaduke, the elder.

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living in 1528, espoused Joan, daughter of Roger Fulthorpe, by whom, (who purchased in 1530, the estate of WASSAND, and was interred at Rudston,) he had a son and successor,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, in the county of York, who *m.* Miss Stokes, of Goxhill, and was *s.* at his decease in 1568, by his son,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, who wedded Catherine Holme, of Paul Holme, and was succeeded by his son,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, born in 1568. This gentleman espoused Eliza Shirley, and dying in 1607, was interred in York Minster. His son and heir,

PHILIP CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, *m.* Mary, daughter of Ralph Moore, esq. by whom (who died in 1678, at the advanced age of eighty-one) he left at his decease in 1618, being slain in a duel with Edward Percy, esq. a son and heir,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, who married Frances, daughter of Sir J. Buck, of Filey, and was *s.* in 1680, by his son,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, who wedded Faith, daughter of Sir Nicholas Yarborough, of Snaith, and had a son, his successor in 1690,

YARBOROUGH CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand. This gentleman *m.* Rosamond, daughter of John Eastoft, esq. of Eastoft, and had issue,

MARMADUKE, his heir.
John, who left an only son, Henry, who died *s. p.*
Thomas.
Rosamond, *m.* to Francis Best, esq.
Betty, who *d. s. p.*

Mr. Constable died in 1731, aged fifty-five, and was succeeded by his son,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, who espoused Mary, daughter of Thomas Worsley, esq. of Hovingham, and had issue,

I. MARMADUKE, his heir.
II. Thomas, in holy orders, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of Charles Goulton, esq. and had issue,
CHARLES, heir to his uncle.
Marmaduke, who *m.* in 1807, Octavia, daughter of General Hale, by whom (who died in 1824) he has no issue.
Sarah, who *d. s. p.* in 1798.
Rachael-Mary-Anne, *m.* in 1808, to James Salmond, esq. and had one son, Edward Salmond, who died *s. p.* in 1821.
Frances-Elizabeth, *m.* in 1814, to the Rev. William Bentinck, prebendary of Westminster, eldest son of Lord Edward Charles Cavendish Bentinck.
III. Mary, *m.* to Jonathan Acklom, esq. of Wiseton.
IV. Rosamond, who died *s. p.* in 1801.

Mr. Constable died in 1762, aged fifty-eight, and was *s.* by his elder son,

MARMADUKE CONSTABLE, esq. of Wassand, at whose decease, without issue, in 1812, the estates devolved upon his nephew, the present Rev. CHARLES CONSTABLE, of Wassand.

Arms—Quarterly; Gu. and vairy, over all, a bend or. Quartering the ensigns of EASTOFT, viz. sa. six escallops, three, two, and one.

Crests—First, a ship with tackle, guns, and apparel, all or, for CONSTABLE. Second, a stork with an eel in its mouth.

Estates—In the East and West Ridings of Yorkshire.

Seat—Wassand, near Hull, the family residence since 1530. The old mansion was pulled down in 1813, and a new one erected by the present proprietor.

⁂ The *Wass and* CONSTABLES have, at various periods, filled the office of sheriff for Yorkshire. From Robert de Lacy, Constabu. Cestriæ, in 1206, to Robert Constable, esq. in 1701, twenty-eight members of the Constable family were high sheriffs of Yorkshire.

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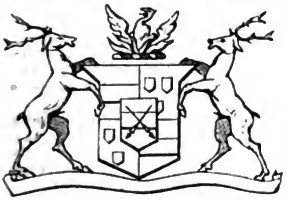
CRAWFURD, OF CROSBY.

CRAWFURD, ROBERT, esq. of Newfield, in the shire of Ayr, commandant of its yeomanry, and one of its deputy-lieutenants, *m.* in 1813, Frances, dau. of the late Henry O'Brien, seq. of Blatherwick Park, Northamptonshire, and has issue,



ROBERT.
Patrick-Reginald.
Frances.
Emma.
Julia.
Letitia.

This gentleman, who is now male representative of the CRAUFURDS, of CRAUFURD, Loudoun, Crosby, &c. inherited the estates at the decease of his father, in 1794. He was formerly a captain in the 7th Hussars, and served with that regiment in the Peninsula.

Lineage.

The family of CRAWFURD is of Norman origin, and appears to descend from one of those knights who accompanied Malcolm Canmore from England, and encouraged by grants of land from that prince, settled in Scotland. In the Chartularies, Advocates Library, Edinburgh, mention is made of a Reginald de Crawfurd in the beginning of the 12th century. He assumed his name (agreeably to the practice of the age) from his barony of Crawfurd, in Clydesdale, signifying in Gaellic, "the pass of blood."* In 1127 there were two knights (brothers, and sons most probably of this Reginald) Sir John and Sir Gregan Crawfurd, both in the service of King DAVID I. In commemoration of that monarch's life, having been preserved when hunting in Holyrood Park, by the younger brother, the abbey of Holyrood was founded, and Sir Gregan's arms placed therein.

In 1170 a Dominus GALFREDUS DE CRAWFURD, frequently occurs among the Magnates Scotiæ, as a witness to the charters of his sovereign. He wedded — sister of John le Scott, earl of Chester, and daughter of David, earl of Huntingdon, second son of DAVID I. of Scotland, by his Queen Maud, daughter of Valdosius, earl of Northumberland, and Judith, niece of WILLIAM the Conqueror. From this Galfred sprang

SIR JOHN CRAWFURD, of Crawfurd, who died in 1248, and was buried in Melrose Abbey, leaving two daughters, his co-heirs, who conveyed the greater portion of the Crawfurd estates to the families of their husbands, Douglas, ancestor of the dukes of Douglas, and Lindsay, ancestor of the earls of Crawfurd and Lindsay. The territory thus divided was afterwards called Crawfurd Lindsay, and Crawfurd Douglas. But a third portion subsequently, for distinction, denominated Crawfurd John Barony, remained in the possession of John Crawfurd, the male representative of Sir John. From Galfred de Crawfurd also sprang

SIR REGINALD DE CRAWFURD, a personage of great eminence, who espoused, about the year 1200, the heiress of the extensive barony of Loudoun, in Ayrshire (which afterwards gave the title of earl to its possessors) and he became the first vicecomes or lord lieutenant of the county, the office being made hereditary in his family. The fifth in descent from this Sir Reginald, was another

SIR REGINALD CRAWFURD, knt. of Loudoun, vicecomes de Air, one of the most patriotic upholders of the freedom of Scotland, against the English monarch, EDWARD I. he lost his life in the service of his country, with his great kinsman, SIR WILLIAM WALLACE,* leaving an only daughter and heiress,

* The pass, however, near which stand the ruins of Crawfurd Castle, has, for many centuries, been called *Norman Gill.*

* This distinguished and immortal hero was son of Malcolm Wallace, lord of Ellerslie, by Margaret, his wife, sister to Sir Reginald Crawfurd, of Loudoun, and aunt to the Sir Reginald, mentioned in the text.

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SUSANNA, who espoused Sir Duncan Campbell, of Lochaw, and from this marriage lineally descends the present

Flora-Muir Campbell-Rawdon-Hastings, COUNTESS OF LOUDOUN, in her own right. (See *Burke's Peerage.*)

Sir Reginald dying thus without male issue, the representation of the house of CRAWFURD reverted to his cousin,

HUGH CRAWFURD, second son of Sir Reginald Crawfurd, of Loudoun, who was treacherously murdered at Ayr in 1297. This Hugh, who appears to have inherited from Loudoun the lands of Monoch, of which his grandfather had a charter in 1226, and also CROSBY, near Kilbride, an ancient tenure of Loudoun, was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

REGINALD CRAWFURD, of Crosby, who obtained in 1320 a grant of the lands of AUCHINAMES, in Renfrewshire, for his services to Robert Bruce, as well as an augmentation to his arms of two lances in saltire, commemorative of his exploits at Bannockburn. To him succeeded his son,

REGINALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames* and Crosby, whose name appears prefixed as a witness to a charter by Robert, the high steward, in 1358. His son and successor,

THOMAS CRAWFURD,† of Auchinames, is mentioned by Crawfurd, in his History of Renfrewshire, in which he relates the substance of a mortification to the church of Kilbarchan, dated 1401, for a monk to say mass for the salvation of his soul, and his wife's, and his father's, and mother's, and for the soul of Reginald Crawfurd, his grandfather. He wedded the daughter and heiress of Malcolm Galbraith, and was *s.* by his son,

ARCHIBALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who *m.* Margaret, daughter and co-heiress of Sir William Douglas, of Peircetoun, and had (with a younger child, Thomas, ancestor of the Crawfurds of Thirdpart) a son and heir,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded, first, —, daughter of Archibald, Earl of Angus; and secondly, a daughter of Houstoun, of Houstoun. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who, in 1488, acted as arbiter between the abbot and convent of Paisley, and the burgh of Renfrew. This gentleman accompanying his sovereign, JAMES IV. to the battle of

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* Auchinames being the larger possession became the designation of the family, though in a different county and a less ancient estate.

† Crawfurd, the eminent historian and genealogist, deduces the CRAWFURDS of KILBIRNIE from a younger brother of this Thomas,

JOHN CRAWFURD, who was direct ancestor of

MALCOLM CRAWFURD, of Greenock, who espoused Marjory, daughter and sole heiress of John Barclay, of Kilbirnie, a branch of the ancient house of Barclay of Ardrossan. From this marriage descended

JOHN CRAWFURD, of Kilbirnie, who succeeded to that estate in 1622. He *m.* Mary, daughter of James, Earl of Glencairn, and, about the year 1627, rebuilt the house of Kilbirnie, in a style of feudal magnificence. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN CRAWFURD, knt. of Kilbirnie, who left by his second wife, Magdalene, daughter of Lord Carnegie, two daughters,

Ann, *m.* to Sir Archibald Stewart, of Blackhall.

MARGARET, who wedded the Hon. Patrick Lindsay, second son of John, fourteenth Earl of Crawfurd, and first Earl of Lindsay.

Sir John Crawfurd having settled the estate of Kilbirnie on the issue of the marriage of his daughter Margaret, it eventually devolved to her eldest son,

JOHN LINDSAY, esq. who assumed, upon becoming of "Kilbirnie," the surname and arms of CRAWFURD. In 1693, he was elected M.P. for Ayrshire, and again in the reign of Queen Anne. In 1705, he was elevated to the peerage as VISCOUNT GARNOCK. His lordship was *s.* by his eldest son,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, second Viscount Garnock, who died in 1735, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, third Viscount Garnock, who died unmarried, and was *s.* by his brother,

GEORGE CRAWFURD, fourth Viscount Garnock, who inherited, on the death of the celebrated John, Earl of CRAWFURD and LINDSAY, the estates and honors of that family. His lordship *m.* in 1755, Jean, eldest daughter and heiress of Robert Hamilton, esq. of Bourtreehill, and dying in 1781 left issue,

GEORGE, who *s.* as twentieth Earl of Crawfurd, and fifth Viscount Garnock. His lordship, who was lord-lieutenant of Fifeshire, died unmarried in 1808, and was *s.* by his sister, Lady MARY LINDSAY CRAWFURD.

Robert Lindsay Hamilton, who *d.* unmarried in 1801.

Bute, died unmarried.

Jean, *m.* to Archibald, eleventh Earl of Eglintoun, and *d. s. p.* in 1778.

Mary, the present Lady MARY LINDSAY CRAWFURD, of Crawfurd Priory.

†† About twenty years ago, a claimant appeared for the barony and estates of the great family of Crawfurd and Lindsay; for a full account of which claim, and an able refutation of its pretensions, see "An Examination of the Claim of John Lindsay Crawfurd to the Titles and Estates of Crawfurd and Lindsay, by James Dobie, esq. F.S.A."

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Flodden, was there slain in 1513, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who obtained from his father in 1498, a charter of Crosby and Monoch. To him succeeded his son,

THOMAS CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, living in 1535. This laird married Marion, daughter of Montgomery, of Hazlehead, by whom he had three sons, successive Lords of Auchinames, by the eldest of whom,

JOHN CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, he was succeeded at his decease. This gentleman being slain at the battle of Pinkie in 1547, and dying without issue, the estates devolved on his next brother,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded Annabel, daughter of Chalmers of Gadgirth, and had one son,

JAMES, who *m.* the Lady Elizabeth Cunningham, daughter of William, sixth Earl of Glencairn, by a daughter of Gordon of Lochinvar, and predeceasing his father, left an only child,

JANE, on whom he settled the lands of CROSBY. This lady wedded, about the year 1606, PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, and thus the ancient estates of the family were reunited.

William Crawfurd died in 1582, when the barony of Auchinames, according probably to the tenure on which it was held, passed to his brother,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who *m.* a daughter of John Frazer, third laird of Knock (by Margaret, his wife, only child and heiress of Sir John Stuart, of Glenderston, fourth son of John, first Earl of Lennox, grandson of the celebrated Sir John Stuart, Count Devereux, field-marshal of France), and had a son and successor,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who wedded, in 1587, a daughter of Sir Patrick Houstoun, of that Ilk, and was *s.* by his son,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who espoused, in 1606, Jane Crawfurd, heiress of Crosby, and thus again united the ancient estates of Crosby and Auchinames. He had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
James, whose issue is extinct.
ROBERT, of Nethermains, who continued the family.
Patrick.
John.
Hugh, minister of Cumnock, father of Hugh Crawfurd, of Gride.
Margaret.
Jane.
Katherine
Elizabeth, *m.* to Robert Hunter, of Hunterston.

Auchinames was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, who was infeft in 1649. He *m.* Anna, daughter of Sir Coll Lamont, of Inneryne, and had, with several daughters, a son and heir,

ARCHIBALD CRAWFURD, of Auchinames, Crosby, &c. the sixteenth baron or chief of this family descended from Loudoun in a direct male line. He *m.* a daughter of Porterfield, of that Ilk, and had a son,

WILLIAM, who *m.* Helen, daughter of Sir Thomas Burnet, of Crimond, and dying *vitâ patris* left an only daughter, who wedded Patrick Edmonston of Newton, and had several children.

The laird leaving no male issue, and having feued out and otherwise disposed of the lands of Auchinames, the superiority of that estate, together with the lands of Crosby in Cunninghame, was purchased by Patrick Craufurd, of Drumsoy, a descendant of the Craufurds of Kerse, who had married Jane the second daughter of Archibald of Auchinames. Hence Drumsoy is styled of Auchinames, as having the superiority of Crosby, similarly acquired, is still in possession of his descendant, John Craufurd. Archibald Crawfurd leaving no male issue, the representation of the family reverted to his uncle,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, designed by Nisbet, "Captain Robert Crawfurd, of Nethermains;" and that the Nethermains so alluded to, was the Nethermains of Kilwinning, whence sprang the Crawfurds of Newfield, is sufficiently attested by the will of Patrick Crawfurd, of Auchinames, lately discovered among the records of the Commissary Court of Glasgow. This testament bears date at Crosby, parish of Largs, the XII day of December, 1648, and in it are enumerated his children by name; it is "witnessed by William Craufurd, younger, of Auchinames, my son; Robert Hunter, of Hunterston, my son-in-law; and Robert Crawfurd, of *Nay'mains*, also my lawful son," and written by his son James, who was bred to the bar.*

Robert Crawfurd married Christian, dau. and co-heiress of Robert Brown, of Nethermains and Burrowlands; which latter estate was conveyed by the younger sister to her husband, Alexander Blair, of Giffordland. He died in 1678, leaving three sons,

ROBERT,
PATRICK, } successive heirs.
MOSES.

Captain Crawford, who is stiled in the seisine

* See *Robertson's* interesting "Account of the Principal Families in Ayrshire."

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of the lands of Nethermains, *third son* of *Patrick Crawford of Auchinames*, was succeeded by his eldest son,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, M.D. of Nethermains, who *m.* first, a daughter of the Rev. George Crawfurd, minister of Kilbride, and secondly, Agnes Dickie, but dying without issue, was *s.* by his brother,

PATRICK CRAWFURD, esq. of Nethermains, who had an only daughter AGNES, who wedded in 1709, John Boyd, esq. of Craneberry Moss, and appears to have alienated Nethermains to the family of Glasgow.

On the demise of Patrick Crawfurd of Nethermains, without male issue, the representation devolved on his brother,

MOSES CRAWFURD, esq. who *m.* first, Marion Francis, of the ancient family of Francis of Stane, and had a son Archibald, (named after his cousin-german, the last of Auchinames, then resident at Crosby,) who died in infancy. and a daughter Christian. He wedded secondly, Janet Allason, and had by her (who died in 1738,) three sons and two daughters, viz.

ROBERT, his heir.
Archibald, whose son Moses emigrated to America, and had a son Moses, a Lieut. R. N. lately deceased.
David.
Jane.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Crawfurd died in 1723, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT CRAWFURD, esq. born in 1707, who espoused Marion Brison, co-heiress of the lands of Groateholme, in the parish of Kilvinning, and had issue,

Robert, died young.
MOSES.
Archibald, born in 1746, who died in India.
Patrick, *b.* in 1748, also died in India.
George, died young.
Janet.
Agnes.
Jean.
Elizabeth, *m.* to R. Thompson, esq. of Dalgerrock.

Mr. Crawfurd died in 1772, and was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

MOSES CRAWFURD, esq. who went to India about the year 1765, and there attained the rank of Major in the Company's service. He was second in command at the capture of Beechigar, a strong hill fort on the Ganges, and was left in command of that place with a garrison of 2000 men. Returning home in 1783, he purchased the estate of Newfield, and wedded, in two years after Margaret, eldest daughter of the late John M'Kerrell, esq. of Hillhouse, by whom he had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.
John, an officer in the army, who serving during the Peninsular War, was present at the Battles of Salamanca and Orthes, and wounded and taken prisoner in the latter engagement.
Archibald, Captain of Artillery in the East India Company's Service, who *m.* Octavia, daughter of the late Colonel James Phelp, of Coston House, in the county Leicester, and has a son,
Archibald.
Patrick, M. D. who died in India.
Margaret, *m.* to the Rev. Dr. Alexander Hill, Minister of Daily, and has issue.

Major Crawfurd died in 1794, and was succeeded by his eldest son, ROBERT CRAWFURD, esq. of Newfield, now representative of the Crawfurds, of Crawfurd, Crosby, &c.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth gu. a fesse ermine for CRAWFURD of Crawfurd; Second and third, arg. three escutcheons sa. for LOUDOUN of Loudoun; and a central coat gu. thereon a fess erm. surmounted by two spears saltier ways for CROSBY.

Supporters—Two stags gu.

Crest—A phœnix rising from the flames gu.

Motto—God shaw the right.

Estates—In Ayrshire.

Seat—Newfield, near Kilmarnock.

*** Of the other families of the name of CRAWFURD, all are descended from Loudoun, or cadets of such.

The principal are,

CRAWFURD, of Crawfurdland, in Ayrshire, descended from the first Hugh Crawfurd, of Loudoun, now represented by female heirs. Lieutenant-colonel Walkingshaw Crawfurd, of Crawfurdland, who distinguished himself at the battles of Dettingen and Fontenoy, was the twenty-first and last male heir of that branch.

CRAWFURD, of Carse, in King's Kyle, Ayrshire, also sprung from a Hugh Crawfurd, of Loudoun. From this branch are Crawfurd of Drumsoy (now styled of Auchinames, through purchase of that estate), and of Crawfurd of Doonside.

CRAWFURD, of Ardmillan, in Ayrshire, according to Robertson, descended from Loudoun; but, by George Crawfurd's MS. Advocates' Library, Edinburgh, derived from Crosby or from Kilbirnie.

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SNEYD, OF ASHCOMB.

SNEYD, WILLIAM, esq of Ashcomb, in the county of Stafford, *b.* 5th September, 1767, *m.* in 1796, Jane, daughter and heiress of Simon Debank, esq. of Leek, and has had, with other children who died in infancy,

WILLIAM-DEBANK, *b.* 24th November, 1797, who *d.* 31st May, 1825.
JOHN, *b.* 28th October, 1798, in holy orders, who *m.* 15th January, 1822, Penelope, daughter of John Holley, esq. of Holme, in Norfolk.
Ralph, in holy orders, *b.* 2nd November, 1799, who *d.* unmarried in 1829.
Thomas, *b.* 20th December, 1800, who *m.* in June, 1832, Emma, fifth daughter of George Whitley, esq. of Norley Hall, in the county of Chester.
Clement, who *d.* young.
Henry, *b.* in March, 1804, *m.* 22nd February, 1831, Mary-Ann, second daughter of Thomas Sneyd-Kynnersley, esq. of Loxley Park.
Mary, *m.* to Clement, eldest son of Thomas Sneyd-Kynnersley, esq. of Loxley Park.

Mr. Sneyd *s.* to the estates upon the demise of his father, 8th November, 1809. He is a deputy-lieutenant for the county of Stafford.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the ancient family of SNEYD, of Keel.

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. of Keel and Bradwell, in the county of Stafford, who served the office of sheriff for that shire, 16th CHARLES II. espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Audeley, esq. of Gransden, in the county of Huntingdon, and had issue,

RALPH, of Keel, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Sir John Dryden, of Canon's Ashby, in Northamptonshire, and from this marriage descend the SNEYDS, of Keel.
WILLIAM.

The second son,

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. settled at the Birches, in the county of Stafford. He wedded Sarah, daughter and heiress of Edward Wettenhall, esq. of the Waterhouses, and had issue,

RALPH, his heir.
Wettenhall, *d.* young.
Richard, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Charles Adderley, esq. of Chesterfield, and *d. s. p.*
Elizabeth, *m.* to Samuel Adderley, esq. of Blakehall, in Staffordshire.
Mary, *m.* to Walter Chetwynd, esq. of Brocton.

William Sneyd was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

RALPH SNEYD, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Bowyer, esq. of Bishton, in the county of Stafford, by whom he had four sons and three daughters, viz.

WILLIAM, his successor.
John, *d.* unm.
Ralph, who espoused Mary, daughter of — Cooke, esq. of Sibil Hevenigham, in Essex.
Charles, *d.* unm.
Mary.
Honora.
Elizabeth.

The son and heir,

WILLIAM SNEYD, esq. of Bishton, wedded Susanna, only daughter of John Edmonds, esq. of London, merchant, and had issue,

William-Hedges, *d.* unm. in 1757.
JOHN, heir to his father.
Elizabeth, who *m.* William Lloyd, esq. of Aston, in Salop, and *d.* in 1775.
Ann, *d.* unm.
Susanna, *m.* to H. Powys, esq. of Underdale.

He was *s.* at his demise, by his only surviving son,

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John Sneyd, esq. of Bishton, and subsequently of Belmont, in Staffordshire, who espoused, first, Penelope, daughter of Thomas Kynnersley, esq. of Loxley Park, by whom (who *d.* in 1776) he had issue,

William, his heir.

Ralph, who *m.* Mary, daughter of George Cooke Yarborough, esq. of Streetthorpe, in Yorkshire, and *d.* in 1805.

Clement, of Huntley Hall, in Staffordshire, a captain in the royal navy, *b.* 1773, who *m.* first, in 1812, Helen, third daughter of Roger Swetenham, esq. of Sommerford Booth, in the palatinate of Chester, and had issue,

Clement-John, *b.* 21st January, 1821.

Anne-Rosamond.

Caroline-Penelope.

Captain Sneyd wedded secondly, in 1825, Eliza Catherine Cotton, second daughter of J. Green, esq. of Dalbury, Derbyshire.

Thomas, *b.* 6th May, 1774, who inheriting the Loxley estates, assumed the surname of Kynnersley, and is the present Thomas Sneyd Kynnersley, of Loxley Park (see that family).

Susanna, *m.* to Alexander Day Broughton, esq.

Rosamond, *m.* first, to William Mills, esq. and secondly, to William Molyneux Marston, esq.

Mr. Sneyd *m.* secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Kirby, esq. of Doveridge, in the county of Stafford, and thirdly, Miss Mary Adey, of Lichfield, but had no further issue. He died 8th November, 1809, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present William Sneyd, esq. of Ashcombe.

Arms—Arg. a scythe, the blade in chief, the *sned* or handle in bend sinister, sa. in the fess point a fleur de lys of the second.

Crest—A lion statant guardant, the tail extended, sa.

Motto—Nec opprimere nec opprimi.

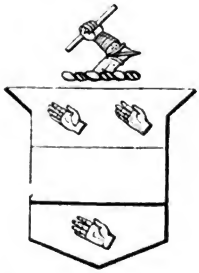
Estates—In Staffordshire.

Seat—Ashcomb, near Leek.

BATES, OF DENTON.

BATES, HENRY-WILLIAM, esq. of Denton, in the county of Sussex, *b.* in 1807, B.A. of St. Peter's College, Cambridge, *s.* to the estates on the demise of his father, in 1828.

Lineage.



John Bates, esq. of Beaconsfield, in Bucks, descended from a respectable family seated at that place, died in 1785, aged sixty-two, and was interred in Beaconsfield Church, where a handsome monument is erected to his memory. He was succeeded by his son,

Henry Bates, esq. who espoused Miss Sarah Ellison (of the family of Ellison, of Marlow, Bucks, originally from Cheshire), and thus acquired estates at Shevington cum Gristy, in the palatinate, and at Newhaven, Willingdon, and Painsfield, in the county of Sussex. In 1791 Mr. Bates sold the Beaconsfield and Cheshire property, and purchased the manor, perpetual advowson, and parish of Denton. He died in 1826, aged seventy-two, and was buried in the family vault, in Denton church. His only son and successor,

John Henry Bates, esq. of Denton, formerly a captain in the 2nd regiment of life guards, major of the Pevensey local militia, and one of the deputy lieutenants for the county of Sussex, *m.* in 1806, Harriett-Eliza, youngest daughter of William

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Smith, esq. of Chiswick, by whom (who died in 1826) he had issue,

HENRY-WILLIAM, his heir.

John-Ellison, *b.* in 1809, of Christ's Church, Oxford.

Francis-Edward, midshipman R.N. who died in 1824.

Charles-Chester, *b.* in 1816.

Mr. Bates died in 1828, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present HENRY-WILLIAM BATES, esq. of Denton.

Arms—Sa. a fess between three hands arg.

Crest—An arm in armour, embowed in the hand a truncheon.

Motto—Manu et corde.

Estates—At Denton, Newhaven, Willingdon, and Painsfield, in Sussex; and at Streatham, in Surrey.

Residence—James Street, St. James's Park, London; and Brighton, Sussex.

POLE-CAREW, OF EAST ANTHONY.

CAREW-POLE, *The Right Hon.* REGINALD, of East Anthony, in the county of Cornwall, *m.* first, in 1783, Jemima, only daughter of the Hon. John Yorke, by whom he has, with several daughters, one son, JOSEPH, and secondly, in 1808, Caroline-Anne, daughter of William-Henry Lord Lyttelton, and had another son, WILLIAM, and several daughters.

This gentleman inheriting the estates of the CAREWS, assumed the additional surname and arms of that family. He is a member of his Majesty's most honorable privy council, and was under secretary of state for the Home Department in the Addington administration.

Lineage.

This is a younger branch of one of the most ancient and illustrious families in the west of England. The first of the name that resided at ANTHONY, was

ALEXANDER CAREW, fourth son of Sir Nicholas Carew, first lord of Carew, by Joan, daughter of Sir Hugh Courtenay, of Haccombe.* This gentleman was sheriff of Cornwall, in the 3rd HENRY VIII. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Hatch, esq. of Hatch, in the county of Devon, and left a son,

JOHN CAREW, esq. of East Anthony, sheriff of Cornwall, in the 6th HENRY VIII. He *m.* Thamasine, daughter and co-heir of

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* SIR NICHOLAS CAREW, who died in 1446, *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Hugh Courtenay, of Haccombe, (by Philippa, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Sir Warren Erchedeacon, knt.) and had five sons, viz.

1. THOMAS (Sir). This gentleman having incurred the displeasure of his mother, Lady Carew settled seventeen manors upon her younger sons, by which three great families were eventually established. Sir Thomas retrieved his fortunes however by obtaining the hand of Joan, daughter and co-heir of John Carminow. By this lady he was father of

   SIR NICHOLAS CAREW, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir John Denham, knt. and sister and co-heir of John, Lord Denham, by whom he had a son,

   SIR EDMUND CAREW, knt. who *m.* Katherine, daughter of Sir William Huddesfield, knt. attorney general to King HENRY VII. and had issue,

   WILLIAM (Sir), whose only daughter Cecily, eventually the heiress of her brothers, *m.* Thomas Kirkham, esq. of Blaydon, in Devonshire.

   Thomas, of Bickleigh, whose line terminated in an heir female, *m.*

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Roger Holland, (of the noble family of Holland, duke of Exeter) and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WYMOND CAREW, of East Anthony, who was one of the representatives of Peterborough, in the first parliament of EDWARD VI. He espoused Martha, daughter of Sir Edmund, and sister of Sir Anthony Denny, by whom he was father of

THOMAS CAREW, esq. of East Anthony, M.P. for Plymouth, in the 2nd and 3rd PHILIP and MARY. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Edgcombe, knt. of Mount Edgcombe, and was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD CAREW, esq. the celebrated author of the Survey of Cornwall, a man, whom Camden describes as "non magis generis splendore, quam virtute et doctrinâ, nobilem." When only fourteen, being a gentleman commoner of Christ Church, Oxford, he was called out before the earls of Leicester and Warwick, and other noblemen to dispute *ex tempore* with the renowned Sir Philip Sydney, and (adds Fuller)

Si quæritis hujus
Fortunam pugnæ, non est superatus ab illo.

Mr. Carew was high sheriff of Cornwall in the 24th ELIZABETH, and M.P. for Saltash, in the 27th of the same reign. He *m.* Julian, daughter of John Arundel, esq. of Trerice, and had two sons, RICHARD and John. The latter was a gallant soldier, and served with distinction in the low countries and other parts. Having lost his right hand by a cannon ball at the siege of Ostend, in 1601, he was known amongst his friends by the name of "ONE HANDED CAREW." He *m.* Alice, daughter of John Hilman, esq. of Furlong, and left issue. This branch is now extinct in the male line, but is still continued in the female by the families of HOBLYN, PETER, and TREMAYNE. Mr. Carew (the antiquary) died on the 6th November, 1620, and was *s.* by the elder son,

RICHARD CAREW, esq. of East Anthony, who was created a BARONET in 1641. Sir Richard espoused Bridget, daughter of John Chudleigh, esq. of Ashton, in Devonshire, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR ALEXANDER CAREW, second baronet. This gentleman wedded Jane, daughter of Robert Rolle, esq. of Heanton, in Devonshire, and had with other issue,

JOHN, his successor.
Thomas, of Harrowbear, from whom descended
The Rev. ALEXANDER CAREW, who succeeded as seventh baronet.

Sir Alexander, who represented the county of Cornwall, *temp.* CHARLES I. embarking in the parliamentary cause at the breaking out of the civil war, was entrusted with the defence of St. Nicholas's Island, near Plymouth, but being detected in corresponding with the enemy, he was tried by court martial, and beheaded upon Tower Hill, 23rd December, 1643. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN CAREW, third baronet, knight of the shire for Cornwall, in the 12th of CHARLES II. and in the 1st of WILLIAM AND MARY. Sir John was three times married; first to Sarah, daughter of Anthony Hungerford, esq. by whom he had two daughters, viz.

1. SARAH, *m.* to JONATHAN RASHLEIGH, esq. of Menabilly in Cornwall, and left a daughter.
   SARAH RASHLEIGH, who espoused *the Rev.* CAROLUS POLE* rector of St. Breock, in Cornwall, by whom she had with a younger son and a daughter,

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to a member of the Haccombe branch.
George-Archdeacon, of Totness, father of
PETER (Sir), slain in Ireland.
GEORGE (Sir), created *Baron Carew*, and EARL OF TOTNESS, (see *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*)

2. Nicholas, of Haccombe, from whom the CAREWS, *Baronets* of Haccombe derive.
3. Hugh, upon whom his mother settled Lyham, Manedon, Combhall, and Southawton, but dying issueless, his portion, by virtue of an entail, went to his brother, Nicholas.
4. ALEXANDER, as in the text, founder of the family of ANTHONY. This gentleman obtained from his mother, East Anthony, Shoggbroke, and Landegy.
5. William (Sir), who acquired from his mother, Wicheband, Widebridge, Bokeland, and Bledeuagh. He was progenitor of the CAREWS, of Crocombe, in Somersetshire. (See family of CAREW, of *Carew*, page 266.)

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* From a younger branch of the POOLES of *Poole Hall*, in Cheshire descended.

SIR WILLIAM POLE, knt. the celebrated antiquary, who was knighted by King James I. He *m.* first, Mary, eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir William Peryam, knt. chief baron of the Exchequer, and secondly, Jane, daughter of William Symes, esq. of Chard. By the first lady, he had, with several daughters,

JOHN, his successor.
Peryam, who settled in Ireland, and acquired large possessions there.
William.
Francis.

He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN POLE, of Shute who was created a

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REGINALD POLE, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of John Francis Buller, esq. of Morval, in Cornwall, and had with other children,

REGINALD POLE, esq. who assumed the additional surname of CAREW, upon inheriting the estates of that family, and is the present *Right Hon.* REGINALD POLE CAREW.

2. Rachael, *m.* to Ambrose Manaton, esq. of Manaton, in Devonshire.

Secondly, to Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Norton, esq. of Southwick, Hants, but had no surviving issue, and thirdly, to Mary, daughter of Sir William Morrice, baronet, of Werrington, Devon, by whom he had two sons, RICHARD and WILLIAM. He was *s.* by the elder,

SIR RICHARD CAREW, fourth baronet, who *d. s. p.* and was *s.* by his brother.

SIR WILLIAM CAREW, fifth baronet, M. P. for the county of Cornwall, from the 12th of ANNE, to the 20th of GEORGE II. By his wife, Anne, daughter and heiress of Gilbert, Earl of Coventry, he had an only son, and successor,

SIR COVENTRY CAREW, sixth baronet, at whose decease without issue, the title and estates devolved upon (the descendant of Thomas Carew, esq. of Harrobear, younger son of Sir Alexander, the second baronet) his kinsman.

The Reverend

SIR ALEXANDER CAREW, seventh baronet, who died, likewise without issue, when the BARONETCY became EXTINCT, and the estates reverted to the grandson of SARAH RASHLEIGH, elder daughter, by his first wife of Sir John Carew, the third baronet, namely, REGINALD POLE, esq. who assuming in consequence the additional surname and arms of CAREW, is the present *Right Hon.* REGINALD POLE CAREW.

Arms—Or, three lions passant sa. quartering the ensigns of POLE.

Crest—A mainmast, the round top set off with palisadoes or, a lion issuing thereout sa.

Estates—In Cornwall, &c.

Seat—Anthony, Cornwall.

BARONET, 12th September, 1628. In which year he represented the county of Devon, in parliament. From Sir John, we pass to his descendant,

SIR JOHN POLE, the fifth BARONET, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of John Mills, esq. of Woodford, in Essex, and had issue,

JOHN-WILLIAM, who *s.* as sixth baronet.

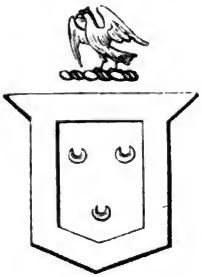
John, a captain in the army, *d.* unmarried.

Charles, *d.* in infancy.

CAROLUS, in holy orders, *m.* as in the text SARAH RASLEIGH.

HARRIS, OF HAYNE.

HARRIS, CHRISTOPHER-ARTHUR, esq. of Hayne, in the county of Devon, *b.* 14th January, 1801, *m.* 15th February, 1825, Louisa-Eleonora, third daughter of the late Rev. Thomas Watkins, of Pennoyre, in Brecknockshire, and grandaughter of Richard Vaughan, esq. of Golden Grove, Carmarthenshire, by whom he has issue,



ARTHUR-VAUGHAN-DONNITHORNE, *b.* 17th December, 1825.

Elizabeth-Caroline.

Louisa-Penelope.

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Lineage.

JOHN HARRIS, a younger son of the Harrises of Radford, was father (by his wife, the heiress of Stone, of Stone) of

WILLIAM HARRIS, who wedded Thomasine, daughter, and heiress of Walter, Hayne, of Hayne, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HARRIS, esq. of Stone, a lawyer of high reputation, who was chosen in 1535, autumnal reader of Lincoln's Inn, and called in 1540, to the degree of serjeant-at-law. He was subsequently a King's serjeant and recorder of the city of Exeter. "The emenency," says Prince, in his Worthies of Leevon, "of this great lawyer in his profession, we may infer from that considerable estate he acquired, and left to his family. For to his own fair inheritance he added, the hundred manor, and advowson of Lifton, near adjoining to Hayne, which he purchased from the Lord Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland." Serjeant Harris, *m.* the daughter of Michael Kelly, esq. of Ratcliffe, in Devonshire, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
John.
Oliver.
Anthony.
Arthur.
Alice, *m.* to John Wise, esq. of Sydenham.
Wilmoty, *m.* to John Trevillian, esq. of Nettlecombe.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM HARRIS, esq. of Hayne, *m.* Mary, daughter of Sir Fulk Grevill, knt. of Beauchamp's Court, in Warwickshire, and had, with four daughters, a son and successor,

ARTHUR HARRIS, esq. of Hayne, and of Kenegie, of which latter estate he became possessed before the year 1600. This gentleman espoused Margaret, daughter and heiress of John Davils, esq. of Totely, in Devon, and had issue,

I. JOHN, his successor.
II. ARTHUR, father of
CHRISTOPHER, who inherited the estates at the decease of his cousin, SIR ARTHUR HARRIS, bt.

Mr. Harris, who is mentioned by Carew as one of the resident magistrates of Devonshire in his time, and commanding a provincial regiment belonging to Mounts Bay, died in 1628, and was interred in the south aisle of Gurval Church, where a fine monument was erected to his memory. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HARRIS, esq. of Hayne and Kenegie, who wedded, first, Florence, daughter of Sir John Windham, but by her had no issue. He espoused, secondly, Cordelia, eldest daughter of Sir John Mohun, of Boconnoc, created in 1628, Lord Mohun, of Oakhampton (see BURKE's *Extinct and Dormant Peerage*), by whom he had an only son and successor,

ARTHUR HARRIS, esq. of Hayne and Kenegie, who was created a BARONET in 1673. Sir Arthur *m.* —, daughter of Sir — Turner, of London, but died without issue, when the title became EXTINCT, and the estates passed to his cousin,

CHRISTOPHER HARRIS, esq. of Hayne and Kenegie, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of William Martin, esq. of Linderidge, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM HARRIS, esq. of Hayne, M.P. for St. Ives, in the 2nd of WILLIAM and MARY, and for Oakhampton, in the three successive parliaments in the same reign, and in the 7th of ANNE. He served the office of sheriff for Devon in 1703, and dying in 1709, left issue,

I. CHRISTOPHER, his successor.
II. JOHN, successor to his brother.
III. William, father of
CHRISTOPHER, who inherited the estates from his uncle.
IV. Jane, *m.* to William Arundel, esq. of Trengwainton and Menedarva, both in the county of Cornwall, and had a son,
WILLIAM ARUNDEL, of Trengwainton and Menedarva, who inherited the entailed estates of the family at the decease of his cousin, Christopher Harris, without male issue, and assumed the additional surname of HARRIS. He *m.* Wilmot Daniel, of Crane, and was *s.* by his son,
WILLIAM ARUNDEL - HARRIS, who espoused Mary, daughter of John Beard, esq. of Hallwhyddon, and dying in 1798 was *s.* by his son, the present WILLIAM-ARUNDEL HARRIS - ARUNDEL, esq. (see Arundel of Trerice, *page* 512.)

The eldest son and heir,

CHRISTOPHER HARRIS, esq. of Hayne, M.P. for Oakhampton, *m.* Mary, daughter of John Buller, esq. of Keveral, but dying without surviving issue in 1718, he was succeeded by his brother,

JOHN HARRIS, esq. master of the household to their majesties, GEORGE II. and GEORGE III. who thus became "of Hayne." He wedded, first, Margaret, daughter of

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Roger Tuckfield, esq. of Raddon, and relict of Samuel Rolle, esq. of Heanton; and secondly, Anne, daughter of Francis Seymour, Lord Conway, but had no issue. He died in 1767, and was *s.* by his nephew,

CHRISTOPHER HARRIS, esq. of Hayne. This gentleman wedded Penelope, daughter of the Rev. Isaac Donnithorne, of St. Agnes, in Cornwall, and had two daughters, namely,

I. PENELOPE.

II. ELIZABETH, who *m.* her cousin, ISAAC DONNITHORNE, esq. who assumed the surname of HARRIS, and had issue,

CHRISTOPHER-ARTHUR, the present MR. HARRIS, of HAYNE.

John-James.

Cordelia-Elizabeth, *d.* in 1809.

On the decease of this Christopher Harris with only these daughters, the entailed estates of the family passed to his cousin, WILLIAM ARUNDEL, esq. of Trengwainton and Menedarva; while HAYNE descended to those ladies, MISS HARRIS and MRS. (DONNITHORNE) HARRIS, as co-heirs.

Arms—Sa. three crescents within a bordure, arg.

Crest—An eagle rising ermine, beaked and spurred or.

Motto—Kur, deu, res, pub, tra (Old Cornish); English, For God and the Commonwealth.

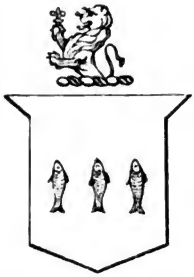
Estates—HAYNE, parish of Stowford, Devon, first possessed at the time of the Conquest, being granted by *King* WILLIAM to one of his followers, whose descendants regularly inherited until the year 1557, when it passed to Harris of Stone with the daughter and only child of Walter Hayne.

Seat—HAYNE.

ORDE, OF NUNNYKIRK.

ORDE, WILLIAM, esq. of Nunnykirk and Morpeth, in the county of Northumberland, barrister-at-law. This gentleman served the office of high-sheriff for Northumberland in 1819.

Lineage.



The family of ORDE appears to be of great antiquity, and has long possessed considerable estates in the counties of Northumberland and Durham, which, in the palatinate, were held *in capite*, under the Bishop.

SIMON DE EAST ORDE, in the county Palatine of Durham, died in 1362, siezed of the whole of Orde, which he held in capite of the Bishop of Durham, and was succeeded by his son,

WILLIAM DE ORDE, of Orde, who died in 1399. His son,

JOHN DE ORDE, of Orde, possessed lands in Norham, in Bishop Langley's time. He was grandfather of

SIMON DE ORDE, of Orde, who wedded a daughter of — Langton, and left a son and successor,

WILLIAM DE ORDE, of Orde, who died in 1563, and was interred at Norham. His son,

WILLIAM DE ORDE, of Orde, resided at Western Newbiggin, in the county of Durham. He was succeeded at his decease, prior to the year 1596, by his son,

JOHN ORDE, esq. of East Orde, Western Newbiggin, &c. in the county of Durham, who possessed likewise Felkington, Langridge, Grainge, the Bricks, West Orde &c. He left a son and heir,

WILLIAM ORDE, esq. of East Orde, Newbiggin, &c. who was High Sheriff of Northumberland, in the fifth of CHARLES I. This gentleman espoused Mary, —— and had six sons, to each of whom he gave estates. They were

I. WILLIAM, his heir

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ii. Thomas, of Weetwood, in Northumberland.
iii. Francis, of Langridge, in Durham.
iv. —— of Grange.
v. —— of West Orde.
vi. ——

The eldest son and heir,

WILLIAM ORDE, esq. of East Orde, wedded a daughter of Sir William Selby, of Twizel Castle, and dying in 1678, left two sons,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Thomas,* of Berwick, who married and had issue,

1. FRANCIS, who wedded Miss Clara Clark, of Northamptonshire, and predeceasing his uncle, left issue,
   WILLIAM.
2. Thomas, of Felkington, in the county of Durham, who *m.* Mary, sister of Sir —— Strother, of Fowberry Tower, in the county of Northumberland, and had issue,
   JOHN, who eventually inherited as HEIR MALE.
   Thomas, in holy orders, vicar of Kirknewton, who *m.* Sarah, daughter and eventually sole heiress of the Rev. Leonard Shafto, and had issue.*

Mr. Orde was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM ORDE, esq. of East Orde, M.P. for Berwick, in 1713, who died without issue, having entailed his estates on his brother's children. He was accordingly succeeded by his grandnephew,

WILLIAM ORDE, esq. of East Orde, M.P. for Berwick, who resided at Sandybank House, in the county of Durham. This gentleman espoused first, a daughter of — Ogle, esq. of Cawsey Park, and secondly Isabella, daughter of — Jackson, esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, by the latter lady he had two daughters his co-heirs, viz.

ANNE, *m.* first, to Henry Ogle, esq. of Cawsey Park, and secondly, to Sir William Carr, bart. She died *s. p.*

ISABELLA, *m.* first, John Forster, esq. of Etherstone, in the county of Northumberland, and had a son and daughter, viz.

THOMAS FORSTER, of Etherstone, who *d.* issueless.

ISABELLA FORSTER, heiress to her brother, *m.* to John Widdrington, esq. of Hauxley, in the county of Northumberland, but *d. s. p.*

Mrs. Foster wedded secondly Robert Fenwick, esq. of Lemmington, in Northumberland, and had further issue,

NICHOLAS ORDE FENWICK, of Lemmington, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Collingwood Foster, esq. of Alnwick.

William Fenwick, who *m.* Miss Bisset, of the Isle of Wight.

Robert Fenwick.

James Fenwick.

Elizabeth Fenwick, *m.* to Henry Mills, esq. of Willington, in the county of Durham.

Anne Fenwick, *m.* to Robert Lisle esq. of Acton House, in the county of Northumberland.

—— (the third daughter) *m.* to Walter Kettleby, esq. of Athold.

Upon the decease, without male issue, of this William Orde, the estates in East Orde, &c. passed to his cousin, the heir-at-law,

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* The issue of the Rev. Thomas Orde, and Sarah Shafto his wife were,

i. LEONARD-SHAFTO, a captain in the army, slain at the battle of Minden, unmarried.
ii. JOHN, who *m.* first, Rosamond, only child and heiress of James Daglish, esq. of Weetwood, in Northumberland, and secondly, Miss Margaret Ord, by the former of whom he had issue,
   1. LEONARD-SHAFTO, a lieutenant general in the army, who married thrice, first, Penelope, daughter of — Ogilvie, esq. of Argyle St. Edinburgh, secondly, in 1800, the Lady Louisa Jocelyn, daughter of Robert first Earl of Roden, and thirdly, Harriet, daughter of — Bevan, esq. of the county of Salop. General Orde died 2nd August, 1820, leaving several children.
   2. John, M.A. in holy orders, vicar of King's Clere, in the county of Hants. He married first, The Hon. Frances Carleton, second daughter of Guy, Lord Dorchester, and secondly Anna-Maria, daughter of Blake Burney, esq. of Little Chelsea.
   3. James, a major general in the army, who *m.* Margaret-Maria-Elizabeth, elder daughter of William Beckford, esq. of Fonthill Giffard, in the county of Wilts, by the Lady Margaret Gordon, his wife, daughter of Charles, Earl of Aboyne.
   4. Thomas, died young.
   5. Sarah, *d.* at the age of twelve.
   6. Mary *m.* to the Rev. Wm. Morris.
   7. Juliana-Anne, *m.* to Robert, second Earl of Roden.
iii. Anne, *d.* unmarried.
iv. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Shadforth, esq. of Newcastle.
v. Hannah, died unmarried.

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JOHN ORDE, esq. of Morpeth, son of Thomas Orde, esq. of Felkington, and grandson of the William Orde, esq. of East Orde, who wedded the daughter of Sir William Selby. This gentleman *m.* first, Ann, daughter of Edward Ward, esq. of Morpeth, by whom he had a son, WILLIAM his heir. He espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of R. Marr, esq. of Morpeth, and relict of the Rev. William Rye of the same place, by whom he had

I. THOMAS, who married in 1778, Jean, natural daughter of Charles, Duke of Bolton, and inheriting, in right of his wife, the great estates of the POWLETS, assumed their surname and was elevated to the peerage, 20th October, 1797, in the dignity of BARON BOLTON, of Bolton Castle, in the county of York. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

II. JOHN, a distinguished naval commander, who was created a BARONET 27th July, 1790. His only son,

SIR JOHN-POWLETT ORDE, is the present baronet.

III. Anne.

IV. Mary, *m.* to Robert Lisle, esq. of Acton House, in the county of Northumberland.

Mr. Orde, who acted for many years as a magistrate and deputy lieutenant of Northumberland, died in 1787, at an advanced age, and was buried at Morpeth. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM ORDE, esq. of Morpeth, who *m.* Anne, daughter and eventual heiress of William Ward, esq. of Nunnykirk, and had issue,

John, a major in the army, *d.* in the East Indies, *s. p.*

WILLIAM, heir to his father, and PRESENT POSSESSOR.

Charles, major in the 9th regiment of Dragoons, married and left at his decease, a son,

CHARLES-WILLIAM.

Thomas, captain R. N. *d.* unmarried, in the West Indies.

Arms—Sa. three fishes,* hauriant in fesse arg.

Crest—A demi lion, or, holding a fleur-de-lys, gules.

Estates.—In Northumberland.

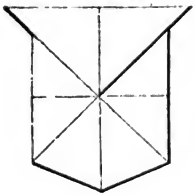
Seat—Nunnykirk, in that shire.

* It is supposed by some, that the fishes are intended for *salmon;* the word *Orde* signifying a salmon weir, as well as a promontory running into the sea, and East Orde is situated upon the Tweed, a river famous for that fish.

CAMPBELL, OF BARBRECK.

CAMPBELL, FREDERICK-WILLIAM, esq. *b.* 4th January, 1782, *m.* 21st February, 1820, Sophia, daughter of the late Sir Edward Winnington, bart. M.P. by whom he has an only surviving child, SOPHIA-JANE. This gentleman, who was formerly lieutenant and captain in the 1st regiment of Guards, *s.* his father in 1804. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Suffolk.

Lineage.



The family of CAMPBELL, is one of the most distinguished in Scotland; and its head, ARGYLL, in feudal times, was perhaps the most powerful subject in the kingdom.

SIR COLIN CAMPBELL, of Lochow, (grandson of Sir Colin, distinguished for his warlike achievements by the surname of *More* or *the Great,*) was lineally descended from Gillespick Campbell, who eight centuries before, had obtained, by marriage with an heiress, the lordship of Lochow, in Argyllshire. Sir Colin acquired renown in the service of his uncle ROBERT BRUCE, and dying in 1340, left issue,

ARCHIBALD, from whom the ducal family of ARGYLL.

JOHN, ancestor of the branch of BAR-

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BRECK; from whom spring Campbell of Succoth and some others.

Dugald, who lost his estates by his adhesion to Edward Baliol.

The second son,

JOHN CAMPBELL* appears to have held ARDSKEODNISH as well as BARBRECK. His descendants continued possessed of the latter estate until, the male heirs having failed in the sixth generation, the heiress conveyed BARBRECK to her husband,

COLIN CAMPBELL, a relation of Archibald, second earl of Argyll, who, in right of his marriage, assumed the designation "of Barbreck," and as he lineally descended from Sir Colin, father to John, the FIRST BARBRECK, the link of the male line was thus restored. To Colin Campbell and the Lady of Barbreck, succeeded their son,

COLIN CAMPBELL, of Barbreck, whose name appears as witness to two deeds, bearing date 1575. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, knt. of Barbreck, mentioned in several records in the early part of the seventeenth century. Sir Archibald was *s.* about the year 1630, by his son,

COLIN CAMPBELL, of Barbreck, who wedded a lady of his own name. This laird, as well as his successors, were for nearly a century connected with, and actively engaged in, all the troubles that afflicted Scotland. During the civil wars of the reign of CHARLES I. the Campbells were pre-eminently distinguished, and when the estates of the kingdom (assembled in Edinburgh, 26th August, 1643,) passed an act for the committees of war, and putting the kingdom in a posture of defence, Robert Campbell, of Glenurchie, Sir Duncan Campbell, of Auchinbreck, Duncan Campbell, of Dundron, and Colin Campbell, of Barbreck, were appointed colonels of horse in the sheriffdom of Argyll. Colin Campbell served in other wars besides those of Scotland, as an agreement between himself and his wife's brothers indicates. He afterwards fought and was taken prisoner at the battle of Inverlochy, when the Marquiss of Argylle was defeated by Montrose. "The moon shone so clear," says Wishart, in describing this engagement, "that it was almost as light as day; they lay upon their arms the whole night, and, with the assistance of the light, they so harassed each other with slight alarms and skirmishes, that neither gave the other time to repose. They all earnestly wished for day, only Argyll, more intent on his own safety, conveyed himself away about the middle of the night, and having very opportunely got a boat, escaped the hazard of a battle, choosing rather to be a spectator of the prowess of his men, than share in the danger himself. Nevertheless, the chiefs of the Campbells, who are indeed a set of very brave men, and worthy of a better chief, and a better cause, began the battle with great courage. But their first ranks discharging their muskets only once, Montrose's men fell upon them sword in hand, with a great shout, and advanced with such impetuosity, that they routed the whole army, and put them to flight, and pursued them for about nine miles, making dreadful slaughter all the way. There were fifteen hundred of the enemy slain, among whom were several gentlemen of distinction of the name of Campbell, who led on the clan, and fell on the field of battle, too gallantly for their dastardly chief. Montrose, though an enemy, pitied their fate, and used his authority to save and give quarter to as many as he could. In this battle Montrose had several wounded, but he had none killed but three privates, and Sir Thomas Ogilvie, son of the earl of Airly; while Argyll lost the lairds of Auchenbreck, Glensaddell, and Locknell, with his son and brother; and BARBRECK, Inneraw, Lamont, Silvercraigs, and many others prisoners." Colin Campbell left two sons, DONALD and Duncan; by the elder,

DONALD CAMPBELL, of Barbreck, he was succeeded about the year 1648, although the saisine in his favor, as heir to the estate, is not dated until about two years afterwards. This laird was appointed in 1648, by the convention of the Scotch estates, one of the colonels of Horse for the county of Argyll, and in the act passed in 1661 by the parliament, for "raising the annuitie of 40,000 lib. sterling, granted to his majestye, Donald Campbell, of Barbreck, is nominated one of the parliamentary commissioners to carry it into effect in the county of Argyll. For several years subsequently, Barbreck was entrusted by the Scottish parliament with various duties of importance; but in 1686, being involved in the misfortunes of the ill-fated earl of Argyll, the lands and barony of BARBRECK were forfeited and granted to Sir James Steuart, of Bute, and to render this grant effectual, the Scottish parliament passed an act of Ratification in favor of Sir James. No actual possession followed, however, on this parliamentary ratification; for we find in the year after the Revolution, that WILLIAM and MARY, by their commissioners, issued a proclamation

* In the genealogies of the family of Argyll, written in 1777, by Mr. Duncanson, of Inverary, this JOHN is styled John *Annan*, or *weak* John; and the same author thus proceeds, "some reckon John *Annan* to have been the eldest son, and, by advice, to have resigned the estate to his brother, reserving for himself the straight of *Craignish*. From this John *Annan* is descended the old family of BARBRECK."

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for calling together the militia on this side of the Tay, and amongst other nominations, Archibald Campbell, younger of Berbreck, appointed captain. To Donald succeeded his son,

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, of Barbreck. This gentleman continued for many years in possession of the lands and barony of Barbreck, but from the persecutions to which he and his family had been so long subject, during the disturbances of Scotland, and the heavy fine which had been imposed on his father, Barbreck was compelled to borrow money from Lord Breadalbane and others, which led eventually to an attempt on their part to sell a portion of the Barbreck property, but this was resisted by the Duke of Argyll, who considering that the proceeding had violated the charter by which the lands were originally held, claimed their reversion to himself as chief of the clan. The case was heard, by appeal, before the House of Lords, in 1732, and decided* in favour of his Grace, who thus obtained possession of the estate.† Archibald Campbell espoused Barbara, daughter of Sir Dugald Stewart, sheriff of Bute, and sister to James, first Earl of Bute, by whom he had issue,

JAMES, his heir.

JOHN, successor to his brother.

The elder son,

JAMES CAMPBELL, esq. of Barbreck,‡ wedded his cousin, Isabel, daughter of John Campbell, esq. of Castle Hill, sheriff of Caithness, but leaving no surviving issue (his only son had died abroad unmarried), the representation of the family devolved upon his brother,

JOHN CAMPBELL, esq. of Barbreck, who *m.* Elizabeth Hay, co-heiress of her uncle, — Hay, esq. who possessed an estate called Hartfield, and to which there belonged a valuable salmon fishery, near Tain, in Rothshire. By this lady he had (with three daughters, the eldest married to — Stewart, esq. of Kilwhinlock, and the second to Colonel Campbell, of Saddel,) two sons, CHARLES, his heir, and Lionel, who wedded a daughter of Sir James Campbell, bart. of Auchenbreck, and *d.* in 1804. The elder son,

COLONEL CHARLES CAMPBELL, of Barbreck, inherited that portion of Hartfield which belonged to his mother; and his aunt Mary conveyed to him the remainder: the whole of which he subsequently sold to David Ross, esq. of Inverchasly (afterwards a Scotch judge, by the title of Lord Ankerville). Colonel Campbell also possessed property in the Isle of Bute, held of the crown, and acquired, by purchase (principally in 1767), a considerable estate in Argyllshire. He wedded, in 1750, Miss D. Morgan, and had (with two daughters, one of whom died single, and the other married, David Campbell, esq. of Combie) three sons, viz.

1. DONALD, his heir.
2. Laurence, *b.* in 1753, a captain in the army, originally of the Scots Greys, and afterwards of the 71st Highlanders; in which latter regiment he served, and was wounded, during the American war. He died in 1824.
3. Charles, a major-general in the army, *b.* in 1762, and *d.* in 1822.

Colonel Campbell died in 1792, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

DONALD CAMPBELL, esq. of Barbreck, *b.* in 1751. This gentleman, having at an early age adopted the military profession, was distinguished, under General Mathews, in India, and, while a prisoner in Bidanore, acquired such an influence over the governor, that he hastened at a very critical moment the surrender of that important fortress. Captain Campbell wedded in 1778, Mary Campbell, a daughter of Lord Frederick Campbell, by whom he had issue,

FREDERICK-WILLIAM, his heir.

John, *b.* in 1786, who lost his life while serving with Lord Keith on board H. M. S. Queen Charlotte, which was burnt off Leghorn, 17th March, 1800.

Captain Campbell, who was sixteenth "of Barbreck," died in 1804, and was succeeded by his only surviving child, the present FREDERICK-WILLIAM CAMPBELL, esq. of Barbreck, who has disposed of his estate in Argyllshire, retaining only a superiority, to connect him with the country where so many of his ancestors were actively engaged.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, gironny of eight or and sable; second, arg. a sword gules, pommel and hilt sa.; third, arg. a castle triple towered sa.

Crest—A lion's head, front faced.

Motto—I beare in minde.

Seat—Birkfield, near Ipswich, Suffolk.

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* This judgment, which has been since considered peculiarly harsh and severe, occurred only about fifteen years before the passing of an act abolishing the arbitrary right, under which the claim was established.

† This property, or rather that part containing the site of the old mansion of Barbreck, was afterwards, in 1754, bought by another Archibald Campbell, who subsequently disposed of it to *General* Campbell, of Ballimore, who left it to his nephew, *General* Campbell, of Lochnell.

‡ In Scotland it is understood, that when an old family parts with the property, from which its distinguishing name has been derived, the head continues, by courtesy, still to be known by the appellation.

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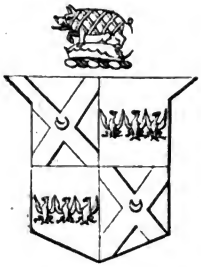
WYNNE, OF PENIARTH.



WYNNE, WILLIAM, esq. of Peniarth, in the county of Merioneth, *b.* in September, 1774, *m.* on the 30th November, 1800, Elizabeth, youngest daughter and co-heir of the Rev. Philip Puleston, D.D. of Pickhill Hall, in Denbighshire, (see BURKE's *Peerage and Baronetage, Puleston,*) by Annabella, his wife, eldest daughter and eventually heiress of Richard Williams, esq. of Penbedw, in the same county, youngest brother of the first Sir Watkin Williams-Wynn, bart. By this lady (who *d.* 16th January, 1822) Mr. Wynne had issue,

- WILLIAM-WATKIN-EDWARD, *b.* 23rd December, 1801.
- Philip-Puleston, *b.* in March, 1803.
- Richard-Owen, *b.* in March, 1804, *d.* 1st January, 1832.
- Thomas-Arthur, *b.* in 1816, *d.* in 1821.
- Elizabeth-Annabella. *m.* in 1823, to William Pierrepont Gardiner, esq. son of the Rev. Frederick Gardiner, of Combe Hay, in the county of Somerset, and *d.* in 1826, leaving no issue.
- Ellinor, *m.* in 1823, to Richard Burton-Phillipson, esq. second son of the Rev. Richard Burton Burton-Phillipson, of Herringswell, in Suffolk.
- Emma-Charlotte, *d.* 13th September, 1819.
- Jane-Sydney, twin with Emma-Charlotte.
- Harriet-Anne, *m.* in 1828, to Richard Owen-Powell, esq. only brother of William Edward Powell, esq. of Nanteos, in the county of Cardigan, (refer to p. 230).
- Augusta-Frances.

Mr. Wynne was sheriff of Merionethshire in 1812, and is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for that county.

Lineage.

This family deduces its line from a common ancestor with the noble and potent houses of the Geraldines, or Fitz Geralds, of Ireland, and the Gerards and Carews of England, (see pedigree of Carew, p. 266,) being all descended from GERALD DE WINDSOR, constable of Pembroke, and governor of South Wales, who, by Nesta, his wife, daughter of Rhys-ap-Tudur, Prince of South Wales, had three sons, viz.

- William, ancestor of the Lords Gerard, of England, and Earls of Kerry, in Ireland.
- MAURICE.
- David, who was consecrated Bishop of St. Davids about the year 1147, and *d.* in 1176.

The second son,

MAURICE FITZ GERALD, was one of the soldiers of fortune who accompanied STRONGBOW into Ireland, in 1168; he *d.* in the year 1177, and was buried in the Abbey of Grey Friars, at Wexford. He had five sons and a daughter,

1. GERALD FITZ MAURICE, Lord Justiciary of Ireland, ancestor of the Earls of Kildare, now Dukes of Leinster.
2. THOMAS, who *m.* Ellinor, daughter of Jordan de Montmorenci, Lord of Huntspil, a branch of the great French house of Montmorenci, and was progenitor of the house of DESMOND, from which OSBER, or OSBORN, the founder of the family before us, descended.
3. Alexander.
4. Maurice.
5. Walter.
6. Nesta, *m.* to Hervey de Montmorenci, Constable of Ireland, brother to Jordan, mentioned above.

From the second son, THOMAS, sprang the

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house of DESMOND, and a branch from that numerous sept was established in Wales, by

OSBER, or OSBORN, frequently denominated FITZGERALD, but more commonly called by the Welsh heralds, WYDDEL, (the Irishman,) who emigrated from Ireland, his native country, about the middle of the thirteenth century, for the purpose, probably, of supporting LLEWELYN, the reigning monarch of the Welch, in his contests with the English king. Osborn subsequently obtained, in requital of his services, the grant of an extensive territory in the county of Merioneth. He had two sons, EINION AP OSBORN, who had four sons, but of their descendants, if any be extant, nothing is now known, and

CYNRIC AP OSBORN, who, on the division of his father's lands, according to the custom of Gravel kind, prevalent in Wales until the passing of the ordinance for the better government of that country in the parliament of the 34th and 35th of HENRY VIII., inherited, as a portion of his share, the domain of Cors-y-gedol, in Merionethshire. His issue were,

LLEWELYN.

Einion, who had an only daughter, JANET, wife of Sir Foulk Cholmondeley, of the county of Chester, knt.

The elder son,

LLEWELYN AP CYNRIC, wedded Nest, or Nesta, one of the daughters and co-heirs of Griffith ap Adda,* of Dolgoch, in the same county, by whom he had GRIFFITH, Jerwerth, Einion, Angharad, and Janet. The eldest son,

GRIFFITH AP LLEWELYN, *m.* Efa, daughter of Madoc ap Ellis, of Cryniarth, in Merionethshire, and sister and co-heiress of Leoline ap Madoc, Bishop of St. Asaph, who *d.* in 1375. By this lady he had, with a daughter, Angharad, wife of David ap Grono, of Burton, in Flintshire, a son and successor,

EINION AP GRIFFITH, esq. of Cors-y-gedol, who wedded Tangwystl, daughter of Rydderch ap Jevan Lloyd, of Gogerthan, Cardiganshire, by whom he had issue,

1. JERWERTH AP EINION, who married Gwenllian, daughter of Cynric ap Rotpert, and relict of James Eyton, of Eyton, in the county of Flint, and had issue.
2. JEVAN, of whom presently.
3. Griffith, of Cors-y-gedol, who *m.* Laura, daughter of Tudur Vaughan, (brother of the celebrated Owen Glyndwr,) and from this union descended the family of Vaughan, of Cors-y-gedol, which became extinct in December, 1791, at the decease of Evan Lloyd Vaughan, esq. M.P. for the county of Merioneth.
4. Mali, *m.* to Howel Sele, of Nanney, who was slain† in a quarrel with Owen Glyndwr. The hollow oak in which the body of Howel was immured by Glyndwr was standing until October, 1813, and is the subject of a beautiful engraving, from a sketch made by Sir R. C. Hoare, bart. the day on which the venerable tree fell to the ground.
5. Tibod, *m.* first, to Howel ap Jevan ap Jorwerth, of Cynlleth, secondly, to Jevan Vaughan ap Jevan, and thirdly to Griffith ap Blethin, of Mold, by whom she was mother of Reinald ap Griffith, a zealous partisan of the house of Lancaster.

The second son,

JEVAN AP EINION, one of the Barons of Edernion, in the county of Merioneth, espoused Angharad, daughter and co-heir of David ap y Giwn Lloyd, of Hendwr, in that shire, and had issue,

1. DAVID AP JEVAN AP EINION, who was constituted during the ascendency of the House of Lancaster, Constable of the Castle of Harlech, in Merionethshire.‡ He *m.* Margaret, dau. of John

* The tomb of GRIFFITH AP ADDA, on which is his effigy, arrayed in the armour of his day, is still extant within the church of Towyn, in Merionethshire.

† A descriptive poem, on the death of Howel, by the Rev. Mr. Warrington, is printed in the notes to Sir Walter Scott's Marmion.

‡ His defence of this fortress against the forces of EDWARD IV. is thus noticed in the autobiography of the celebrated Lord Herbert of Cherbury. "Sir Richard Herbert being imployed together with his brother William, Earl of Pembroke, to reduce certain rebells in North Wales, Sir Richard Herbert besieged a principal person of them at Harlech Castle in Merionethshire. The captain of this place had been a soldier in the wars of France, whereupon he said he had kept a castle in France so long, that he made the old women in Wales talk of him, and that he would keep this castle so long that he would make the old women in France talk of him; and indeed as the place was almost impregnable but by famine, Sir Richard Herbert was constrained to take him by composition, he surrend'ring himself upon condition that Sir Richard Herbert shou'd do what he cou'd to save his life; which being accepted, Sir Richard brought him to *King* EDWARD IV. desiring his Highness to give him a pardon, since he yielded up a place of importance, which he might have kept longer upon this hope; but the King replying to Sir Richard Herbert, that he had no power by his commission to pardon any, and therefore might after the representation hereof to his Majesty, safe deliver him up to justice, Sir Richard Herbert answered he had not yet done the best he could for him, and therefore most humbly desired his Highness to do one of two things, either to put him again in the castle where he was, and command some other to take him

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Puleston, esq. of Emral, in Flintshire, and left issue.

2. Griffith, living in 1461, espoused Isabel, daughter of Jevan ap Adda, of Pengwern, in Denbighshire, and had issue.
3. John, living in 1461.
4. Tannah, of Rhyddlan.
5. Rhys, of whom presently.
6. Thomas, living in 1461, married and had issue.
7. Gwervil, *m.* to Tudur ap Grono ap Howel, of Cadair.
8. Margaret, wife of Madoc ap Howel.
9. Mali, *m.* to David ap Rhys ap Jevan, descended from Owen Brogentyn, Lord of Dinmael and Edernion.

The fifth son,

Rhys ap Jevan, married Gwenhwyvar, daughter and co-heir of Howel Vaughan, of Fronoleu, in the county of Carnarvon, lineally descended from Owen Gwynedd, Sovereign Prince of North Wales, and had two sons, Jevan and Rhydderch. The elder,

Jevan ap Rhys, living on the 4th March, 1513, *m.* Laurea, daughter and heiress of Richard Bamville, of Glynn, in Merionethshire, Constable of Harlech Castle, and had (with two daughters, one the wife of Morgan ap Robert, the other, supposed to be Catherine, *m.* to William, or John, ap Madoc Vychan), a son and successor,

John ap Jevan, of Glynn, esq. living 19th October, 1544. This gentleman wedded Gwenever, daughter, and at length heiress of Griffith ap Edneved of Sylvaen, in Merionethshire, by whom (who espoused secondly, Thomas ap Humphrey, of Berriew, in the county of Montgomery, gent.), he had issue,

Robert Wynn ap John.

Mary, *m.* to John Wynn ap Ellis, of Tarwsfynydd.

Margery, *m.* to Edward ap Howel of Court Mynydd Deon.

He was *s.* by his son,

Robert Wynn ap John, esq. of Glynn, who *m.* about the year 1544, Katherine, daughter of Ellis ap Maurice, esq. of Clenenney, in Carnarvonshire, and had two sons and three daughters, viz.

1. Maurice.
2. Ellis, who inherited his grandmother's estate of Sylvaen, and was living in 1615. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of the Rev. Owen Poole.
3. Jonet, *m.* to Robert ap Gryffydd, of Bach-y-saint, in Carnarvonshire.
4. Mary, *m.* about the year 1585, to Edward, son and heir of Robert Wynn ap Jevan ap Morgan, esq. of Taltrithyn, in Merionethshire.
5. Gaynor, *m.* to Humphrey ap Richard ap Owen, of Llanfair, near Harlech.

The elder son and heir,

Maurice ap Robert Wynn, esq. of Glynn, wedded first about the year 1588, Marselie, daughter of Cadwalader, one of the younger sons of Meredith ap Evan ap Robert, esq. of Gwydir, but had no issue; he espoused secondly Agnes, daughter of Robert ap Richard, of Llecheiddior in Carnarvonshire, by whom (who survived him and was living on the 16th April, 1611,) he had

Kadwalader,* who *m.* Ellin, daughter of Robert Lloyd, esq. of Rhiwgoch, in Merionethshire, M.P. for that county in 1586 and 1601, but died in the lifetime of his father, *s. p.*

Robert, died before his father.

William, of whom presently.

Ellin, *m.* first, to Edward Wynn, esq. of Gellidowyll, in Montgomeryshire, and secondly, to Edward Owen, a younger brother of Morris Owen, esq. of Rhiwsaeson, in the same county.

Catherine, wife of Evan Evans, esq. of Tanybwlch, sheriff of Merionethshire in 1635.

Mary, *m.* to Henry Vaughan, of Gelligoch, in the county of Montgomery, gent.

Dorothy, *m.* to Thomas Lloyd, esq. of Hendremûr.

Janet, *m.* to Robert Lloyd, of Bennarth.

Mr. Wynn was living in 1610, but dead on the 16th April, 1611. He was *s.* by his only surviving son,

William Wynne, esq. of Glynn, who *m.* Katherine,† eldest child of William Lewis

out; or if his Highness would not do so, to take his life for the said captain's, that being the last proof he could give that he used his utmost endeavour to save the said captain's life. The King finding himself urged thus far, gave Sir Richard Herbert the life of the said captain, but withal he bestowed no other reward for his service."

It is proved by the rolls of parliament, that David had continued to hold the fortress against the royal mandate to deliver it up, for the space of three years, and tradition assigns to him a much longer defence. Famine obliged him at length to surrender. During his custody of the castle (in 1463,) the virtuous but imbecile Henry VI. and his high minded and spirited Queen found refuge within its walls.

* This Kadwalader appears to have been the first of the family who adopted the present orthography of the name. In a deed to which his father and himself are parties, the former omits the final *e*, the latter writes the name with it.

† This lady's eldest brother, Lewis Anwyl, esq. had by Frances, his wife, daughter of Sir William Jones, of Castellmarch, knt. (sister of Sydney, wife of the Lord Keeper Littleton) an only child, Catherine, who was married to William Owen, esq. of Porkington, and was the mother of Sir Robert Owen, hereafter mentioned.

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Anwyl, esq. of Park, in Merionethshire, by whom, who *d.* 23rd February, 1638-9, he had issue,

i. ROBERT, his heir.
ii. Maurice, of Moel-y-glo, sheriff of Merionethshire in 1671, *m.* Jane, daughter and heir of Griffith Lloyd, esq. of Maes-y-neuodd in that county, and had issue.
iii. Ellis, wedded Lowry, daughter of Edward Thomas ap John of Braith.
iv. William, of Bodwilim, *m.* Margaret, daughter of William Williams, of Bodliw.
v. Cadwalader, rector of Llanenddwyn and Llanddwywe, who died *s. p.*
vi. Owen, *m.* Jane, daughter of Humphrey Pryse, of Cefncaer.
vii. John, *m.* Jane, daughter of Evan ap David, of Cil-y-bronrhudd.
viii. Evan, *d. s. p.*
ix. Katherine, *m.* to John Vaughan, esq. of Caergai, sheriff of Merionethshire in 1670.
x. Lowry, *m.* to Thomas Williams, esq. of Bodliw, in Anglesey, who was drowned between Beaumaris and Bangor in 1671. She *d.* in 1691.
xi. Frances, *m.* to Maurice Jones, of Wern, in Carnarvonshire, gent. by whom she had an only child, ELIZABETH, who *m.* WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. hereafter mentioned.
xii. Elizabeth, *m.* first, John Lloyd, of Llangwnadle, and secondly, to Roger Wynn.

Mr. Wynne was sheriff of Merionethshire in 1618 and 1637. He died in December, 1658, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT WYNNE, esq. of Glynn. This gentleman was sheriff of Merionethshire in 1657 and in 1669. He wedded about the year 1624, when he was a mere child, Katherine,† eldest daughter and heiress of Robert Owen, esq. of Estymcegid, in the county of Carnarvon, by whom (who survived him and died in 1675) he had issue,

i. OWEN, of Glynn and Estymcegid, sheriff of Merionethshire in 1674, of Flintshire in 1675, and of Carnarvonshire in 1676, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. and heiress of Robert Mostyn, esq. of Nant, in Flintshire, fifth son of Sir Roger Mostyn, of Mostyn, knt. and had two daughters,

MARGARET WYNNE, heiress of Glynn, Estymcegid, and the other estates of her family, *b.* 7th June, 1663, *m.* in 1683, Sir Robert Owen,* knt. of Porkington, in Shropshire, M. P. for Merionethshire in the fifth parliament of CHARLES II. and for the Carnarvonshire boroughs in the Convention Parliament, 1688-9, and in the second and third parliaments of William and Mary. (*See* ORMSBY - GORE, page 82.)

Catherine, *m.* to Peter Pennant, esq. of Bichton, in Flintshire, and died 23rd December, 1700, leaving issue.

ii. Ellis, died without issue 28th January, 1691, aged 52.
iii. Robert, died *s. p.*
iv. WILLIAM, of whom presently.
v. Jane, *m.* to Ellis Brynker, gent. of Brynker, in the county of Carnarvon (eldest son of James Brynker, esq.), who was born in June, 1643, became the representative of his very ancient family at his father's decease, 29th June, 1644, and died in March, 1670, leaving issue.
vi. Anne, *m.* to Rees Wynne, gent. of Cynon, in the county of Montgomery.
vii. Frances, died unmarried.

The fourth son,

WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. espoused Elizabeth, only child and heiress of Maurice Jones, of Wern, and Elizabeth Wynne, his wife, by whom (who survived her husband, and died in 1715) he had,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Catherine, *b.* about the year 1682, *m.* first, to Owen Owens, esq. of Cefn; secondly, to Griffith Jones; and thirdly, to Edward Nanney.
Frances.

Mr. Wynne was sheriff of Carnarvonshire in 1686, and was *s.* at his decease, in January, 1701, or 2, by his only son,

† This lady was lineally descended from Owen Gwynedd, and the ancient princes of Wales. Through this marriage the hereditary constableship of the Castle of Criccaeth passed into the Wynne family, and that office is now enjoyed by William Ormsby-Gore, esq. in right of his wife, the representative of the elder branch of the house of Glynn, and inheritrix of the estate. *See page 82.*

* To this gentleman, a monument is erected in Selattyn church, Shropshire, with the following elegant inscription:

H. S. E.
Robertus Owen de Porkington, Eques auratus;
Ex antiquo Hwfæ ap Cynddelw, et Regio Oeni
Gwyneth Stemmate oriundus.
Probitate et fortitudine clarus,
Nulli infestus,
Plurimis amicus,
Bonis omnibus charus
Dum vixit amatus,
Desideratus dum obiit,
3do Calendarum Aprilis
MDCXCVIII.

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WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. of Wern, born about the year 1685, who wedded in 1706, Catherine Goodman, heiress of Elernion, in the county of Carnarvon, daughter of Gabriel Goodman, of Beaumaris, by Elizabeth, his wife, one of the daughters of William Glynne, esq. of Elernion. By her, who died in 1743, he had,

WILLIAM.

Elizabeth, *m.* 27th October, 1732, to the Rev. Richard Nanney, of Cefn deuddr, in Merionethshire, rector of Llanaelhaiarn, vicar of Clynnog, registrar and a canon of Bangor Cathedral.

Catherine, *m.* 6th November, 1738, to Francis Lloyd, of Monachdy, in Anglesey, M. B. son of Richard Lloyd, esq. of Rhosbeirio, in that county.

Mr. Wynne served the office of sheriff of Carnarvonshire, in 1718. He *d.* in 1721, and was *s.* by his only son,

WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. of Wern, *b.* in 1708, sheriff of Carnarvonshire in 1735, and of Merionethshire, in 1750, who wedded in June, 1744, Ellinor, daughter, and at length heiress of the Rev. Griffith Williams, of Llandegwning and Aberkin, in Carnarvonshire, by whom (who survived him, espoused Evan Evans, esq. of Penbryn, in the same county, and died in 1804) he had, with a daughter Ellinor, who *d.* an infant in 1748, an only son and successor, at his decease, 13th April, 1766,

WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. of Wern, *b.* in 1745, who *m.* in Dec. 1771, Jane, eldest daughter and sole heiress of Edward Williams, esq. of Peniarth, in Merionethshire by Jane, viscountess dowager Bulkeley,* his wife, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Richard-Owen, *m.* Miss Sarah Pearce, by whom he had an only daughter, who died young. He died in 1821.

Jane, *m.* in 1794, to John Hornby, esq. of the Hook, in Hampshire, and of Portland Place, London.

Elizabeth, wife of Charles James Apperley, esq.

Mr. Wynne was sheriff of Merionethshire in 1772, and of Montgomeryshire, in the following year. He died 20th July, 1796 and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM WYNNE, esq. of Peniarth.

Arms—First and fourth, Ermine, on a saltier gules, a crescent, or, for WYNNE. Second and third, vert, three eagles displayed, in fess or, for OWEN GWYNEDD.

Crest—On a chapeau, a boar passant arg. fretty gules.

Estates—In the parishes of Llanegrin Celynin, and Towyn, in Merionethshire; of Cemmaes, in Montgomeryshire; and of Penmachno, in the county of Carnarvon

Seat—Peniarth, in Merionethshire.

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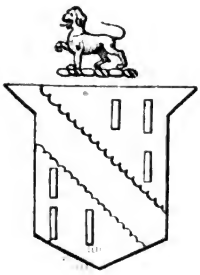
* Eldest daughter and sole heiress of Lewis Owen, esq. of Peniarth.

ALINGTON, OF SWINHOPE.

ALINGTON, MARMADUKE, esq. of Swinhope, in the county of Lincoln, *m.* Ann, daughter of the Rev. John Emeris, of Louth, in the same shire, and has issue,



GEORGE-MARMADUKE, *m.* Mary, daughter of Matthew Bancroft Lister, esq. of Burwell Park, in the county of Lincoln, and has George-Hugh, Charles-Argentine, and Sophy-Anne.

Henry, who has assumed the surname and arms of PYE, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of Mrs. Sarah Rowe, who bequeathed to him an estate at Bosbury, in Herefordshire, derived from the Pye family. He *m.* Charlotte, daughter of John Yarburgh, esq. of Frampton, in the county of Lincoln, and has a daughter.

John, in holy orders.

Hildebrand-William, a merchant at Boston, who *m.* Catherine Overton, of Louth, in Lincolnshire.

Richard-Pye, student, at Cambridge.

Ann, *m.* to the Rev. William Cooper, of West Rasen, in Lincolnshire.

Penelope.

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Lineage.

WILLIAM ALINGTON, esq. high sheriff of the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in the reign of EDWARD IV., descended from Sir Hildebrand de Alington, under marshal to WILLIAM *the Conqueror* at Hastings, wedded Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of John de Argentine, fifth Baron Argentine, and thus acquired the manor of Wigmondley, in the county of Hertford, held in grand sergeanty, by service of presenting the first cup at the coronation of the kings of England; which service was claimed and allowed at the coronation of *King* JAMES II. and has ever since been performed by the lords of that manor. From this William Alington and Elizabeth de Argentine, lineally descended,

SIR GILES ALINGTON, high sheriff for the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, 3rd and 11th of HENRY VIII. who *m.* Mary, only daughter and heiress of Sir Richard Gardiner, and had with other issue,

1. GILES, of Horsheath, in the county of Cambridge; high sheriff of that shire, in 22nd of HENRY VIII. and of Huntingdon in the 37th of the same monarch. Mr. Arlington appears to have attended *King* HENRY VIII. as master of the ordnance at the siege of Bullogne, by the inscription of a clock which he brought from that siege, and affixed over the offices at Horseheath Hall, in which was the alarm bell of the garrison of Bullogne. His direct descendant,

   WILLIAM, of Horseheath Hall, was elevated to the peerage of Ireland as BARON ALINGTON of Killard, on the 28th July, 1642. Lord Alington was *s.* by his son,

   William, second baron, who was created a peer of England, 5th December, 1682, by the title of BARON ALINGTON, of Wymondeley, in the county of Herts. His only son and successor in 1684,

   GILES ALINGTON, third lord dying in minority, anno 1691, the English peerage expired, while that of Ireland reverted to his uncle, the Hon. Hildebrand Alington. (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*)

2. GEORGE, of whose line we are about to treat.
3. John, } both founders of families.
4. Richard, }

The second son,

GEORGE ALINGTON, esq. was ancestor of

GEORGE ALINGTON, esq. of Swinhope, in the county of Lincoln, who, dying in 1633, left the large property in that shire, of which he was possessed, to his nephew,

HENRY ALINGTON, esq. of Swinhope, who *m.* the daughter of Sir Maximilian Dalyson, of Kent, and devised his estates to his two sons,

1. HUGH, who espoused, in 1688, Jane, daughter of Sir Martin Lister, of Burwell, and had an only surviving daughter, Barbara, *m.* at an early age to Richard Pye, esq. a younger son of Sir Robert Pye, of Faringdon, from whom the SARAH ROWE who bequeathed her estate to the present Mr. Alington's second son, derived her descent.
2. HENRY.

The second son,

HENRY ALINGTON, esq. of Swinhope, had (with another son Marmaduke, who died unm.) a son and successor,

WILLIAM ALINGTON, esq. of Swinhope, who *m.* Elizabeth, sister of Sir Thomas Cookes Winford, of Glasshampton, in the county of Worcester, and niece of Sir Thomas Cookes, founder of Worcester College, Oxford, and had (with another son, Hildebrand, who died unmarried, and a daughter, *m.* to Mr. Threader), a son,

HENRY ALINGTON, esq. of Swinhope, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Robert Baron, esq. of Letchworth, in Herts, by whom (who *d.* in 1809) he had issue,

MARMADUKE, his heir.

William, in holy orders, who *m.* Sarah, daughter of John Williamson, esq. of Baldock, in Hertfordshire, and had, with a daughter, a son, John, who wedded Eliza, daughter of Sir Thomas Plumer, late Master of the Rolls.

Henry, of Hertford.

Mary, *m.* to Colonel George Maddison, and had an only son, George Wilson Maddison.

Frances.

Sarah, *m.* to the Rev. John Robinson, of Faldingworth.

Mr. Alington was *s.* by his eldest son, MARMADUKE ALINGTON, esq. the present representative of the family.

Arms—Sa. a bend engrailed between six billets arg.

Crest—A talbot passant, ermine.

Estates—In Lincolnshire.

Seat—Swinhope, near Binbrook.

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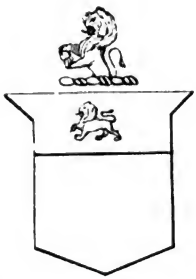
ABNEY, OF MEASHAM HALL.

ABNEY, WILLIAM WOTTON, esq. of Measham Hall, in the county of Derby, *b.* 5th January, 1807, *m.* 6th May, 1828, Helen-John-Sinclair, eldest daughter of James Buchanan, esq. of Blair-Vadock, in the county of Dumbarton, by Lady Janet Sinclair, his wife, daughter of James, late Earl of Caithness.

Mr. Abney inherited the estates at the decease of his grandfather, in 1827.

Lineage.



The family of ABNEY, originally D'Aubigny, is of great antiquity in the county of Derby, where they were seated at Abney in the Peak, (to which doubtless they gave the name) about the time of the Conquest.

JOHN DE ABENEY, living at Wivelislie, in the year 1318, was father of

WILLIAM DE ABENEY, whose son,

JOHN DE ABENEY, espoused about the year 1400, the elder co-heir of William de Ingewardeby, of Willesleye,* and acquired thereby, the manors of Willesley, and Potlock, in Derbyshire, with lands in Packington, in the county of Leicester. He was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM DE ABENEY, lord of Willesley, who was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DE ABENEY, who *d.* in 1505, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE DE ABNEY, of Willesley, who wedded Ellen, daughter of John de Wolseley, of Wolseley, in the county of Stafford, and had, with other issue,

1. George, *d. s. p.*
2. JAMES, of Willesley, who *m.* Mary, daughter and heir of Henry Milward, esq. of Dowbridge, and was father of
   GEORGE, who wedded Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Michael Lowe, esq. of Tymore, in the county of Stafford, and dying at the advanced age of ninety-five, in 1645, was *s.* by his eldest son,
   JAMES, of Willesley, high-sheriff of the county of Derby in 1631, and member of parliament for Leicester. This gentleman espoused Jane, daughter of Edward Mainwaring, esq. of Whitmore, in the county of Stafford, and was *s.* at his decease, aged ninety-four, by his eldest surviving son,†

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* The family of Wiveleslie, (the ancient name of Willesley) was possessed of the lordship at a very early period. In the year 1160,

MICHAEL DE WIVELESLIE was lord of the manor, and granted lands to John de Yngwereby, then living at Willesley. The son of this John,

WILLIAM DE INGWEREBY, wedded about the year 1290, ALBREDA DE WIVELESLIE, daughter of MICHAEL, and sister of ADO de Wiveleslie, and obtained the rest of the lands together with the lordship. They were succeeded by their son,

NICHOLAS DE INGWEREBY, whose grandson,

WILLIAM DE INGEWARDEBY, left two daughters, co-heirs to his estates. The elder married JOHN DE ABENEY, as in the text; the younger espoused Thomas Stokes, esq. of Tamworth.

† THOMAS ABNEY, his younger son, settled in the city of London, and filled the highest municipal offices. He was chosen alderman in 1693, and in that year was one of the sheriffs. In 1700 he attained the civic chair, and was subsequently elected to parliament by the city. He was knighted by *King* WILLIAM, having during his mayoralty, rendered important services to him and to the protestant cause, and was one of the principal founders of the Bank of England. Sir Thomas died aged eighty-three, father of the City of London, president of St. Thomas's Hospital, and one of the directors of the Bank of England. He *m.* Mary, sister and co-heir of Thomas Gunston, an eminent merchant of London, and lord of the manor of Stoke Newington, and left one son and three daughters, all of whom died issueless.

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EDWARD (Sir), LLD. a judge of the court of King's Bench, high sheriff of the county of Derby, and M. P. for Leicester, who died in 1631, aged ninety-six. His second son, and eventual representative,

THOMAS (Sir), an eminent lawyer, and one of the judges of the Common Pleas, died of the remarkable jail fever in 1750, and was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS, who *m.* Parnell, dau. and co-heir of George Villiers, esq. of Hanbury, in the county of Stafford, and dying in 1790, left an only dau. and heir,

PARNELL ABNEY, who *m. General* SIR CHARLES HASTINGS bart. and conveyed the estate of Willesley to her husband. She was mother of the present SIR CHARLES ABNEY-HASTINGS, bart.

3. ROBERT.

The third son,

ROBERT ABNEY, esq. who obtained from his father the estate of Newton Burguland, *m.* Arthurine, daughter of Robert Howe, esq. of Hertforshire, and dying in 1602, left a son and successor,

THOMAS ABNEY, esq. of Newton Burguland, who wedded Anne, daughter of Robert Smith, esq. of Lockington, and had issue,

ROBERT, who *d. s. p.*

THOMAS.

The second son,

THOMAS ABNEY, esq. settled in London, and became eventually heir of his brother. He wedded first, Anne, daughter of George Ullock, esq. of Measham, in the county of Derby, and had a son, Thomas. He espoused secondly, Susannah, daughter of George Swindale, esq. of Ashby-de-la-Zouche, and had, with other issue, a son,

ROBERT ABNEY, esq. born in 1672, who *m.* Mary, second daughter of W. Webb, esq. of Hamstal, Redware, in the county of Stafford, and had issue,

1. ROBERT, of Oldbury, near Birmingham, who left an only daughter and heiress,

   SUSANNAH, second wife of Roger Holmes, esq. of Walsall.

2. George, whose line is now EXTINCT.
3. WILLIAM, of whom presently.

The third son,

WILLIAM ABNEY, esq. of the Inner Temple, purchased the estate of MEASHAM, and erected the family mansion there. This gentleman *b.* 25th November, 1713, lived like many of his predecessors to an advanced period of life, and died, after filling all the duties of a country gentleman in the most exemplary manner, at the age of eighty seven, in the year 1800. Mr. Abney was one of the last of that old fashioned race of English proprietors, who now only survive amongst the writers of Romance. After refusing a seat upon the BENCH, he resided constantly upon his estate in the country, performing all the duties of a magistrate firmly, humanely, and actively. His chief pleasure arose from expending little upon himself, and assisting his poorer neighbours, maintaining at the same time a most hospitable establishment; all within his immediate vicinity, tenantry and neighbours were alike welcomed with a truly patriarchal reception. His carriage, built at the coronation of George III. was drawn by four long tailed horses and driven by a coachman, above fifty years in the family. His domestics had grown grey in his service, and it was curious to see him waited upon by four or five tottering servants of nearly his own age, who regarded him more as a brother than a master. His liveries corresponded with the other parts of his establishment—long shoulder knots, with sleeves and waistcoat pockets of the fashion of the preceding century. He was a man of very vigorous mind, a Whig of the revolution, and in 1793, discoursed of the actors in that great event with the familiarity of a contemporary. His attachment to the House of Hanover was almost idolatrous, and his proudest boast was his having headed a party to oppose the Chevalier when at Derby on his advance southward. The utility of a personage in a local district endowed with so much public spirit,

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and gifted with a mind so liberally and nobly constructed is attested by the direction which he gave to the fortunes of two men who rose to considerable eminence, and whose course was attended by great national prosperity. The first, WILKES of Measham, distinguished as a cotton spinner, and the partner of the late Sir Robert Peel, was indebted to Mr. Abney for the means of bringing his abilities and industry into activity. The second, William Salt of Tottenham, was one of the children of a numerous family of a widowed tenant of Mr. Abney, whom he first educated, and subsequently apprenticed to the ribbon trade in Coventry. This gentleman, like Wilkes, accumulated a great and honorable fortune.

Mr. Abney,* espoused Catherine, daughter and heiress of Thomas Wotton, esq. of Little Cannons, in the county of Herts, and had four sons and two daughters, viz.

i. ROBERT, } successive proprietors.
ii. EDWARD, }
iii. George, } both *d.* unmarried.
iv. Willliam, }
v. Mary, *m.* to John Swinfen, esq. of Swynfen, in Staffordshire.
vi. Catharine, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Burnaby, of Assfordby, in Leicestershire.

He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

ROBERT ABNEY, esq. of Measham, *b.* 29th October, 1748, who wedded Anne, daughter of the Rev. Philip Bracebridge, and co-heir of her uncle Samuel Bracebridge, esq. of Lindley Hall, in the county of Warwick, (see page 272) by whom he acquired that estate, and was residing there at the time of his father's death. By this lady he had Samuel Bracebridge, who died *s. p.* and a daughter,

ANNE, who *m.* Samuel B. Heming, esq.

Mr. Abney, who served the office of sheriff for the county of Warwick in 1777, was succeeded in his paternal fortune, at his demise, by his brother,

EDWARD ABNEY, esq. of Measham Hall, *b.* 8th February, 1751. This gentleman, of genuine old English hospitality, married twice, but had no surviving issue by his first wife; by the second, Hephzibah, daughter of Samuel Need, esq. of Nottingham, he had

i. WILLIAM-WOTTON, a captain in the Royal Horse Guards Blue, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of W. Richardson, esq. of the county of York, and dying in the lifetime of his father left, with other issue,
   - WILLIAM-WOTTON, who succeeded his grandfather, and is the present proprietor.
   - Edward-Henry, who *m.* 31st January, 1833, Catherine, eldest daughter of Jediah Strutt, esq. of Belpar, in the county of Derby.
   - Catharine.

ii. Edward, who *m.* in 1822, Ellen, fourth daughter of Hyla Holden, esq. of Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, and has two daughters, viz.
   - Hephzibah-Constance.
   - Ellen-Clarke.

iii. Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry Walker, esq. of Blyth Hall, Nottinghamshire.

Mr. Abney died in 1827, and was *s.* by his grandson, the present WILLIAM-WOTTON ABNEY, esq. of Measham Hall.

Arms—Or, on a chief gu. a lion passant arg. Quartering the ensigns of WOTTON and CLARKE, viz. for WOTTON, azure three martlets arg. and for CLARKE, arg. on a bend gu. between three pellets, as many swans, of the field.

Crest—A demi-lion rampant or, a pellet between the paws.

Motto—Fortiter et honestè.

Estates—In Measham, Derbyshire; in Heather, Shalkertone and Swepstone, Leicestershire.

Seat—Measham Hall, Derbyshire.

* He served the office of sheriff for Leicestershire at the age of seventy-eight, by *proxy*.

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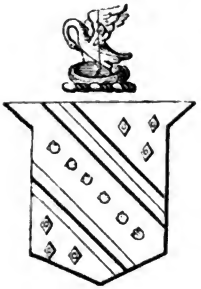
POLLEN, OF LITTLE BOOKHAM.



POLLEN-BOILEAU, *The Rev.* GEORGE-POLLEN, of Little Bookham, in the county of Surrey, *b.* 14th August, 1798, *m.* 14th February, 1824, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Hall, bart. and grandaughter maternally of Dunbar, fourth Earl of Selkirk, by whom he has issue,

JOHN-DOUGLAS, *b.* 26th November, 1824.
Charles-Edward, *b.* 16th January, 1828.
Georgiana.

This gentleman, whose patronymic is BOILEAU, having inherited the estates of the POLLENS, at the decease of his maternal grandfather, the Rev. George Pollen, in 1812, assumed the additional surname and arms of that family.

Lineage.

EDWARD PAULYN, of London, merchant, the descendant of a Lincolnshire family, died about the year 1636, leaving a son,

JOHN PAULYN of London, merchant, who *m.* Anne, daughter of William Bernard, esq. of Bristol, and widow of Nicholas Venables, esq. M.P. for Andover, by whom he had a son and successor.

JOHN PAULYN, esq. of Andover, M. P. for that borough, and high Sheriff for the county of Hants. This gentleman espoused first, Frances, daughter and heiress of Edward Exton, esq. and had an only surviving child EDWARD. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, dau. of Philip Jackson, esq. and had several children, but all died young. He wedded thirdly, Mary, daughter of Edward Sherwood esq. of East Hundred, Berkshire, and had one son and one daughter, to survive, viz.

John, who was bred to the bar, and became a Welch judge. He represented Andover, in parliament. He *m.* Hester, daughter of Sir Paulet St. John, bart. of Dogmersfield, and had, *inter alios*, a son and heir,

JOHN, who was created a BARONET, 11th April, 1795. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage*).

Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Ellis St. John, of Westcourt.

Mr. Pollen's elder son and heir,

EDWARD POLLEN, esq. *b.* in 1672, *m.* first, the daughter of Sir John Husband, of Ipsley, in Warwickshire, and had issue,

John, who *d.* (before his father,) in 1724.

EDWARD, successor to his father.

Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Little Bookham, a living which he resigned to his nephew and heir, the Rev. GEORGE POLLEN.

Mary, *m.* to George Hungerford, esq. of Studley, in the county of Wilts.

He wedded secondly, Mary, daughter of Sir Benjamin Madox, of Boughton-Monchelsey, and had another son,

BENJAMIN, *b.* in 1706, who inherited through his mother, the manor of LITTLE BOOKHAM, with a large property, in and about Hanover Square, London. This gentleman wedded first, Anne, daughter of the Rev. Doctor Markland, by whom he had an only daughter and heiress,

ANNE, who died unmarried in 1764, and devised her estates to her step-mother, Mrs. Sarah Pollen, for life, with remainder, first to her half uncle the Rev. THOMAS POLLEN, and his issue male, and then to her cousin the Rev. GEORGE POLLEN, son of another half uncle, Edward Pollen, of New Inn.

Benjamin Pollen espoused secondly, Miss Sarah Keate, but had no other issue. This lady inherited her step daughter's fortune, and *d.* in 1777.

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Mr. Pollen was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD POLLEN, esq. of New Inn, who *m.* Elizabeth Welsh, of Southampton, and dying 10th Dec. 1775, left, with other issue, a daughter, Mary, *m.* to George Parbury, and a son,

The Rev. GEORGE POLLEN, Rector of Little Bookham, who inherited the estates of his cousin ANNE POLLEN, upon the demise issueless of his uncle, the Rev. Tho. Pollen. He *m.* Mary, dau. of William Goode, esq. of Newent, in Gloucester, and had issue,

I. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, a colonel in the army, and M. P. for Leominster, who *m.* Eliz. dau. of Sir Charles Gascoigne, bart. He was unhappily drowned in the Baltic, and *d. s. p.*

II. John, *d. s. p.*

III. Henrietta, *m.* to John Peter Boileau, esq. and had

1. *The Rev.* GEORGE POLLEN BOILEAU, who is now "of Little Bookham."
2. John Boileau, who *m.* 14th Nov. 1826, Lady Catherine Elliot, daughter of George, first Earl of Minto.
3. Charles, Capt. in the Rifle Corps, and A. D. C. to Sir Frederick Adam, Governor of Madras, to whose daughter he is married.
4. Henrietta Boileau.

IV. Elizabeth.

V. Anna-Maria, *m.* to General Manningham.*

VI. Harriet, *m.* to — Gregory, esq.

VII. Louisa, *m.* to Dr. Haviland, of Cambridge.

The Rev. George Pollen died in 1812, and was *s.* by (the son of his daughter Henrietta Boileau) his grandson, the present *Rev.* GEORGE POLLEN BOILEAU POLLEN, of Little Bookham.

Arms—Az. on a bend cottised or, between six lozenges, arg. each charged with an escallop sa. six escallops vert, quarterly with BOILEAU.

Crest—A pelican with wings expanded, in her nest per pale or and az. vulning herself ppr. charged on the wing with a lozenge arg. thereon an escallop sa.

Motto—De tout mon cœur.

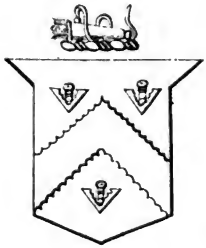
Estates—At Little Bookham, Great Bookham, and Effingham, in the county of Surrey, and also at Lea Bridge in Essex.

Seat—The Manor House, Little Bookham.

* To the memory of this distinguished officer there is a handsome stone monument, bearing the following inscription: "In this vault are deposited the remains of Major General Coote Manningham, Equerry to the King, and Colonel of the 95th regiment of foot. This corps he originally raised and formed, and by his unwearied zeal and exertion, as well as excellent discipline and good example brought to the highest state of military reputation and distinction. He died at Maidstone, 26th August, 1809, in the 44th year of his age, an early victim to the fatigue of the campaigns in Spain, operating on a constitution already enfeebled by long service in the West Indies, and honorable wounds received in that climate."

ARCHER, OF TRELASKE.

ARCHER, EDWARD, esq. of Trelaske, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 25th April, 1792, *m.* 2nd August, 1815, Charlotte-Catherine, only child of Charles Harward, esq. of Hayne House, in Devon, and grandaughter of Sir William Chambers, by whom he has issue,



EDWARD.
Charles-Harward.
Samuel.
Fulbert.
Charlotte-Dorothea.
Jane.
Anne-Augusta.
Elizabeth.
Katherine.
Marianne.

Mr. Archer *s.* his father in 1822, and served the office of high-sheriff of Cornwall in 1832.

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Lineage.

The ARCHERS came over at the time of the Conquest, and the name is to be found in the Battle Abbey Roll. A branch of the family was ennobled, *anno* 1747, in the person of THOMAS ARCHER, esq. M.P. for Warwick, who was created BARON ARCHER, *of Umberslade*, in Warwickshire. (See BURKE'S *Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*)

The line more immediately before us appears to have been settled in Cornwall for at least four hundred years, a John Archer having represented Helston in parliament so far back as the time of HENRY VI. During the usurpation of CROMWELL, a presumed member of the Cornish family attained eminence at the bar, and was made serjeant-in-law in 1658, preparatory to his being placed on the bench of the Common Pleas the next year. The elder branch of the Cornish Archers, which was seated near the Lizard, became extinct in the reign of EDWARD IV. when the heiress wedded Leveles of St. Burian, in the church whereof their ensigns are constantly traced in old carved work amongst the quarterings of other families. Upon the extinction of this branch the representation devolved on the Archers of Trelaske.

JOHN ARCHER (whose father married — Swete, of Modbury, in Devon) espoused the sister and heiress of Samuel Addis, of Whiteford, and left, with other issue, at his decease in 1726,

SWETE NICHOLAS ARCHER, esq. of Trelaske, who served the office of sheriff for Cornwall in the year 1758. He *m.* Anne Basset, sister of Francis Basset, father of Lord de Dunstanville, but dying *s. p.* was *s.* by his nephew,

EDWARD ARCHER, esq. of Trelaske, who was sheriff of Cornwall in 1794. This gentleman espoused Theophila Freno, by whom (who *d.* in 1798) he had no issue. Mr. Archer died at Plymouth, whither he had gone for the benefit of his health, and was buried in the family vault at Lewannick. He was *s.* at his decease by his brother,

SAMUEL ARCHER, esq. who wedded Dorothy-Ayre, daughter of the Rev. John Yonge, of Portlinch, in the county of Devon, by whom (who *d.* in 1797) he had issue,

EDWARD, his heir.
Samuel.
Elizabeth-Anne.
Jane.
Anne.

Mr. Archer was *s.* at his decease in June, 1822, by his elder son, the present EDWARD ARCHER, esq. of Trelaske.

Arms—Sa. a chevron engrailed arg. between three pheons or.

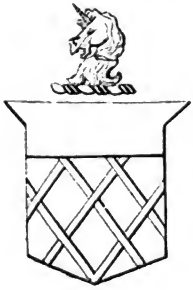
Crest—A quiver.

Estates—In the parishes of Lewannick, Northhill, Altarnun, and South-Petherwin, in Cornwall.

Seat—Trelaske, near Launceston; which mansion-house Mr. Archer has recently rebuilt.

CURWEN, OF WORKINGTON HALL.

CURWEN, HENRY, esq. of Workington Hall, in the county of Cumberland, *b.* 5th December, 1783, *m.* 11th October, 1804, Jane, daughter of Edward Stanley, esq. of Whitehaven, and has issue,



JOHN, his heir.
Edward Stanley, lieutenant 14th Dragoons, *m.* 22nd January, 1833, Frances, dau. of Edward Jesse, esq. of Hampton Court, in Middlesex.
Henry, of Trinity College, Cambridge.
Charles.
William.
Isabella, *m.* to the Rev. John Wordsworth, rector of Moresby, in Cumberland.
Julia.
Jane.

Mr. Curwen *s.* his father on the 9th December, 1828. He is in the commission of the peace for Cumberland, and high sheriff the present year.

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Lineage.

"Workington (says Camden) is now the seat of the ancient knightly family of the CURWENS, descended from Gospatric, Earl of Northumberland, who took that name by covenant from Culwen, a family of Galloway, the heir whereof they had married. They have a stately castle-like seat; and from this family (increaseth vanity) I myself am descended by the mother's side."

IVO DE TALBOYS, first Lord of Kendal, brother of Fulk, Earl of Anjou and King of Jerusalem, espoused Elgiva, daughter of our Saxon monarch ETHELDRED, and was father of

ELDRED or ETHELDRED, second feudal Lord of Kendal, who *m.* Adgitha, and was *s.* by his son,

KITEL, third Baron of Kendal. This feudal lord married a lady named Christiana, as appears by his grant of the Church of Morland to the Abbey of St. Mary's in York, to which she was a subscribing witness. By her he had issue,

I. GILBERT, successor to the barony of Kendal, whose son,

WILLIAM, assumed, according to Dugdale, from being governor of Lancaster Castle, the surname of LANCASTER. From him descended

JOHN DE LANCASTER, who was summoned to parliament as a BARON in 1299. (See *Burke's Extinct Peerage.*)

II. ORME.

III. William.

The second son,

ORME, wedded Gunilda, sister of Waldieve, first Lord of Allerdale, son of Gospatrick, Earl of Dunbar, and acquiring by grant from the said Waldieve the manor of Seaton, below Derwent, parcel of the barony of Allerdale, took up his abode there; he had also by the same conveyance the towns of Camberton, Crayksothen, and Flemingby. The walls and ruins of the mansion-house of Seaton, Mr. Denton states to have been visible in his time. Orme was *s.* by his son,

GOSPATRIC, to whom Alan, second Lord of Allerdale, his cousin german, gave High Ireby, which remained vested in a younger branch of the Curwens, which terminated in female heirs. This Gospatric was the first of the family who was Lord of WORKINGTON, having exchanged with his cousin, William de Lancaster, the lordship of Middleton in Westmorland for the lands of Lamplugh and Workington in Cumberland. In this bargain De Lancaster retained to himself and his heirs an annual rent charge of 6*d.* to be paid at the fair of Carlisle, or a pair of gilt spurs, binding Gospatric and his heirs to do homage, and to discharge his foreign service for the same to the barony or castle of Egremont. Gospatric had, with four younger sons (Gilbert, Adam, Orme, and Alexander), his successor,

THOMAS, called after the fashion of those times, SON OF GOSPATRIC. To this Thomas, one Rowland, son of Ughtred, son of Fergus, gave the lordship of CULWEN, in Galloway. He *d.* 7th December, 1152, having had issue,

THOMAS, who *m.* Joan, daughter of Robert de Veteripont, but died in the lifetime of his father, leaving an only daughter, who wedded Harrington, of Harrington.

PATRIC.

Alan, who acquired by gift of his brother Patric the lands of CAMERTON, and thence deriving their surname, the Camertons descend from him.

This Thomas, son of Gospatric, granted Lamplugh to Robert de Lamplugh and his heirs, to be holden by the yearly presentment of a pair of gilt spurs. To his second son, Patric, he had given, while his eldest son was living, the lordship of CULWEN, in Galloway, and the said Patric assuming his surname therefrom, became

PATRIC DE CULWEN; his elder brother dying subsequently without male issue, he succeeded to the entire estate, and was thenceforward designated "Patric de Culwen, of Workington." He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS DE CULWEN, of Workington, who was *s.* at his decease by his brother,

GILBERT DE CULWEN, of Workington, who left, by his wife Editha, a son and heir,

GILBERT DE CULWEN, of Workington, who *d.* in the third of EDWARD III. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR GILBERT DE CULWEN, of Workington, who was returned to parliament by the county of Cumberland in the 47th, 48th, and 50th of EDWARD III. He died in the seventh of the next reign, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CHRISTOPHER DE CULWEN, of Workington. This gentleman, like his father, represented his native county in several parliaments. He was sheriff of the same shire in the second and twelfth of HENRY VI. by the name of CULWEN, and in the sixth of the same reign by that of CURWEN,

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to which latter cognomen the family has ever since adhered. Sir Christopher was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS CURWEN, of Workington, M.P. for Cumberland, who *d.* 3rd EDWARD IV., and was *s.* by his son,

SIR CHRISTOPHER CURWEN, of Workington, living *temp.* HENRY VII. who left at his decease a son and successor,

SIR THOMAS CURWEN, of Workington. This gentleman *d.* in the 34th of HENRY VIII., and in that year, by an inquisition of knight's fees in Cumberland, it was found that he held the manor of Workington of the king by knight's service, as of his castle of Egremont. He was possessed at the same time of the manor of Thornthwaite, and of one third of Bothill, with the manors of Seaton and Camerton, and divers tenements in Gilerouse, Great Broughton, and Dereham. He was *s.* by his son,

SIR HENRY CURWEN, of Workington, who had the honor of affording an asylum in his mansion-house to the Queen of Scotland, MARY STUART, when that unhappy princess sought the protection of England, and had the good feeling to treat the fallen sovereign with the deference due to her princely station and the kindness claimed by her misfortunes. The queen remained at Workington until removed by ELIZABETH, first to Cockermouth Castle and then to Carlisle. The apartment in which her majesty slept bears still the name of the "Queen's Chamber." Sir Henry *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Sir Nicholas Fairfax, and had a son NICHOLAS, his successor. He wedded, secondly, Jane Crosby, and had

George, who *d. s. p.*

THOMAS, who left, with two younger sons,

DARCY, who had

HENRY.

ELDRED, who *s.* his brother, and subsequently his cousin, HENRY CURWEN, esq. of *Workington*, when he became representative of the family.

Sir Henry, who represented Cumberland in parliament, in the 6th of EDWARD VI. and 1st ELIZABETH, was *s.* at his decease in the 35th of the latter reign, by his eldest son,

SIR NICHOLAS CURWEN, of Workington, M.P. for Cumberland, who wedded, first, Anne, daughter of Sir Simon Musgrave, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Judge Carus, and dying 2nd of JAMES I. left a son and successor,

SIR HENRY CURWEN, of Workington, M.P. for Cumberland in the 18th of JAMES I. This gentleman espoused first, Catherine, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Dalston, and had two sons, PATRICK, his heir, and Thomas. He *m.* secondly, Miss Margaret Wharton, and had a third son, ELDRED. He *d.* in the 21st of JAMES I., and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR PATRICK CURWEN, of Workington, M.P. for Cumberland, who was created a BARONET in 1626, but dying issueless, in 1664, the title became *extinct*, while the estates devolved upon his brother,

THOMAS CURWEN, esq. of Workington, at whose decease, unmarried, 25th CHARLES II. the estates passed to his half brother,

ELDRED CURWEN, esq. of Workington, who died the next year, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY CURWEN, esq. of Workington. This gentleman dying without issue, his branch of the family expired, when the estates and representation reverted to his cousin, (refer to descendants of Sir Henry Curwen by his second wife, Jane Crosby,)

ELDRED CURWEN, esq. who thus became "of Workington." Mr. Curwen served the office of sheriff for Cumberland in the 3rd of GEORGE II., and represented Cockermouth in parliament. He died in the 18th of the same reign, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY CURWEN, esq. of Workington. This gentleman who was returned to parliament by the city of Carlisle, in 1762, stood for the county of Cumberland at the general election in 1768, and after an unprecedented contest was placed at the head* of the poll, by a considerable majority. Mr. Curwen espoused the daughter of William Gale, esq. of Whitehaven, and had an only daughter and heiress,

ISABELLA CURWEN, who *m.* JOHN CHRISTIAN, esq. of Unerigg Hall, and conveying to him the lands of the Curwens, he assumed, in 1790, their surname and arms, and thus became

JOHN CHRISTIAN-CURWEN, esq. of Workington. Mr. Christian had been married previously to Miss Taubman, of the Isle of Man, who left at her decease an only son, JOHN CHRISTIAN, esq. of Unerigg Hall, one of the Dempsters of that island. By the heiress of the Curwens (his second wife) he had issue,

HENRY, heir to his mother.

William, in holy orders, rector of Harrington, in Cumberland, now deceased.

Edward, of Belle Grange, in the county of Lancaster.

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* The candidates and numbers were :—

Curwen	2190
Fletcher	2027
Lowther (Sir James)	1993
Senhouse	1904

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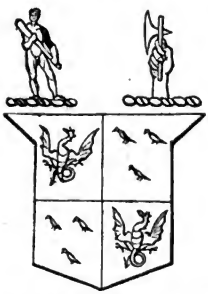
John, in holy orders, rector of Harrington.
Bridget, *m.* to Charles Walker, esq. of Ashford Court, in the county of Salop.
Christiana-Frances, of Uppington, in Shropshire.

Mr. Curwen served the office of sheriff for Cumberland in 1784. In 1786, he was re-returned to parliament for Carlisle, and continued to represent that borough in several parliaments. He became subsequently knight of the shire for Cumberland, and so remained until his decease, on the 9th December, 1828. Mr. Curwen acquired distinction by his rural pursuits and as a practical farmer introduced numerous valuable improvements, under his own immediate superintendence, which gave a novel direction to the business of the agriculturist. He was succeeded at his decease in his own estates by his eldest son, JOHN CHRISTIAN, esq. and in those of the Curwens, by his second son, the present HENRY CURWEN, esq. of Workington Hall.

Arms—Arg. fretty gules, a chief azure.
Crest — A unicorn's head erased arg. armed or.
Estates—Workington, Harrington Dean, Distington, and Flimby Parishes, in Cumberland, Windermere, in Westmoreland, and Hawkshead, Lancashire. The two first many centuries in the family.
Motto—Si je n' estoy.
Seats—Workington, in Cumberland, and Belle Isle, in Windermere, Westmoreland.

TYRWHITT-DRAKE, OF SHARDELOES.

DRAKE-TYRWHITT, THOMAS, esq. of Shardeloes, in the county of Buckingham, of Stainfield Hall, Lincolnshire, and of St. Donat's Castle, Glamorganshire, *b.* 16th March, 1783, *m.* in October, 1814, Barbara-Caroline, daughter of Arthur Annesley, esq. of Bletchingdon Park, in the county of Oxford, and has issue,



THOMAS, *b.* in July, 1818.
John, *b.* in June, 1821.
William, *b.* in August, 1823.
Edward, *b.* in May, 1832.
Barbara-Anne.
Frances-Isabella.
Mary-Elizabeth.
Augusta-Charlotte.
Susan-Louisa.
Elizabeth-Catherine.

Mr. Tyrwhitt-Drake succeeded his father in October, 1810. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Bucks, and was for several years member of parliament for the borough of Amersham.

Lineage.

The family of DRAKE, which spread into many eminent and flourishing houses, derived from

JOHN DRAKE, of Ashe, in the parish of MUSBURY and county of Devon, who wedded in the time of HENRY V. Christiana, daughter and heiress of John Billet, by Anne, his wife, dau. and heir of Warren Hampton, of Ashe, and had a son and heir,

JOHN DRAKE, of Otterton, in Devonshire, who *m.* Christiana, daughter and heiress of John Antage, and was grandfather of

JOHN DRAKE, esq. of Otterton. This gentleman espoused Agnes, daughter of John Kelloway, and had issue,
JOHN, his heir.
Richard.
Robert.

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Thomas, of Hertford, in Devon, who *m.* Hellena, daughter of Bennett Hillen, esq. of Fen Autri, in the same shire.

Agnes, *m.* to William, second son of John Pole, esq. of Shute, in Devonshire.

The eldest son,

JOHN DRAKE, esq. of Axmouth, married Margaret, daughter of John Cole, esq. of Rill, in the county of Devon, and had, with Gilbert, ancestor of the DRAKES, of Spratshays, an elder son, his successor,

JOHN DRAKE, esq. of Ashe. This gentleman *m.* Anne, daughter of Roger Grenville, esq. of Stowe, in Cornwall, by whom (who *d.* in 1577) he left at his decease in 1558,

I. BERNARD (Sir), of Mount Drake and Ashe, both in Devonshire, *m.* Gertrude, daughter of Bartholomew Fortescue, esq. of Filleigh, and had issue. Sir Bernard received the honor of knighthood in 1585, and died the next year, when he was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DRAKE, esq. of Mount Drake and Ashe, who *m.* Dorothy, dau. of William Button, esq. of Alton, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1628, by his son,

SIR JOHN DRAKE, knt. of Mount Drake and Ashe. This gentleman wedded Helen, second dau. and co-heir* of Sir John Butler, bart. of Hatfield Woodhouse, Herts, (who was raised to the peerage, by *King* JAMES I., as BARON BUTLER, of *Bramfield*,) and dying in 1636, left issue,

1. JOHN (Sir), his successor, who was created a BARONET by *King* CHARLES II. The title expired with the fifth baronet, SIR WILLIAM DRAKE, in 1733.
2. George, *d.* unmarried in 1664.
3. Thomas, *d.* in Ireland in 1659.
4. Henry.
5. Dorothy, *m.* to William Yardley, esq.
6. Mary, *d.* unmarried.
7. Eleanora, *m.* to John Briscoe, esq. of Cumberland.
8. ELIZABETH, *m.* to Sir Winston Churchill, of Standish, and was mother of the great DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH.
9. Gertrude, } *d.* unmarried.
10. Ivanna, }
11. Jane, *m.* to William Yonge, esq. of Castleton.
12. Anne, married to Richard Strode, esq. of Chalmington.

II. Robert of Wiscomb, in Devon, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Humphrey Prideaux, esq. of Thewborough, and had, with other children,

Robert, Henry, } both distinguished military men; the elder a colonel, the younger a captain, who fell in the defence of Ostend.

III. RICHARD.

The third son,

RICHARD DRAKE, esq. who was one of the equerries to *Queen* ELIZABETH, *m.* Ursula, daughter of Sir William Stafford, knt. and dying 11th July, 1603, was *s.* by his son,

FRANCIS DRAKE, esq. of Esher, one of the gentlemen of the privy chamber in ordinary, who espoused Joan, daughter of William Tothill, esq. of Shardeloes, in the county of Buckingham, and had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir), his heir.

John, *d.* unmarried in 1623.

Francis, of Walton-on-Thames, who *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Alexander Denton, and secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Sir William Spring, bart. of Pakenham Hall, in the county of Suffolk, by this lady he had a son,

WILLIAM (Sir), who succeeded his uncle.

Joan.

Mr. Drake *d.* 17th March, 1633, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM DRAKE, of Shardeloes, *b.* in 1606. This gentleman, who was chirographer to the court of Common Pleas, was created a BARONET in 1641. He died unmarried in 1669, when the title became EXTINCT, and the estates passed to his nephew,

SIR WILLIAM DRAKE, knt. of Shardeloes, M.P. for the borough of Agmondesham, who *m.* Elizabeth, second daughter and co-heiress of William Montague, Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, and had (with other children who died all young),

MONTAGUE, his heir.

Mary, *m.* to Sir John Tyrwhitt, bart. of Stainfield, (his second wife).

Sir William *d.* in 1690, and was *s.* by his son,

MONTAGUE DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes,

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* The other co-heirs were:—

1. Aubrey, *m.* first, to Sir Francis Anderson, and secondly to Francis, Earl of Chichester.
2. Jane, *m.* to James Ley, Earl of Marlborough.
3. Olivera, *m.* to Endymion Porter, esq.
4. Mary, *m.* to Edward, Lord Howard, of Escrick.
5. Anne, *m.* first, to Mountjoy Blount, Earl of Newport, and secondly, to Thomas Weston, Earl of Portland.—*Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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M.P. for Agmondesham. This gentleman *m.* Jane, daughter and heiress of Sir John Garrard, bart. of Lamer, and left at his decease, in 1698, with a daughter, Mary, *m.* to Sir Edward Everard, bart. a son and heir,

MONTAGUE GARRARD DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes. This gentleman was elected to parliament for Agmondesham in 1713, 1715, and 1727, and he sate for the county of Buckingham in 1722. He wedded Isabella, dau. and heiress of Thomas Marshall, esq. and had issue,

- Montague-Garrard, who died (before his father) without issue, in 1722,
- WILLIAM, heir.
- Thomas, LL.D. in holy orders, *b.* 25th July, 1727, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Isaac Whittington, esq. of Orford House, Essex. Dr. Drake died in 1775.

He died in 1728, and was *s.* by his elder surviving son,

WILLIAM DRAKE, esq. LL.D. of Shardeloes, M.P. for Agmondesham from the year 1746 until his decease. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Raworth, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1757) he had

- William, LL.D., M.P. for Agmondesham, *m.* first, in 1778, Mary, only dau. and heiress of William Hussey, esq. M.P. for Salisbury, and secondly, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Jeremiah Ives, esq. of Norwich, but died issueless, in the lifetime of his father, in 1795.
- THOMAS, heir to his father.
- John, LL.D. in holy orders, rector of Agmondesham, *m.* Mary, eldest dau. and co-heiress of the Rev. William Wickham, of Garsington.
- Henry, died young.
- CHARLES, who inherited the GARRARD estates, and assumed the surname of GARRARD (See DRAKE-GARRARD).
- Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Richard Frank, D.D. rector of Alderton, in Suffolk.
- Katharine, *d.* young.
- Isabel, *d.* unmarried in 1797.

Mr. Drake *d.* 8th August, 1796, aged seventy-two, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

THOMAS DRAKE, esq. LL.D. of Shardeloes, who had assumed in 1776, in accordance with the testamentary injunction of Sir John de la Fountain-Tyrwhitt, bart. the surname and arms of TYRWHITT, but upon inheriting the estates of his own family at the decease of his father, he resumed, in addition, his paternal name, and became TYRWHITT-DRAKE. He *m.* 8th August, 1780, Anne, daughter and co-heiress of the Rev. William Wickham, of Garsington, in the county of Oxford, and had issue,

- THOMAS, his heir.
- William, *m.* Emma, daughter of the late Joseph Halsey, esq. of Gaddesden, Herts.
- John, in holy orders, rector of Amersham, *m.* first, Mary, third daughter of Arthur Annesley, esq. of Bletchingdon, in Oxfordshire, who died in 1827. He espoused secondly, Emily fifth dau. of the late Charles Drake-Garrard, esq. of Lamer Park, Herts.
- George, in holy orders, rector of Malpas, in the county of Chester, *m.* Jane, second daughter of the late Joseph Halsey, esq. of Gaddesden.
- Frederick-William.
- Mary-Frances.
- Anne, *m.* to Hugh Richard Hoare, esq. of Lillingstone, Bucks.
- Louisa-Isabella, *m.* to the Rev. John Anthony Partridge, rector of Cranwich, in the county of Norfolk.

Mr. Tyrwhitt-Drake *d.* in 1810, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present THOMAS TYRWHITT-DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, arg. a wivern, wings displayed, and tail nowed, gules, for DRAKE. Second and third, gules, three tirwhitts, or lapwings, or, for TYRWHITT.

Crests—For DRAKE, a naked dexter hand and arm erect, holding a battle-axe sa. headed arg. For TYRWHITT, a savage man ppr. cinctured and wreathed vert, holding in both hands a club.

Estates—In the parish of Amersham, Great and Little Messenden, Bucks; Malpas, Cheshire; Stainfield, Aylesby, and Croft, Lincolnshire; St. Donat's Castle, in the county of Glamorgan.

Town Residence—29, Belgrave Square.

Seat—Shardeloes, Amersham, Bucks.

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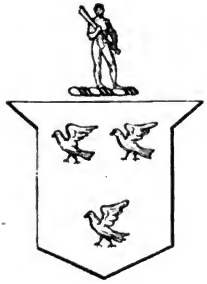
TYRWHITT, OF NANTYR.

TYRWHITT, RICHARD, esq. of Nantyr, in the county of Denbigh, a deputy-lieutenant for that shire, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Jonathan Lipyeatt, rector of Great Hallingbury, in Essex, and had issue,



1. Robert-Philip, barrister-at-law, who *m.* in 1824, Catherine-Wigley, eldest daughter of Henry St. John, esq. son of the Hon. and Very Rev. St. Andrew St. John, Dean of Worcester, by whom he has two sons, Richard-St. John and Beauchamp.
2. Thomas, in holy orders, M.A. rector of Whitchurch, and vicar of Turnworth, in Dorsetshire, and a prebendary of New Sarum.
3. Richard-Edmund.
4. Henry.
5. Percy.
6. William.
7. Septimus.
8. Harriet-Anne.
9. Eliza.
10. Emily.
11. Louisa-Stanley.

Mr. Tyrwhitt is a barrister-at-law, and recorder of Chester.

Lineage.

This family, styled by Camden in his *Brittania* "the honorable and ancient house of Tyrwhitts, knts.," has been seated for several centuries in the north of England. The first person of the name of whom we have any certain account is a Sir Herculus, who is said (on the authority of the Vincent and Harleian MSS.) to have been knighted and settled in Northumberland 2nd William I. Himself, or his son, bearing the same name, married a daughter of Sir Thomas Scargill, knt. and was living A.D. 1109, 10th Henry I. This Sir Hercules is stated to have thus acquired the surname of Tyrwhitt. Severely wounded in defending a bridge, single handed, against numerous assailants, at the moment he had succeeded in forcing them to retire, he fell exhausted amongst the flags and rushes of an adjoining swamp, while the attention of his party, who in the interim had rallied, was fortunately directed to the spot where he lay by a flock of lapwings (or as called in some counties *tyrwhits*) screaming and hovering above, as is customary with those birds when disturbed in the vicinity of their nests. Camden, however, in his Remains derives the name from the place so called. The son of Sir Hercules

Sir Robert Tyrwhitt, was Lord of Tyrwhitt and Assancke, in Northumberland. He wedded a daughter of Sir John Witherington, and from this marriage descended, through a line of progenitors who allied with the Umfravilles, Lowthers, Harbottles, Ogles, Vauxes, of Gillesland, Nevilles, &c.

Robert Tyrwhitt, grandson of Sir Oliver, who was grandson of Sir Hercules. This gentleman, who is described (Harl. MSS. 810) as "Robertus Tyrwhit arm de Ketilby, com. Linc. ac Tyrwhitt com. Northumbria," is mentioned in several of the MSS. sometimes as of Tyrwhitt and at others as of Ketilby. He *m.* Anne, daughter of William Wycliffe, esq. of Wycliffe, a (sister or cousin of the celebrated John Wycliffe, who was succeeded in the mastership of Baliol College, Oxford, by Thomas Tyrwhitt, a cadet of the family,) and had two sons,

Thomas, of Tyrwhitt, who *m.* a daughter of Alan de Boisterick, and was ancestor of the Tyrwhitts, of Northumberland.

William (Sir).

The second son,

Sir William Tyrwhitt, of Ketilby, in the county of Lincoln, is described in the Harleian MSS. No. 1550, as "Primarius

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Justicianus Angliæ," but of Sir William's being invested with the chief-justiceship we have no other authority. He *m.* the daughter and heiress of John Grovale, esq. of Harpewell, in Lincolnshire, and had (with a daughter, Cecilia, who wedded Sir William Newport, knt. and became, after her husband's death, abbess of Ipswich) a son and successor,

SIR ROBERT TYRWHITT, knt. of Ketilby, who was one of the judges of the court of King's Bench, in the reigns of HENRY IV., V., and VI.; his patents, four in number, are dated 8th HENRY IV., 1st HENRY V., 1st HENRY VI., and may be found in *Calendarium Patentium, Turri Londinensi.* He is named among the "*Tireurs* des Peticions" to parliament either for England or Gascony and Aquitaine, for every parliament between 9th Henry IV. and 7th Henry VI. That the boldness of the feudal chief, however, strongly predominated in the character of this learned functionary over the meekness of the Christian judge, appears too evident by the following curious extract from Cotton's Records. "13 HENRY IV., William Lord Rosse, of Famlake, complayneth against Robert Tirwhitt, one of the justices of the King's Bench, for withholding from him the manor of Molton Rosse, in Lincolnshire, and laying wait for the sayd Lord Rosse with the number of 500 men. Sir Robert Tirwhitt before the kynge confesseth his fault and craveth pardon, and offeringe to stand to by order of two lords of the kindred of the sayd Lord Rosse as they should choose, whereunto the kynge agreed, and the sayd Lord Rosse chose the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Lord Grey, chamberlaine to the kynge, who made alonge award leaving the right of common of pasture in Wragby in com. Linc. to the determination of Sir William Gascoigne, chief-justice, and it was enjoigned to the said Sir Robert Tirwhitt that at a day certaine he shod repair at Molton Rosse 2 tunnes of Gascoigne wyne, 2 fatt oxen, and 12 fatt sheepes, and offer reparation. And that he should bring together all knights, esquires, and yeomen, that were of his own, and that they shod all confess their fault and crave pardon, and further offer to the sayd Lord Rosse 500 markes in money, and that the sayde Lorde Rosse should refuse the money, graunt him pardon, and take his dinner only." The whole of the proceedings in this matter, from their commencement by the petition of William Lord Roos to the award of the arbitrators above mentioned, are recorded at great length in the rolls of parliament 13 Henry IV. The details are very curious and throw much light on the manners of that day. The award is an object of particular interest to the philological antiquarian, as being almost the earliest specimen, on record, of English as a written language.

This feud between the families of Rosse (or Roos) and Tyrwhitt continued up to the time of JAMES I. who on the occasion of several lives being lost on both sides in a casual rencontre during a hunting party, caused a gallows to be erected at Molton Rosse, near Belvoir, declaring that he would hang the first like offender on it. This gallows is said to be renewed from time to time, up to the present day, whenever it falls into decay.* Sir Robert had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir), his heir.

John, of Harpswell, who *m.* the daughter and heiress of Sir — Rolleston, knt. and had four daughters, of whom Elizabeth, espoused John Whichcote, of Whichcote, in Shropshire.

Katherine, *m.* to Sir John Griffith, knt.

Maud, *m.* to Sir William de Montresor.

The elder son,

SIR WILLIAM TYRWHITT, knt. of Ketilby, shared in the glories of Agincourt,† and received by royal grant, 8th HENRY V. the Bailiwick of three towns in France; in this grant he is styled "toutissimo dilecto militi meo Willö Tyrwhit." Sir William, who was likewise appointed in the 1st HENRY VI. Seneschal, of certain castles and parks in the county of Lincoln, founded the hospitals of Wranby and Glanford Brigg, in that shire, and the Chauntry and Chapelry of Higham, in Essex; was sheriff for Yorkshire, 14th HENRY VI. and one of the Knights of the Body to that monarch. He was *s.* at his demise, 29th HENRY VI. by his son,

ADAM TYRWHITT, esq. of Ketilby, sometimes styled Sir Adam, knt. This gentleman wedded, first, a dau. of John, second Lord Lumley, and secondly, a dau. of Sir William Newport, knt. by Cecilia, daughter of Sir William Tyrwhitt. His son and successor,

SIR ROBERT TYRWHITT, knt. of Ketilby, received a general pardon, 34th HENRY VI. for all offences he might have committed, and died 36th HENRY VI. possessed of three manors in the county of York, and fifteen in the county of Lincoln, (sic inquis: post mortem) besides divers manors, lands, advowsons, &c. in Nottinghamshire, Essex, Sussex, and London. Sir Robert *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Richard Waterton, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM TYRWHITT, of Ketilby, who acquired by grant, from RICHARD III. the

* "Gough's Camden," vol. ii. p. 388. "History of Lincolnshire," 1826; and "Gent's Magazine," part I. A.D. 1799.

† Nicholas's "Agincourt."

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Bailiwick and Lordship of Scotter, and though "Armiger de personâ" to that monarch, he received a general pardon from HENRY VII. and was subsequently, for his distinguished valor at the battles of Stoke and Blackheath, made successively a knight and a banneret. He espoused Anna, dau. of Sir Robert Constable, knt. of Flamborough, and had issue,

ROBERT (Sir), his heir.
Philip (Sir), knt. banneret, living 23rd HENRY VIII.
Edward, Thomas, Humphrey, John, } who all died *s. p.*
Agnes, *m.* to Thomas, Lord Burgh, K.G.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir William Skipwith, knt.

Sir William, who was thrice sheriff for Lincolnshire, viz. 22nd EDWARD IV. 16th HENRY VII. and 8th HENRY VIII. was *s.* at his decease in 1522, by his eldest son,

SIR ROBERT TYRWHITT, knt. of Ketilby, grantee of Cameringham and Stainfield, at which latter place he built the mansion bearing that name, long the residence of the Stainfield branch of the Tyrwhitts, its first baronets. This gentleman, vice-admiral of England, and a banneret, was seneschal of the priory of Newstead, as also of Elsham, and bailiff of Barton on Humber, 26th HENRY VIII.* He *m.* Maud, daughter of Sir Robert Tailboys, of Goulton, and had issue,

WILLIAM (Sir), his heir.
Robert (Sir), of Leighton Bromswould, in Herts, one of the ecclesiastic commissioners for Lincolnshire, 26th HENRY VIII. who received large grants in the counties of York, Lincoln, Herts, Essex, and Sussex. Sir Robert was sometime Master of the Horse to Queen MARY. He wedded Elizabeth,† daughter of Sir Edward Oxenbridge, second son of Sir Goddard Oxenbridge, sometime governess to the Princess Elizabeth, by whom he had an only daughter and heiress, who *m.* Sir Henry D'Arcy, knt. and predeceased her father, *s. p.* in 1507.
Philip, of Barton on Humber, who *m.* the daughter and co-heir of Edward Burnaby, esq. of Barton, and from this alliance sprang the TYRWHITTS of Stainfield, baronets, (so created 29th June, 1611) which family is now extinct, but the estates have passed by will to the Drakes, of Shardeloes, and are now enjoyed by the present THOMAS TYRWHITT-DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes, see p. 580.

Sir Robert's eldest son and heir,

SIR WILLIAM TYRWHITT, knt. seneschal of the priory of Gaykewell, served the office of sheriff for Lincolnshire, 28th HENRY VIII. and, with his brother Robert, was one of the ecclesiastical commissioners for that county, in the 26th of the same reign. Sir William, who obtained large grants from the crown at the dissolution of the monasteries, married a daughter of Sir Robert Girlington, of Normanby, and predeceasing his father in 1541, left issue,

I. ROBERT (Sir), of Ketilby, who raised and led 250 of his tenantry with the army sent against the rebel earls, 13th ELIZABETH. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir Thomas Oxenbridge, son and heir of Sir Goddard Oxenbridge, by Elizabeth, his wife, the sole daughter and heiress of Sir Thomas Echingham, of Echingham, and was succeeded at his decease in 1581, by his eldest son,
   WILLIAM TYRWHITT, esq. of Ketilby, who wedded a daughter of Peter Freschville, esq. of Stayvely, in Derbyshire, and was *s.* by his son,
   ROBERT TYRWHITT, esq. of Ketilby, who *m.* Bridget, daughter of John Manners, fourth earl of Rutland, and left a son and successor,
   WILLIAM TYRWHITT, esq. of Ketilby, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Anthony Brown, Viscount

* About this period the BEVERLEY branch of the TYRWHITTS, descended from Adam Tyrwhitt, second son of Brian Tyrwhitt, of Tyrwhitt, and in the fourth degree from Sir Hercules, became EXTINCT, the great part of their possessions in the counties of York and Lincoln devolving on the Tyrwhitts of Ketilby. A WILLIAM TYRWHITT, of this branch, afterwards Sir William, who married a daughter of John Lord Lumley, was at Agincourt, with three archers; he was son of Robert Tyrwhitt, of Beverley, who died 6th January, 1427, two years before his contemporary, Sir Robert Tyrwhitt, of Ketilby. It appears too that soon after the first Sir William Tyrwhite described as "Primarius Justiciarius Angliae," settled at Ketilby, that the lordship of Tyrwhitt, in Northumberland, was usurped by a prior of the order of Knights Hospitallers of St. John, of Jerusalem; it shortly after came into the possession of the Ogles, who were connected with the Tyrwhitts.

† This lady was the author of a small volume o "Morning and Evening Praiers, with divers Psalmes, Himnes, and Meditations. Lond. 1574.' This little book was so highly valued by Queen Elizabeth, that she had a copy of it bound in solid gold. "Watt's Biographical Dictionary."

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Montague, and was *s.* at his decease, by his eldest surviving son,

FRANCIS TYRWHITT, esq. of Ketilby, who died in 1673, leaving an only daughter and heiress,

CATHERINE TYRWHITT, who espoused Sir Henry Hunloke, bart. of Wingerworth, and the great-great grandson of this marriage is the present

SIR HENRY HUNLOKE, bart. of Wingerworth, who thus represents the eldest or Ketilby branch of the TYRWHITTS.

II. William, who died *s. p.*

III. Tristram, of Granby, in Lincolnshire, who was "camp maister" to the army marching northwards to quell the rebel earls of Northumberland and Westmoreland. He *m.* a daughter of Sir William Skipwith, knt. by Alice, his wife, daughter of Sir Lionel Dymock, knt. (*see p.* 34.) but died *s. p.* Sir Tristram was author of "a treatise on the duty of a commander in chief."

IV. MARMADUKE, of whom we are about to treat.

V. Elizabeth, *m.* to Humphrey Littlebury, of Stainsby.

VI. Faith, *m.* first, to Ambrose Sutton, esq. of Barton, and secondly, to Lawrence Meers, esq.

VII. Troth, *m.* to Godfrey Foljambe, esq.

The fourth son of Sir Willian Tyrwhitt,

MARMADUKE TYRWHITE, esq. of Scotter, espoused Ellen, third daughter of Lionel Reresby, esq. of Thribourg, in the county of York, by whom he left at his demise in 1599, a son and heir,

ROBERT TWYRWHITT, esq. of Scotter, and afterwards of Cameringham, in the county of Lincoln, who was sheriff for Lincolnshire, 9th JAMES I. This gentleman wedded Anne, daughter of Edward Basset,* esq. of Fledborough, in Nottinghamshire, and had (with other children, who died young)

I. MARMADUKE, his heir.

II. Robert, who was for two and thirty years in the service of CHARLES I. He was eldest Esquire of the Horse, Master of the Buckhounds, and with Sir C. Clerk, Ranger of the New-forest. He followed the fortunes of that ill-fated monarch to the last, and when the momentary ascendancy of the Regicides had sullied their country with the blood of his master, he did not long survive. The broken cavalier lingered unmolested by Cromwell, at Hampton Court, but for two years. He *d.* in January, 1651, and was buried in Hampton Church, where a monument is erected to his memory.

III. William, who predeceased his father.

IV. Edmund, gentleman pensioner in ordinary to CHARLES I.

V. Francis, who was in his youth cupbearer to the queen of Bohemia, sister to Charles I. and accompanying her to her husband's court, was present at most of the great battles of that period on the continent. In 1631, having the king's commission for that purpose, he raised 1500 men for the service of Gustavus Adolphus, and in 1632, when upon the retirement of the marquis of Hamilton from the command of Gustavus' English and Scottish forces, his successor, the duke of Saxe Weimar, had reformed the 6000 British into two regiments, Lieutenant Colonel Francis Tyrwhitt, was by Gustavus' desire appointed to the command of the first. In November, of the same year, a few days before the battle of Lutzen, he was taken prisoner by the imperialists whilst on a reconnoitering party with Gustavus, and was thus debarred from sharing the honours of that fatal day. He escaped after the action. In 1642 he joined King Charles, at York, with 155 men, and in the same year was appointed to a principal command in the wars in Ireland, where he died in 1643, and was buried in Christ Church, Cork.

VI. Thomas, "Divine and Chaplain" to King CHARLES I.

VII. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Ferdinando Lee.

The eldest son and successor,

MARMADUKE TYRWHITT, esq. of Cameringham, *b.* in 1588, espoused Mary Haggerston, and dying in 1631, was *s.* by his eldest son,

CECIL TYRWHITT, esq. of Cameringham, who *m.* Anne, Townshend, and was *s.* at his demise in 1694, by his son,

ROBERT TYRWHITT, esq. of Cameringham. This gentleman wedded Ellen, daughter of Thomas Lyster, esq. of Coleby, and had issue,

* "The Bassets," to follow the words of a quaint inscription in Cameringham, "were also in their generations of great authority, having been barons and allied to the crown, and companions of the order of the Garter."

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THOMAS, who succeeded his father at Cameringham. This gentleman, who embraced the Catholic religion, died unmarried at Paris in 1755, having alienated his paternal estates.
ROBERT, of whom presently.
Marmaduke, who *d.* in 1699.
Frances.
Elizabeth.
Mary.
Anne.

The second son,

THE REV. ROBERT TYRWHITT, D. D. was canon of Windsor, rector of St. James's, Westminster, and of Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, canon residentiary of St. Paul's, and archdeacon of London. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund Gibson, D.D. bishop of London, by his wife, Margaret, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. John Jones, D.D. rector of Selatyn, in the county of Salop, and had (with two daughters, who *d.* young) five sons, viz.

I. THOMAS, M.A. F.R.S. F.S.A. who inherited the wreck of his uncle Thomas's fortune. This gentleman was a distinguished member of the literary as well as polite world. The most eminent scholars of this country and of the continent united in bearing a willing testimony to the vast extent of his literary attainments. His best works are his "Notes on Shakespeare," his "Chaucer," and his "Aristotle's Poetics." These last were published after his death (from the manuscript found among his papers) by the University of Oxford. The first edition, consisting of a limited number in folio, was, with a few exceptions, presented to crowned heads. Mr. Tyrwhitt died unmarried in August, 1786, and was buried in the Chapel Royal, Windsor.

II. Edmund, in holy orders, rector of Bishop's Wickham, vicar of Bromfield, in Essex, and prebendary of Chiswick, in St. Paul's, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Gilbert, esq. brother to the then archbishop of York, and dying 6th January, 1785, left issue,

THOMAS (Sir), sometime lord warden of the Stanneries, and vice admiral of the counties of Devon and Cornwall, and private secretary to his late Majesty, *King* GEORGE IV. when Prince of Wales. He represented Plymouth in several successive Parliaments, and was constituted in 1812, gentleman usher of the black rod, an appointment he retained until the summer of 1832. Sir Thomas, who had several foreign orders of knighthood, died unmarried, in 1833.

Edmund, formerly in the life-guards, who died unmarried, in 1826.

III. Robert, in holy orders, M.A. a considerable benefactor to Jesus College, Cambridge, of which he was sometime fellow. He founded four Hebrew scholarships there, and died unmarried, in 1817, aged 82.

IV. William, a military officer, who was killed at the siege of Louisburgh.

V. JOHN, of whom presently.

Dr. Tyrwhitt died in 1740, and lies interred in the Chapel Royal, Windsor. His fifth and youngest son,

JOHN TYRWHITT, esq. captain R.N. sometime of Wallingford, and afterwards of Netherclay House, in the county of Somerset, espoused Katherine, only daughter and heiress of the very Rev. Penyston Booth, D.D. dean of Windsor and Wolverhampton, and died in June, 1812, having had issue,

I. THOMAS (Sir), who assumed, in compliance with the testamentary injunction of his maternal cousin, Sir Thomas Jones, of Stanley Hall, the surname and arms of that family, and was created a BARONET in 1808. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

II. John, of Worcester, sometime marshal to the Admiralty at Gibraltar, who *m.* the daughter of the late *Honourable Champion* DYMOKE, and has had,

John, who died unmarried, in 1824.

James-Bradshaw, in holy orders, who *m.* in 1827, Anne, only daughter of James Barrett, esq. of Bushey, Herts.

Martha-Sophia, relict of Captain Walker, of Fermoy, Ireland.

III. RICHARD, the present RICHARD TYRWHITT, esq. of Nantyr.

IV. Elizabeth, who died unmarried, in 1812.

V. Catherine.

VI. Margaret.

VII. Frances.

Arms—Gu. three tirwhitts or lapwings or.

Crest—A savage man ppr. cinctured and wreathed vert, holding in both hands a club.

Motto—Me stante virebunt.

Estate—Nantyr, Denbighshire.

Seat—Nantyr, Denbighshire.

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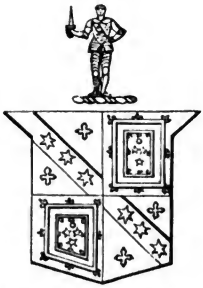
AYNSLEY, OF LITTLE HARLE TOWER.

AYNSLEY, JOHN MURRAY, esq. of Little Harle Tower, in the county of Northumberland, *b.* 2nd June, 1795, *m.* 24th June, 1820, Emma-Sarah, youngest daughter of Samuel Peach-Peach, esq. of Tockington, in Gloucestershire, by whom he has issue,

CHARLES-MURRAY, *b.* 21st September, 1821.
James-Murray, *b.* 18th June, 1823.
John-Cruger-Murray, *b.* 21st February, 1825.
George-Herbert-Murray, *b.* 4th September, 1826.

Mr. Aynsley *s.* his father in 1803. He is in the commission of the peace for Northumberland.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the ducal house of ATHOLL, springing from

JOHN, THIRD DUKE OF ATHOLL, who *m.* Lady Charlotte Murray, only surviving child of James, second Duke of Atholl, and had, with other issue,

JOHN, the eldest son, who succeeded as fourth duke, and was father, inter alios, of

JOHN, present and fifth duke (See *Burke's Peerage*).

James, present Lord Glenlyon (See *Burke's Peerage*).

CHARLES, the youngest son, of whom we are about to treat.

The youngest son,

THE REV. LORD CHARLES MURRAY, *b.* in 1771, was installed in 1803, Dean of Bocking, in Essex, where he entertained LOUIS XVIII. and his suite. His lordship espoused, 18th June, 1793, Alice, daughter of George Mitford, esq. and heiress of her great-uncle, Gawen Aynsley, esq. upon which marriage he assumed, by sign manual, the surname of AYNSLEY only, and the arms of that family quarterly with his own. He had issue,

JOHN-MURRAY, his heir.

Charlotte, *m.* in 1812, to Lieutenant-General Sir John Oswald, G.C.B. and *d.* in 1827.

Atholl-Keturah, *m.* in 1826, to Sir H. Oakeley, bt. prebendary of St. Paul's and dean of Bocking, and has issue.

Elizabeth-Ann.

Lord Charles Aynsley *d.* in 1808, and was interred in the church at Bocking. His son and successor is the present JOHN-MURRAY AYNSLEY, esq. of Little Harle Tower.

FAMILY OF AYNSLEY.

ROBERT AYNSLEY, of West Shaftoe, *m.* a daughter of Fenwick, of Little Harle, and had a son and heir,

WILLIAM AYNSLEY, of West Shaftoe, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Guy Delaval, of Horton, and had two sons, viz.

1. GUY, of West Shaftoe, who *m.* Grace, daughter of William Shaftoe, of Bavington, and was father of

WILLIAM AYNSLEY, esq. who *m.* Marian, dau. of Thomas Swinburne, of Capheaton, and had issue,

WILLIAM, who *d. s. p.* in 1615.

Marian, who compounded with Gawen Aynsley for her right of inheritance. She wedded William Tempest, of Thornley, in Durham.

2. GAWEN.

The second son,

GAWEN AYNSLEY, esq. was living in 1615,

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heir male of this house. He espoused Isabella, daughter of Gawen Rutherford, of Rutchester, and had, *inter alios*, a son,

GAWEN AYNSLEY, esq. styled of "Aynsley Hall," in 1628, father of

GAWEN AYNSLEY, esq. of Harnham, who *m.* in 1663, Margaret, daughter of Bartholomew Atkinson, and had

BARTHOLOMEW, who *d.* unmarried in 1669, *v. p.*
GAWEN, heir.
Margaret, *m.* — Vanghan.
Jane, *d.* unmarried.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Aynsley is described of "Little Harle," in his will, which was proved 13th October, 1671, and wherein he directs his body to be buried in Hartburn church. His eldest surviving son,

GAWEN AYNSLEY, esq. *b.* in 1669, had by his father's will Little Harle, Harelaw, Harnham, and the mortgage of a house in Newcastle. He *m.* first, Jane, daughter of William Ogle, esq. of Cawsey Park, and had by her an only daughter,

JANE, who *m.* John Thirelkeld, of Trittington, and dying in 1743, left a daughter,

MARY THIRELKELD, who wedded in 1764, George Mitford, esq. and was mother of

ALICIA MITFORD, devisee of her great-uncle. This lady *m.* LORD CHARLES MURRAY, as before stated.

Mr. Aynsley *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, dau. of Roger Fenwick, esq. of Stanton, and relict of William Fenwick, esq. of Bywell, by whom he had no issue, and thirdly, Mary, daughter of Nicholas Ridley, esq. of Newcastle and Heaton, and had

Nicholas, who predeceased his father.
GAWEN, heir.
John, *b.* in 1712, in holy orders, A.M., fellow of University College, Oxford, and chaplain to Lord Talbot. He *d.* unmarried in 1744.
William, *b.* in 1715, who *d.* chief-justice of Jersey, in 1758.
Martha, } both *d.* unmarried.
Margaret, }
Mary, *m.* to John Reed, esq. of Chepchase.

Mr. Aynsley *d.* in 1750, aged eighty, having been for sixty years in the commission of the peace. His eldest son and heir,

GAWEN AYNSLEY, esq. of Little Harle, baptized in 1710, was high-sheriff for Northumberland in 1749, an active magistrate, and many years chairman of the quarter sessions of the county. He *d.* in 1792, leaving no issue by his wife, Alicia, dau. of James Ibbertson, esq. of Leeds, when he devised his estates to his great-niece, ALICIA MITFORD, above mentioned.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, gu. on a bend ermine, between two quatrefoils or, three mullets of six points azure, for AYNSLEY. Second and third, azure, three mullets arg. within a double tressure, flory counterflory or, for MURRAY.

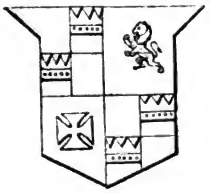
Crest—A man in armour, holding in the dexter hand a sword erect, ppr. hilted and pomelled or, and in the sinister a shield gu. charged with a bend arg. thereon three mullets of six points azure.

Estates—In Northumberland.

Seat—Little Harle Tower.

GATAKER, OF MILDENHALL.

GATAKER THOMAS, esq. *m.* Mary, daughter of John Swale, esq. of Mildenhall, in Suffolk, and has two surviving sons, viz.



WILLIAM.
George, *m.* Elizabeth-Harrison, third dau. of Thomas Wilkinson, esq. and has a daughter,
Elizabeth-Mary.

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Lineage.

This is a branch of a very ancient and eminent Shropshire family. See vol. iii. p. 525.

JOHN GATTACRE, of Gattacre, lineally descended from Stephen de Gattacre, living *temp.* HEN. III. *m.* Jocosa, daughter of Sir John Burley, knt. of Bomcroft Castle, sheriff of Salop in 1409, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GATTACRE, of Gattacre, who sat in parliament for Bridgnorth 12th EDWARD IV. He *m.* Joan, daughter of Nicholas Yonge, of Caynton in Salop, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GATTACRE, of Gattacre, who *m.* first Eleanor, daughter of John Acton, esq.; and secondly Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Adam Bostock. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT GATTACRE, of Gattacre, who *m.* Joanna, daughter of John Hoord, of Bridgnorth, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Francis.

Margery, *m.* to William Midlemore.
Maria, *m.* to John Wolryche, of Dudmaston.
Jane, *m.* to John Whitton, esq. of Whitton.

Robert Gattacre was *s.* in 1509 by his elder son,

WILLIAM GATACRE, of Gatacre, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of William Mytton, esq. and had, with other issue, two sons,

FRANCIS, who inherited Gatacre, and *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Humphrey Swinnerton, esq. of Swinnerton, in the county of Stafford, and *d.* 19th June, 1599. From this marriage lineally descends the present EDWARD GATACRE, esq. of Gatacre. See vol. iii. p. 525.
Thomas.

The younger son,

The Rev. THOMAS GATACRE, was rector of St. Edmund's, Lombard Street, London. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of — Pigot, esq. of the county of Hertford, and had issue,

THOMAS, in holy orders, his successor.
George.
Henry.
Anna.
Elizabeth.
Sarah.

Of this reverend and eminent person, Fuller, in his Worthies of Shropshire, thus speaks:—"Thomas Gataker was a branch of an ancient family so planted, by Divine Providence, at Gatacre Hall, in this county, (Shropshire) that they have flourished the owners thereof, by a non-interrupted succession, from the time of *King* EDWARD *the Confessor*. This Thomas, being designed a student for the law, was brought up in the Temple; where, in the reign of *Queen* MARY, he was often present at the examination of persecuted people. Their hard usage made him pity their persons and admirable patience, and to approve their opinions. This was no sooner perceived by his parents (being of the old persuasion) but instantly they sent him over to Louvaine in the Low Countries, to win him to a compliance to the popish religion, and for his better encouragement, settled on him an estate of one hundred pounds per annum, old rent. All would not do. Whereupon his father recalled him home, and revoked his own grant, to which his son did submit, as unwilling to oppose the pleasure of his parents, though no such revokation could take effect without his free consent. He afterwards devoted his mind from the most profitable to the most necessary study: from law to divinity; and finding friends to breed him in Oxford, he became the profitable pastor of St. Edmund's, in Lombard Street, London, where he died anno 1593, leaving Thomas Gataker, his learned son, heir to his paynes and piety."—The said

THOMAS GATAKER, who was also a churchman, was rector of Rotherhithe, and B. D. of the university of Cambridge. He was *b.* 4th September, 1574. He *m.* four times. viz. first, Mrs. Cupper, a widow, but had no surviving issue; secondly, a daughter of the Rev. Charles Vinner, and had a son,

CHARLES, in holy orders, his successor.

Thirdly, Dorothy, daughter of George Farwell, esq. of Hilbishop, in Somersetshire, and sister of Sir George and Sir John Farwell, by whom (who *d.* 1627) he had two daughters,

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Draper, esq.
Esther.

Fourthly, Elizabeth, but had no other issue. He *d.* 29th July, 1654, (having been forty years rector of Rotherhithe) and was *s.* by his son,

The Rev.

CHARLES GATAKER, M.A. rector of Hog-

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gerston, in the county of Bucks. This gentleman *m.* twice, and had issue by his first wife,

Charles, named in his grandfather's will, anno 1654.
THOMAS, of whom presently.
Bernard, *b.* in 1651.
William.
John.
Joseph.

By his second wife he had a son, George, and a daughter, Elizabeth, who both died issueless. He *d.* in 1680. The second son of the first marriage,

The Rev.

THOMAS GATAKER, rector of Hoggerston, *m.* Barbara, daughter of Sir Thomas Hebblethwaite, of Norton, in the county of York, and had issue,

EDWARD.
Charles.
Thomas.
George, *m.* — daughter of — Nash, esq. and had issue.
William, *b.* 1691, *m.* Anne, eldest daughter of James Willet.
Barbara, *m.* first, to John Pitcairn, of London, merchant, and had a daughter, Barbara, *m.* to Thomas Carter, of Dunton, Bucks. Mrs. Pitcairn espoused secondly, — Withers, esq. of Kent.
Frances, *m.* to the Rev. Benjamin Reynolds, rector of Hoggerston, and left at her decease in 1715, a son,
Benjamin Reynolds, in holy orders, rector of Hoggerston.

Mr. Gataker *d.* in 1701, and was interred in the church of Hoggerston, where an inscription is engraved to his memory. He was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD GATAKER, esq. *b.* in 1684, who was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GATAKER, esq. who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Hill, esq. of Court of Hill, in the county of Salop, and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Anne.

He was *s.* at his decease by his son, the present Thomas Gataker, esq. of Mildenhall.

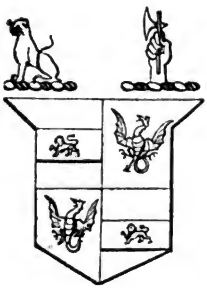
Arms—First, quarterly, gu. and ermine, in the second and third quarters, three piles issuing from the chief and pointing to the base, of the first, and on a fess az. five bezants. Second, arg. a lion rampant per fess sa. and gu. Third, arg. a cross pattée fleury, at the ends sa.

Seat—Mildenhall, Suffolk.

DRAKE-GARRARD, OF LAMER.

GARRARD-DRAKE, CHARLES-BENET, esq. of Lamer, in the county of Herts, *b.* 14th February, 1806, succeeded to the estates on the decease of his father, in July, 1817.

Lineage.



This family, originally called ATTEGARE, derives its descent from

ALURED ATTEGARE, who was seated at Sittingbourne, in Kent. He was father of

SIR SIMON ATTEGARE, knt. whose son,

STEPHEN ATTEGARE, alias GARRARD, was great-great-great grandfather of

SIR WILLIAM GARRARD, knt. of Dorney, in the county of Bucks, lord mayor of London in 1555. This gentleman wedded Isabel, daughter and co-heir of Julius Nethermill, esq. of Coventry, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM (Sir), his heir.
II. George, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of George Dacres, esq. of Cheshunt,

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by whom he had one son and two daughters, viz.

George, who *d. s. p.*

Anne, *m.* to Sir Dudley Carleton, of Brightwell, who was subsequently elevated to the peerage as LORD CARLETON, of Imbercourt.

Frances, *m.* to Sir Richard Harrison, knt. of Hurst.

iii. JOHN (Sir), heir to his eldest brother.

iv. Peter.

v. Anne, *m.* to Sir George Barne, knt. lord mayor of London, and had issue, *(see page 139.)*

Sir William died in 1571, and was buried in St. Magnus Church, London. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM GARRARD, knt. of Dorney, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Roe, lord mayor of London, by Mary, his wife, daughter of Sir John Gresham, knt. of London, but dying in 1607, without surviving male issue, he was *s.* by his brother,

SIR JOHN GARRARD, knt. who was sheriff of London in 1593, and lord mayor in 1601. He *m.* Jane, daughter of Richard Partridge, citizen of London, and had, with five other children, who all died *s. p.*

JOHN (Sir), his heir.

Benedict.

Anne, *m.* to Sir John Read, of Wranghill, in Lincolnshire.

Elizabeth.

Ursula, *m.* to Francis Hamby, esq. of the county of Lincoln.

—— *m.* to Sir George Sams.

—— *m.* to — Lyndley, esq.

—— *m.* to — Robinson, esq. of Tottenham.

Sir John died 7th May, 1625, and lies interred in St. Magnus Church, where a handsome monument is erected to his memory His son and heir,

SIR JOHN GARRARD, of Lamer, was advanced to the dignity of a BARONET, 19th JAMES I. and served the office of sheriff for Herts, in the 19th, 20th, and 21st of the following reign. He wedded, first, in 1611, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir Edward Barkham, knt. lord mayor of London, by whom (who died in 1632) he had, with other issue,

JOHN (Sir), his heir.

Jane, *m.* to Sir Justinian Isham, of Lamport.

Sir John *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, relict of Sir Moulton Lambard, knt. of Sevenoak, but had no further issue. He was *s.* at his demise, by his son,

SIR JOHN GARRARD, second baronet of Lamer. This gentleman espoused Jane, daughter of Sir Moulton Lambard, knt. of Sevenoak, and had issue,

JOHN (Sir), his heir.

SAMUEL (Sir), successor to his brother.

Nethermill.

Edward.

Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Sir Nicholas Gould, bart. and secondly, to Thomas Neale, esq.

Jane, *m.* to Sir Thomas Spencer, bart. of Yarrington.

—— *m.* to Anthony Farringdon, esq. serjeant-at-law.

Rachael, *m.* to Richard Emmerton, esq. of Mackeryend, Herts.

Sir John died in 1686, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN GARRARD, third baronet, of Lamer, who espoused Katherine, daughter and co-heiress of Sir James Enyon, knt. of Flore, in Northamptonshire, and relict of Sir George Boswell, bart. of Clipston, by whom he left an only daughter and heiress,

JANE, who wedded Montague Drake, esq. of Shardeloes, M.P. for Agmondesham, and left, at her decease, in 1724, (with a daughter, Mary, *m.* to Sir Edmond Everard, bart.) a son,

MONTAGUE-GARRARD DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes, M.P. for Agmondesham, in 1713, 1715, and 1727, and for the county of Bucks, in 1722. He *m.* Isabella, daughter and heiress of Thomas Marshall, esq. and dying in 1728, was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM DRAKE, esq. L.L.D. M.P. who wedded in 1746-7, Elizabeth, daughter of John Raworth, esq. and dying in 1796, left (with other issue, for which see *family of Drake, of Shardeloes*) a fifth son,

CHARLES DRAKE, of whom presently, as HEIR to his kinsman, SIR BENET GARRARD, bart.

Sir John died in 1700, and was succeeded by his brother,

SIR SAMUEL GARRARD, fourth baronet, of Lamer, who sate for several years in parliament for the borough of Agmondesham, and was lord mayor of London in 1710. He wedded twice, but left issue only by his second wife, Jane, daughter of Thomas Benet, esq. of Salthorp, in Wilts, three sons, viz.

SAMUEL (Sir), his successor.

Thomas, common serjeant of the City of London, who *m.* Margaret, only daughter of Robert Gay, esq. for-

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merly M.P. for Bath, and died *s. p.* in 1758.

BENET (Sir), heir to his eldest brother. The eldest son,

SIR SAMUEL GARRARD, fifth baronet of Lamer, dying unmarried in 1761, the title devolved on his only surviving brother,

SIR BENET GARRARD, sixth baronet of Lamer, M.P. for Agmondersham, at whose decease unmarried, in 1767, the BARONETCY expired, while the manor and estates of LAMER passed by Sir Benet's will to his cousin,

CHARLES DRAKE, fifth son of WILLIAM DRAKE, esq. of Shardeloes, and great grandson of JANE, only daughter and heiress of SIR JOHN GARRARD, the third baronet of Lamer. This gentleman assumed on inheriting the additional surname and arms of GARRARD. He wedded Anne, fourth daughter of Miles Barne, esq. of Sotterley, and had issue,

CHARLES-BENET, his heir.
Anne.
Charlotte.
Caroline.
Louisa.
Emily, *m.* to the Rev. John Tyrwhitt-Drake, rector of Amersham.

Mr. Drake Garrard, who represented Agmondesham in parliament, in 1796, and 1801, died in July, 1817, and was *s.* by his only son, the present CHARLES-BENET DRAKE-GARRARD, esq. of Lamer.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. on a fess sa. a lion passant of the field. Second and third, arg. a wivern with wings displayed, and tail nowed gu.

Crests—First, a leopard sejant ppr. Second, a naked dexter hand and arm erect, holding a battle axe sa. headed arg.

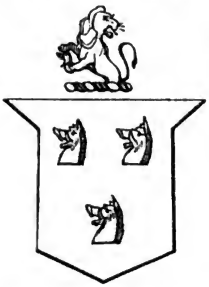
Estate—Lamer, bought by Sir William Garrard, knt. of Sittingbourne, in Kent, in the reign of EDWARD VI.

Town Residence—95, Gloucester Place.

Seat—Lamer Park, Wheathampsted, Herts.

EVANS, OF ASH-HILL AND MILTOWN CASTLE.

EVANS, EYRE, esq. of Ash Hill, in the county of Limerick, and of Miltown Castle, in the county of Cork, *b.* 23rd May, 1773, *m.* 20th March, 1805, Anna, eldest daughter of the late Robert Maunsell, esq. of Limerick, formerly chief of Gangam, and member of the supreme council at Madras, (see page 304) by whom he has issue,



EYRE, *b.* 5th May, 1806, lieutenant in the 3rd dragoon guards.
Robert-Maunsell, *b.* 4th May, 1808, in holy orders.
George-Thomas, *b.* 17th December, 1809, ensign in the 74th regiment.
Thomas-Williams, *b.* 6th March, 1815.
John-Freke, *b.* 6th February, 1817.
Henry-Frederick, *b.* 12th April, 1821.
Anna-Maria-Stone.
Caroline-Louisa.
Elizabeth.

Mr. Evans inherited the estates at his birth, his father having died in the previous month. He served the office of high-sheriff for the county of Limerick in 1810.

Lineage.

This is a younger branch of the noble house of CARBERY, originally of Welch extraction, and seated in the county of Caermarthen, whence in the reign of JAMES I.

JOHN EVANS, esq. removed into Ireland,

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and settled there. He was living at Limerick, in and before the year 1628. He left at his decease, two sons, and three daughters, viz.

i. GEORGE, of Ballyphillip, in the county of Cork.
ii. John, a colonel in the army, married, and had issue.
iii. Deborah, *m.* to John Bentley, esq. of Broadford, in the county of Clare.
iv. Catherine.
v. Eleanor, *m.* to Francis Taylour, esq. of Askeaton, in the county of Limerick.

The elder son,

Colonel GEORGE EVANS, served in the army raised to suppress the rebellion of 1641, and at the restoration of tranquility settled at Ballygrennane Castle, in the county of Limerick, where, and in the adjacent county of Cork, he acquired large estates by grants from the crown, and by purchase. He wedded Anne, daughter of Thomas Bowerman, esq. of the ancient family of Bowerman, of the county of Cork, now extinct, and had issue,

GEORGE, his successor.
John, of Miltown Castle, in the county of Cork. This gentleman was bred at Gray's Inn, but embraced a military life at the revolution. He subsequently entered the navy, and obtained the rank of commander. He died *s. p.*
Anne, *m.* to Christopher Rye, esq. of Rye Court, in the county of Cork.

Colonel Evans who represented the county of Limerick for many years in parliament, died in 1707, at a very advanced age, having passed a most eventful life, and was *s.* by his elder son,

The Right Honorable

GEORGE EVANS, of Caherass and Bulgaden Hall, in the county of Limerick. This gentleman was bred to the bar, but following the example of his father and brother, became an active partisan of the revolution, and after the establishment of the new government in Ireland, was sworn of the privy council, made custos rotulorum of the county of Limerick, and returned to parliament by the borough of Charleville. He *m.* in 1679, Mary, daughter of John Eyre,* esq. of Eyre Court Castle, in the county of Galway, M.P. for that shire, and had issue,

i. GEORGE, who (his father declining the honour) was elevated to the peerage of Ireland, by privy seal, dated at St. James's 12th of March, 1715, and by patent, 9th of May, following, by the title of BARON CARBERY, of Carbery, in the county of Cork, with remainder, in default of male issue, to the heirs male of his father. This nobleman was grand uncle of the *present* Lord Carbery, whose branch of the family assumed in addition to the name of EVANS, that of FREKE. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)
ii. Eyre, of Portrane, in the county of Dublin, M.P. in 1717, for the county of Limerick, *m.* Sarah, second daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Dixon, esq. of Ballylackin, in the county of Cork, (by Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Edward Bolton, esq.

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* This branch of the Wiltshire family of EYRE, (see vol. iii. p. 292) was established in Ireland by COL. JOHN EYRE, a younger son of Giles Eyre, esq. of Brickworth, in the county of Wilts, and brother of Edward Eyre, esq. the ancestor of the EYRES of Macroom Castle. He went over to that kingdom with General Ludlow, and having made several purchases of lands in the counties of Galway and Tipperary, and in the King's county, seated himself at Eyre Court castle, in the shire of Galway. After the restoration of *King* CHARLES II. he was returned to parliament by the town of Galway, and had a patent from the crown, dated in 1662, granting him the manor of Eyre Court, with power to empark eight hundred acres. Colonel Eyre, *m.* Mary, daughter of Philip Bygoe, esq. who was sheriff of the King's county in 1662, and left two sons,

JOHN, his heir.
Samuel, a colonel in the army before Limerick in 1690, and M.P. for the town of Galway in 1715. This gentleman *m.* first, Jane, daughter of Edward Eyre, esq. of Galway, and secondly, Anne, sixth daughter of Robert Stratford, esq. of Baltinglass, in the county of Wicklow. He had issue by both marriages.

Colonel Eyre died in 1684, and was *s* by his elder son,

JOHN EYRE, esq. of Eyre Court Castle, who espoused Margery, daughter of Sir George Preston, of Cragmillar, in Mid-Lothian, niece of the Duchess of Ormonde, by whom he had,

GEORGE, } successive inheritors of the estates.
JOHN, }
MARY, *m.* as in the text, to the *Right Honourable* GEORGE EVANS.
Elizabeth, *m.* in 1706, to Richard Trench, esq. of Garbally.

Mr. Eyre died in 1709, and was *s.* by his elder son,

GEORGE EYRE, esq. of Eyre Court Castle. This gentleman wedded Barbara, daughter of Lord Coningsby, but dying *s. p. m.* in 1711, was *s.* by his brother,

JOHN EYRE, esq. of Eyre Court Castle, who *m.* the Hon. Rose Plunket, dau. of Lord Louth, and had two sons, JOHN and GILES. He died in 1741, and was *s.* by the elder,

JOHN EYRE, esq. of Eyre Court Castle. This

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of Clonrushe, in the Queen's county) and was grandfather of the present George Evans, esq. of Portrane, M.P. for the county of Dublin.

iii. Thomas, of whom presently.

iv. Mary, *m.* to Arthur Hyde, esq. of Castle Hyde, in the county of Cork, a branch of the Clarendon family.

v. Anne, *m.* to John Bateman, esq. of Killeen, in the county of Kerry.

vi. Jane, *m.* 31st January, 1702, to the Rev. Chidley Coote, D.D. of Ash Hill, in the county of Limerick, ancestor of the extinct Lords Castlecoote, and of the present Sir Charles Henry Coote, bart. M.P. for the Queen's county.

vii. Elizabeth, *m.* to Colonel Hugh Massy, of Duntryleague, county of Limerick, and was mother of Hugh, first Lord Massy, and of Eyre, first Lord Clarina.

viii. Dorotny, *m.* to the Right Hon. John Foster, lord chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas in Ireland.

ix. Emilia, *m.* to the very Rev. William Crowe, D.D. dean of Clonfert.

x. Catherine, *m.* to Sir Richard Cox, bart. of Dunmanway, in the county of Cork, grandson of the celebrated Sir Richard Cox, lord chancellor of Ireland.

The Right Hon. George Evans, who was a distinguished public character, refused a peerage on the accession of *King* George I. when the honor was conferred upon his eldest son. He died in May, 1720, and his body embalmed lay in state in the parliament house until the next month, when it was removed for interment to Ballygrennane. His third son,

Thomas Evans, esq. of Miltown Castle, in the county of Cork, who sate in parliament for the borough of Castle Martyr, *m.* Mary, daughter of James Waller, esq. of Castletown, in the county of Limerick, governor of Kingsale, (lineally descended from Sir Hardress Waller, the republican general) by whom (who died in 1762) he had issue,

Eyre, his successor.

Thomas-Waller, in holy orders, rector of Dunmanway, in the county of Cork, *m.* 21st April, 1763, Catherine, only daughter of James D'Arcy, esq. of Knockaderry House, in the county of Limerick, and sole heiress of her brother, Colonel James D'Arcy. He *d.* 24th February, 1797, leaving issue.

John, an officer in the army, on active service during the American war, *m.* Catherine, daughter of Robert Goskin, esq. of Maesharry, in the county of Cork, and widow of — Harris, esq. but died without issue.

Mary, *m.* in 1753, to George Bruce, esq. eldest son of the very Rev. Jonathan Bruce, D.D. dean of Kilfenora, and *d.* February, 1799.

Dorothy, *m.* to Thomas Lucas, esq. of Richfordstown, in the county of Cork.

Mr. Evans died 15th September, 1753, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Eyre Evans, esq. of Miltown Castle. This gentleman *m.* in September, 1756, Mary, only child and sole heiress of Thomas Williams, esq. of Ringawny, in the county of Longford, (only son of Major Charles Williams, by Mary Rose, sister of the right Hon. Henry Rose, lord chief justice of the King's Bench) and by her, who died 29th November, 1825, aged eighty-six, had issue,

Mary, *m.* 17th April, 1781, to her first cousin, the Rev. Jonathan Bruce.

Abigail, *m.* 6th July, 1796, to the Rev. William Stopford, of Abbeville, in the county of Cork, grandson of the Right Rev. James Stopford, D. D. bishop of Cloyne, and Anne, his wife, sister of the Earl of Courtown.

Elizabeth, died unmarried.

Katherine, *m.* in 1792, to Thomas

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gentleman espoused Miss Jane Waller, of Castle Waller, in the county of Limerick, and had an only daughter, Jane, who *d.* unmarried in 1743. Mr. Eyre died in 1745, and was *s.* by his brother, *The Very Rev.*

Giles Eyre, dean of Killaloe, who *m.* the daughter of Sir Richard Cox, and had two sons,

John, his heir.

Richard, who *m.* Anchoretta, daughter of John Eyre, of Eyreville, and dying in the life time of his brother, left, with younger children,

Giles, who inherited the estates at the decease of his uncle.

Dean Eyre died in 1757, and was *s.* by his elder son,

John Eyre, esq. of Eyre Court Castle, who was elevated to the peerage in 1768, of Ireland, as Baron Eyre, *of Eyre Court.* His lordship espoused Eleanor, daughter of James Staunton, esq. of Galway, and had an only daughter,

Mary, *m.* to the Hon. Francis Caulfeild, third son of James, third Viscount Charlemont, and had issue,

James Eyre Caulfeild.

Eleanor Caulfeild, who wedded the *Honourable* William Howard, who subsequently became second earl of Wicklow.

Mr. Caulfeild, his wife, an infant child, and a servant, were all lost in a hurricane on their passage to Ireland from London, in 1775.

Lord Eyre died in 1792, when the peerage expired, and the estates devolved upon his nephew, the late Giles Eyre, esq. Eyrecourt Castle.

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Lloyd, esq. of Beechmount, M.P. for the county of Limerick.

Mr. Evans died 5th April, 1773, leaving his wife *enceinte*, who gave birth on the 23rd May, following, to an only son, the present EYRE EVANS, esq. of Miltown Castle.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. three boars' heads couped sa. for EVANS. Second, gules, a lion rampant within a bordure or, for WILLIAMS. Third, or, a lion rampant reguardant sa. for MORRICE.

Crest—A demi lion reguardant or, holding between his paws a boar's head couped sa.

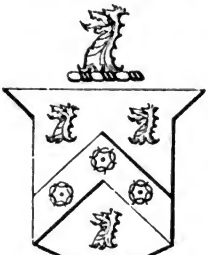
Motto—Libertas.

Estates—In the counties of Cork and Limerick.

Seats—ASH HILL, near Kilmallock, in the county of Limerick, purchased from the Coote family. MILTOWN CASTLE, county of Cork.

CLARK, OF BELFORD HALL.

CLARK, WILLIAM, esq. of Belford Hall and Benton House, both in the county of Northumberland, *b.* in 1766, *m.* first, in 1794, Ann, dau. of James Hutchinson, esq. of Tynemouth, by whom, (who *d.* in 1802) he has three daughters, viz.



Anne-Elizabeth.
Mary-Elizabeth, *m.* in 1822, to the Rev. W. C. King, of Lowestoft.
Elizabeth-Sarah.

He espoused secondly, Mary, daughter of William Brown, esq. of Long Benton, and has issue,

WILLIAM-BROWN, *b.* in 1807, a magistrate for Northumberland.
John-Dixon, *b.* in 1812.
Jane-Margaret.

He wedded thirdly, Margaret, eldest daughter of George Selby, esq. of Twizell House, in Northumberland. Mr. Clark, who is lieutenant-colonel commanding the North Local regiment of Militia, a deputy-lieutenant, and a deputy vice-admiral, served the office of high-sheriff for the county of Northumberland in 1820.

Lineage.

COLONEL CLARK is son of William Clark, esq. late of Tynemouth, second son of William Clark, esq. whose family were settled near Alnwick, in the county of Northumberland for a series of years.

Arms—Arg. on a chevron between three dragons' heads erazed, az., as many roses or.

Crest—A dragon's head, as in the arms.

Motto—Fortitudo.

Estates—BELFORD, purchased in 1811; Benton House, acquired in 1807.

Seats—Belford Hall and Benton House.

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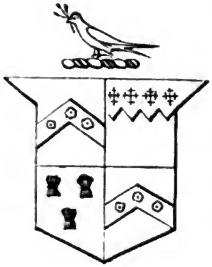
WESTBY, OF MOWBRECK AND RAWCLIFFE.

WESTBY, GEORGE. esq. of Mowbreck and Rawcliffe, both in the county of Lancaster, *b.* 9th March, 1789, *m.* 8th September, 1827, Mary, eldest daughter of the late Major John Tate, of his majesty's 6th West India regiment of foot, and has issue,



JOSCELYN-TATE, *b.* 19th August, 1831.
Mary-Virginia.
Matilda-Julia.
Ada-Perpetua.

This gentleman filled for many years the most influential civil offices in the colony of Honduras, and was appointed, in 1817, one of the royal commissioners for holding the high criminal courts there. He was advocate for the crown on several important occasions, and enjoyed the rank of major in the militia. Having succeeded to the estates of his ancestors, upon the demise of his cousin, Thomas Westby, esq. of Rawcliffe, in 1829, he resigned soon after into the hands of his majesty's secretary of state for the Colonies the civil appointments he then held of Clerk of the Supreme and Lower Courts, and keeper of the records in Honduras.

Lineage

The family of WESTBYE, or WESTBIE, now written WESTBY, is one of those ancient catholic houses still numerous in Lancashire, which, through good and bad repute, adhered to the faith of their forefathers.

The Westbys were originally from Yorkshire, but had a settlement in Lancashire prior to the conquest, and are of Saxon descent.

In the general survey, the township and lands of Westby are distinctly set forth, as then existing in the hundred of Amounderness, in the north western part of Lancashire. All these lands were once held under the great Saxon chief, TOSTI, the brother of Harold, afterwards by Roger de Poictou the Norman, and are now in the possession of J. Clifton, esq. of Lytham.

The WESTBYS have, at various periods, held lands at Mowbreck, near Kirkham. Bourn, in Poulton, Much Urswick, in Furness, in Alston, Balderston Thorton, Thornton Stanoe, and Great and Little Eccleston, in the county of Lancaster, and at Westby, near Gisbourn, in Yorkshire, but they have been deprived of the greater portion of these broad and fertile domains, by religious persecutions, and for their active zeal in support of the ill fated house of STUART.

In 1233,

GILBERT WESTBYE was sheriff of Lancashire: from him descended

WILLIAM WESTBIE, esq. of Westbie, in the county of York, living temp. HENRY VII. who was father of

WILLIAM WESTBIE, esq. of Westbie, who in 1553, when a muster of soldiers was made in the county palatine of Lancaster, and when the hundred of Amounderness furnished three hundred men to her majesty, was appointed one of the commanders. He *m.* a daughter of Regmaiden of Wideacre, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WESTBYE, of Westbye, who was granted, in the 2nd of ELIZABETH, a crest by a curious patent, which sets forth at some length, the origin of armorial bearings, heralds and officers of arms, and states that John Westbye had long been "in nobleness bearing arms." This gentleman seems to have been a bold and stirring man, for when ELIZABETH found that the reformation had rather retrograded than advanced in

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Lancashire, and that her commissioners, with the bishop of the diocese at their head, made but small progress in the work, her majesty, in 1567, issued a royal reproof to the bishop in her usual style of decision, reminding him of his duty, and requiring his vigilant performance inforcing a conformity to common prayer, &c. It appears by his lordship's reply, that the mandate of the haughty queen, when applied to this John Westbye, was treated with scorn and contempt, instead of the submission and thanks with which it had been received by many, and his name was sent up to the council as one not unlikely to promote resistance, and who would willingly lose blood in those matters. Nevertheless, a few years after, when the nation's strength was called out for the general welfare, this John appears to have arrayed himself and furnished the queen with his quota of light horse, coate plate, pyke, long bowes, shaffs of arrows, steel caps, and other armour. (Subsequently to this period, a further patent or certificate was granted by the college of arms, temp. JAMES II., setting forth that "this family were gentlemen of blood and coat armour, and lineally descended from the principal male branch of the ancient family of Westbye, of Westbye, in Yorkshire, and that since their coming into Lancashire, they had matched with some of the chiefest families of the county, and their pedigree and arms are registered in the visitation of Yorkshire in 1584, and three several visitations of Lancashire made in 1613 and 1665.") This John Westby espoused Ellyn, daughter of Kirby, of Rawcliffe, in the county of Lancaster, and had one son and two daughters, viz.

THOMAS, his heir.

Mary, *m.* to Thomas Hesketh, son and heir of Hugh Hesketh, esq. of the Maynes.

Ellyn, *m.* to Robert Molyneux, esq. of the Wood.

The only son and heir,

THOMAS WESTBY, esq. styled in the pedigree "of Mouldbury, or Mowbreck," alienated in 1610, all the Westby lands in Much Urswick within Furness, by granting leases for 1000 years, on the compliance of most eccentric observances and dues, which are still paid, and at something like pepper corn rents. He *m.* twice, first, Perpetua, daughter of Edward Norris, esq. of Speke, in Lancashire, and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Preston, esq. of Holkar. By the first he had, with three daughters, five sons, viz.

JOHN, who *m.* in 1619, Dorothy, dau. of Richard Brathwayte, esq. of Burnside, in the county of Westmoreland, but dying *s. p.* settled, by deed dated 10th July, 1662, the estates of Mowbreck and Burne, in Lancaster and Westbye, in Yorkshire, on his nephew, Thomas, with remainder to his half-brothers, George and Robert.

Thomas, a medical man, who *d.* fighting for the king, (CHARLES I.) in the latter wars, without issue.

Edward, } both *d. s. p.*
William, }

Francis, of Myrscough, *b.* about the year 1624, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Richard Bakehouse, esq. of Myrscough, in Lancashire, and had four sons and six daughters, all of whom died *s. p.* excepting Perpetua, *m.* to Richard Blackburn, esq. of Thistleton, and his eldest son and successor.

THOMAS, of Burne, *b.* in 1641, who *m.* twice, first, in 1661, Bridget, daughter of Thomas Clifton, esq. of Westby and Lytham, in Lancashire, and secondly, Margaret, daughter of — Braithwaite, esq. of the county of Westmoreland. He *d.* about the year 1649, leaving (with other issue, who *d.* unmarried) two sons, viz.

I. JOHN, of Mowbreck and Burne, *b.* in 1662, who *m.* in 1688, Jane, dau. of Christopher Parker, esq. of Bradkirk Hall, in Lancashire and had four daughters,

1. CATHARINE, married to Alexander Osbaldiston, esq. of Sunderland Hall.
2. BRIDGET, *m.* to William Shuttleworth, esq. of Turn-over-Hall, Upper Rawcliffe, Lancashire, and had an only dau.
   MARGARET, who inherited her mother's portion of the Mowbreck estates. She espoused, in 1744, THOMAS WESTBY, esq. of White Hall.
3. MARY, *m.* to the Rev. Thomas Alderson.*
4. ANN, *m.* to the Rev. John Bennison.

II. ROBERT, who inherited the estates of his brother John. At this gentleman's decease, *s. p. m.* in 1762, Mowbreck and Burne devolved on his four nieces as co-heirs;

* The Rev. Christopher Westby Alderson, (son of this marriage) *m.* in 1767, Agnes, only dau. of Geo. Bickerstaffe, esq. of Hambleton, and had an only child, Mary, *m.* in 1789 Rowland Ramsden, esq. of Halifax, and had an only dau. Agnes, *m.* to John Rhodes Ralph, esq. of Halifax, and has issue.

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but the Yorkshire property never having been diverted by any deed from that prescribed by lineal descent in the heirs male, consequently passed to the then existing eldest male descendant of George Westby, of Rawcliffe, eldest son of Thomas Westby, of Mowbreck, by his second marriage.

By his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Preston, esq. of Holkar, he had five sons and a daughter,

GEORGE, who founded the RAWCLIFFE branch of which we are about to treat.

Robert, who resided at Killington, in the county of Westmoreland.

Charles, } who in 1664 were serving
Bernard, } in the Life Guards.

Richard, who lived at Wynder, in Lancashire. He *m.* Jenette, daughter of Bryan Taylor, esq. of Milthope, and had three daughters.

Elizabeth.

Thomas Westby, (the elder) of Mowbreck, having purchased, temp. CHARLES I., Rawcliffe (now White) Hall, from the Kirby family, settled that estate on his eldest son by his second marriage,

GEORGE WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe, who attained the rank of major in the army. The family had taken, with the Kirbys and others, too active a part in the misfortunes of their unhappy sovereign not to feel the pressure of his enemies, and their estates of Rawcliffe were seized by the parliament, and in September, 1653, were sold by the commissioners, as being forfeited for treason to the state. They were repurchased by friends, but as the Westbys were catholics and labouring under the then tyrannical disabilities regarding the tenure of land, the titles were taken in the name of Protestants, and by repeated transfers thus secured. It was not until many years after that Major Westby was known to be the real owner of these estates. He wedded, first, about the year 1650, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Hesketh, esq. of Mayne, in Lancashire, and had one son,

JOHN, his heir.

He *m.* secondly, a lady named Rosomond, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, who settled at Clonmel, in Ireland, and hence sprang, it is presumed, a large and highly respectable family, seated in the county of Tipperary.

Elizabeth.

Ann.

Major Westby was *s.* at his demise, by his eldest son,

JOHN WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe, who *m.* in 1684, Jane, daughter of Thomas Bleasdale, esq. of Alston, in the county of Lancaster, and had issue,

JOHN.

Joseph, } both *d. s. p.* in 1725.
James, }

Alice, *m.* in 1706, to Thomas Gillibrand, esq. son of — Gillibrand, esq. of Dunken Hall, near Chorley.

Mr. Westby *d.* in 1708, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe, who wedded, in 1709, Mary, daughter of Thomas Hawett, esq. of Ormskirk, and granddaughter of Hugh Holland, esq. of Raby, by whom he had issue,

I. THOMAS.

II. George, *b.* at White Hall, in 1720, who *m.* in 1755, Mary, daughter of — Field, esq. of Middlesex, and had issue, John, Thomas, George, George-Valentine, John, Ann, and Mary, all the sons but THOMAS died in their infancy, as did also Ann. Mr. Westby *d.* in 1776. His only surviving son,

Thomas, *b.* 30th July, 1757, inherited, as heir at law to his cousin, Thomas Westby, esq. of White Hall, the landed property of Eccleston and Turn Over Hall, which that gentleman had purchased after making his will. Mr. Thomas Westby has by deed settled those estates on his younger children. He *m.* 7th February, 1787, Ann, dau. of John Ashley, esq. of London, a branch of the Shropshire family of that name, and has surviving issue,

1. GEORGE, now of "White Hall."
2. Edmund, *b.* in 1804, sometime secretary to the governor at Honduras.
3. Mary-Ann.
4. Julia, *m.* 30th August, 1830, to Samuel George Gardom, esq. of Hunter-street, Brunswick Square, and has issue,
   Edmund-Westby Gardom, *b.* 13th September, 1820.
   Julia-Georgiana.

III. JOHN.

IV. Cuthbert.

V. Jane.

Mr. John Westby died in 1728, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe, born in 1715. This gentleman espoused in November, 1744, his relative, Margaret, daughter of William Shuttleworth, esq. of

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Turn Over Hall, in Lancashire, by Bridget, his wife, daughter and co-heir of John Westby, esq. of Mowbreck. This lady inherited her mother's fourth share of the Mowbreck estates, and this alliance united the descendants of the children of the first and second marriage of Thomas Westby, of Mowbreck, the common ancestor who had then been dead more than one hundred years. By the co-heiress of Mowbreck, (who died at an advanced age, in 1806) Mr. Westby, had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
William, M.D. cupper to His Majesty GEORGE IV. who *d.* unmarried.
Joseph, died young.
Robert, a merchant in Lancaster, who *d. s. p.* in 1800.
THOMAS, eventual inheritor.
Bridget, a nun.
Mary, *m.* to J. Menzies, esq. of Aberdeen, and *d. s. p.* in 1805.

The eldest son and heir,

JOHN WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe, inherited likewise his mother's fourth share of Mowbreck. This gentleman sold the estate of Westby, in Yorkshire, to Lord Ribblesdale. He died unmarried, 1st of March, 1811, having bequeathed the White Hall, or Raucliffe estates to his brother William, and his portion of Mowbreck, to his younger brother, Thomas. William dying, however, unmarried, in 1811, two days previously to John, the whole of the possessions devolved on

THOMAS WESTBY, esq. of Rawcliffe and Mowbreck, who greatly improved the property, by purchasing three other estates, named Boggery Gate, Eccleston Hall, and Turnover Hall, the seat of his maternal ancestors. He died unmarried, 17th of November, 1829, and devised Rawcliffe, Mowbreck, and Boggery Gate, to the present GEORGE WESTBY, esq. grandson of his uncle GEORGE. His other lands passed to that gentleman's father, the heir at law.

Arms—Quarterly; first and fourth, arg. on a chevron az. three cinquefoils pierced of the first. Second, arg. on a chief dancettée gu. four cross crosslets. Third, or three wheatsheaves vert.

Crest—A martlet sa. holding in his beak a stalk of wheat with three ears of gold.

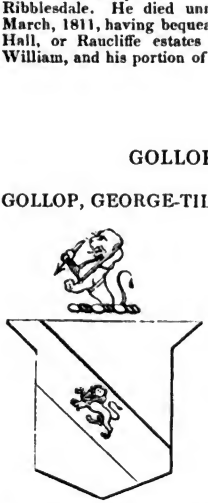
Motto—Nec volenti, nec volanti.

Estates—Situated in Upper Rawcliffe, in the parish of Saint Michael, on the river Wyre, near Garstang, in Lancashire, and also at Mowbreck, near Kirkham, in the same shire, and at Much Urswick.

Seat—White Hall, Upper Rawcliffe, Lancashire.

GOLLOP, OF STRODE AND BOWOOD.

GOLLOP, GEORGE-TILLY, esq. of Strode House, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 11th October, 1791, *m.* Christina daughter of Hubertus Vanden Vleigen, a gentleman of Hafrelt, in the district of Leige, and has issue,



GEORGE, *b.* 13th August, 1825.
John, *b.* 27th May, 1829.
Christina-Georgina-Jane.

Mr. Gollop inherited the estates on the demise of his father, in 1793.

Lineage.

JOHN GOLLOP,* the founder of this house, was, according to some memoirs preserved in the family, a soldier of fortune, from either Denmark or Sweden, who flourished in the reigns of RICHARD II. and HENRY IV. but other and more probable accounts, coinciding with the visitation of 1623, state that he lived in 1465, and came from the north. He *m.* Alice, daughter and heir of

* The name is said to be derived from the German words, "GOTT and LOBE"—God and praise; as GODFREY, comes from "GOTT and FRIEDE"—God and peace.

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William, or Peter Temple, of Templecombe, in Broad Windsor, and acquired thereby that estate, with the lands of North Bowood. The next upon record,

JOHN GOLLOP, of North Bowood and Temple, living *temp.* HENRY VIII. wedded Joan, daughter of Collins, of Nailscroft, in the county of Dorset, and was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

THOMAS GOLLOP, who, in minority, was placed under the guardianship of Sir Giles Strangeways, being then possessed of Strode, North Bowood, and Temple. He *m.* Agnes, daughter of Humphrey Watkins, of Holwel, in Somersetshire, and had issue,

1. GILES, fellow of New College, Oxford, who not conforming to the change of religion in *Queen* ELIZABETH's time, resigned his fellowship, and travelling through Spain to Rome, died there.
2. Humphrey, who *d. s. p.*
3. THOMAS, of whom presently.
4. John, father of John, of Morteme.
5. George, of Southampton.
6. Richard.

He *d.* in 1610, having made nearly an equal division of his estates (Strode, Bowood, &c.) amongst his sons. The third of whom,

THOMAS GOLLOP, esq. of Strode, &c. wedded Frances, daughter of George Poulet, esq. of Holberne, in the county of Dorset, and granddaughter of Lord Thomas Poulet, (son of William, the 1st Marquess of Winchester) and dying in 1623, was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS GOLLOP, esq. of North Bowood and Strode, barrister-at-law. This gentleman *m.* Martha, daughter of Ralph Ironside, esq. of Longbridge, by Jane Gilbert, only sister of Gilbert, bishop of Bristol, and dying in 1663, was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS GOLLOP, esq. of North Bowood and Strode, *b.* in 1617. This gentleman was educated at Wadham College, and at the Middle Temple. He was coroner of the county of Dorset, and served the office of sheriff in the 27th CHARLES II. when he was attended by his ten sons as javelin men, headed by their uncle. The deficiency in the usual number being remarked by the judge, the explanation of the persons who composed the train was given, and an excuse made upon the plea of so large a family. This gentleman espoused Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Thomas Thorne, of Candlemarsh, gent. and had issue,

I. Thomas, who died *s. p.* in 1727.
II. Giles, a woollen-draper in London, whose line terminated with his grandson, George Gollop, of Chilfroom, surgeon.
III. William, of Candlemarsh, who inherited his mother's estate, and was father of
THOMAS GOLLOP, esq. of Candlemarsh, ancestor of the Gollops of that place, and of Strete, in the county of Somerset.
IV. JOHN, continuator of the family.
V. James, of Bristol, } both in trade.
VI. Henry, of Exeter, }
VII. Ralph, of Lillington, who *d. s. p.*
VIII. Benjamin, of Bristol.
IX. George, of Berwick, who *m.* Mary, daughter and heiress of Julius Squib, esq. and dying in 1729, left issue,
1. GEORGE, sheriff of Dorset, 18th GEORGE II. who died *s. p.* in 1753.
2. Thomas, governor of Portland Castle, who *m.* a daughter of Edward Tucker, esq. of Weymouth, and died without issue, in 1761.
3. James, sheriff of Dorset, 8th GEORGE III.
4. JULIAN, who died in the East Indies.
5. Dorothy.
6. Mary.
7. Elizabeth, who *m.* — Hansford, esq. and had an only daughter,
Elizabeth Hansford, who *m.* Captain Hansford, and had three daughters, viz.
Eliza Hansford.
Charlotte Hansford, who wedded Robert Hunter, esq. of Kew, and had issue.*
Anna Hansford, *m.* to P. Daniell, esq. of Yeovil, and had issue.†
8. Martha, *m.* to John Tucker, esq. M.P. for Weymouth.
9. Sarah, *m.* to Richard Tucker, esq. of Weymouth, and had,

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* The issue of Charlotte Hansford, by Robert Hunter, esq. of Kew, were
William Hunter, } of the Hon. East India
Charles Hunter, } Company's Service.
Eliza Hunter, *m.* to Thomas Lilly, esq. lieutenant in the army.
Sibella Hunter, *m.* to William Harriot, esq. of the Pells Office.
Caroline Hunter, *m.* to lieutenant colonel Sir Dudley Hill.
Christine Hunter, *m.* to Captain Master.

† The issue of Anna Hansford, by P. Daniell, esq. were
William Daniell, who *d.* of a fever during his travels in Italy.
Henry Daniell, in holy orders.
Edward Daniell, in holy orders, who *m.* Miss Phillips.

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with other issue, who *d. s. p.* a daughter,

Rebecca Tucker, who *m.* Captain Steward, M.P. for Weymouth, and was mother of

Richard Tucker Steward, esq. of Nottington, lieutenant colonel Dorset Militia.

x. Nicholas, of London.

xi. Daniel, died young.

xii. Richard, of Charmouth.

xiii. Elizabeth.

The fourth son,

JOHN GOLLOP, esq. alderman of Dorchester, succeeded to the family estates by an arrangement with his elder brothers, by which he paid them a sum of money and annuities for life. He *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Philip Stansby, of Dorchester, and secondly, Frances, widow of Henry Backway, gent. by the former of whom he had issue to survive infancy,

JOHN, his heir.

Thomas, of London, merchant, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Walter Foy, esq. of Bewly Wood.

Rebecca, *m.* to Edward Tucker, esq. of Weymouth.

Mr. Gollop died 25th August, 1731, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN GOLLOP, esq. of Strode, who *m.* first, Edith, daughter of Walter Foy,* esq. of Bewley Wood; secondly, Penelope, daughter of John Michell, esq. of Kingston Russell; and thirdly, Joan, daughter of Giles Hilt, esq. of Lorscomb. By the first lady he had issue,

THOMAS, of Lillington, who *m.* first, Susannah, daughter of Nathaniel Tilly, esq. of Thornford, and eventual heiress of the Tillies, by whom he had issue,

THOMAS, heir to his grandfather.

Jane, *m.* to Henry Petty, esq. of Evershot.

He *m.* secondly, Miss Holloway, and had another son, John, M.D. who *m.* Miss Anne Dampier, and *d. s. p.* Mr. Gollop died *v. p.* 10th July, 1749.

John, } both *d. s. p.*
Walter, }

Mr. Gollop died in 1758, aged 82, and was *s.* by his grandson,

THOMAS GOLLOP, esq. of Sherborne and Strode. This gentleman espoused Jane, dau. of the Rev. James Sawkins, LL.B. vicar of Frampton, and Rector of Bettiscombe, in Dorsetshire, and left at his decease in 1793, an only surviving son, the present GEORGE TILLY GOLLOP, esq. of Strode.

Arms—Gu. on a bend or, a lion passant guardant sa.

Crest—A demi lion, bendy or, and sa. holding in his dexter paw a broken arrow, gu.

Motto—Be bolde be wyse.

Estates—In Thornford, Lillington, &c. near Sherborne; in Preston, near Weymouth; and in Netherbury, near Beaminster; all in Dorsetshire.

Seat—Strode House, near Bridport.

* The Foys descended from a French family, named De Foye. Their ancestor was de Foye, a Gascon earl of Longville, in Normandy, and of Kendal, in England, whose brother was captain of Beauvais. Their issue still bear the name and title of Count Longville, of Kendal. *Hutching's Dorset.*

MUNDY, OF BURTON.

MUNDY, CHARLES-GODFREY, esq. of Burton Hall, in the county of Leicester, *m.* 26th June, 1806, Harriet, only child and heir of the late Charles Burrell-Massingberd, esq. of Ormsby Hall, in Lincolnshire, and has had issue,

CHARLES-JOHN-HENRY, *b.* 21st June, 1808.

Harriet, who *d.* unmarried, at Ormesby, 17th January, 1824.

Sophv.

This gentleman, who holds the rank of captain on the retired list of the army, inherited in 1811, the estate of Burton on the Woulds, by bequest of the late John Noon, esq.

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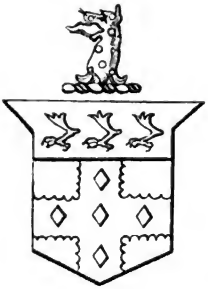
Lineage.



For a detail of this gentleman's descent, refer to family of "MUNDY, of Markeaton," Captain Mundy being younger brother of the present Francis Mundy, esq. of Markeaton.

Arms—Per pale, gu. and sa. on a cross engrailed arg. five lozenges purpure, on a chief or, three eagles' legs erased a-la-quise az.

Crest—A wolf's head erased sa. bezantée, fire issuing from the mouth ppr.

Estates—Burton on the Woulds, in the county of Leicester.

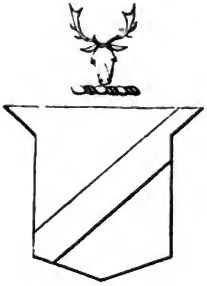
Town Residence—26, Park Crescent, Regent's Park.

Seat—Burton Hall, near Loughborough, Leicestershire.

TRYE, OF LECKHAMPTON COURT.

TRYE, HENRY-NORWOOD, esq. of Leckhampton Court, in the county of Gloucester, *b.* 7th July, 1798, *m.* 4th June, 1824, Alicia-Harriet, eldest daughter of Francis Longworth, esq. of Cregan, in Westmeath, and of Oatfield, in the county of Galway, Ireland. Mr. Trye is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for Gloucestershire.

Lineage.



The family of TRYE is of French extraction, deriving its name from a town in Normandy; but it has been eminent in Gloucestershire for many generations. In the 13th and 14th centuries the Tryes ranked among the highest orders of French nobility, and filled the most important offices in church and state. We find *temp.* EDWARD II. Matthew de Try, marshal of France, rendering homage to that monarch for lands in Ponthien, and in the 3rd HENRY IV. Sir James de Try taken prisoner and brought to England.

REGINALD or RAULIN TRYE, the first of the name resident in Gloucestershire, wedwed, in 1380, Margaret, daughter and heiress of Thomas de Berkeley, and thereby acquired the lordship of Alkington, in the parish of Berkeley. His son and successor,

JOHN TRYE, of Alkington, was father of

WILLIAM TRYE, who was succeeded by his son,

JOHN TRYE, who *m.* in 1449, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Sir Almeric Botelera-park, and in her right inherited the manors, advowsons, and estates of HARDWICKE and Haresfield, in the county of

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Gloucester, for which shire he served the office of high sheriff 27th HENRY VI. His son and heir,

WILLIAM TRYE, of Hardwicke, married Anne, daughter of Thomas Baynham, and had, with another son, John, mayor of Gloucester in 1483, and twice representative for that city in parliament, a son and successor,

WILLIAM TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke, who wedded Isabella, second daughter of James Lord Berkeley, by Isabel, his wife, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Mowbray, first duke of Norfolk, and had a son,

EDWARD TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke. This gentleman *m.* Sybil, daughter and co-heir of Sir Simon Milborne, of the county of Hereford, and relict of Sir Thomas Monington. He was succeeded at his decease by his son,

JOHN TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke, who *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Gourney, of Letterington, in the county of Suffolk, and upon the demise of Lady Jane Grey, one of the co-heirs of Charles Brandon, the celebrated Duke of Suffolk,* the brother-in-law and favorite of HENRY VIII. By this lady he had a son and successor,

JOHN TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke, who *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Sir William Skipwith, knt. of Ormesby, M.P. for Lincolnshire, 6th EDWARD VI. by Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of the right hon. Sir Richard Page, knt. of Beechwood, Herts, and secondly, a sister of Sir James Crofts. He was succeeded at his decease by his son,

WILLIAM TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke. This gentleman espoused Mary, daughter of Sir Edward Tyrrel, of Thornton, in Bucks, and, through that marriage, the family of Trye became founders kin at All Souls College, Oxford. Mr. Trye was slain in a quarrel, at Gloucester, in 1610, and was succeeded by his son,

WILLIAM TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke, who *m.* Anne, daughter of William Vincent, esq. of Acton, in the county of Middlesex, and left, with other issue, a son,

THOMAS TRYE, esq. who wedded Annah, daughter and co-heir of Richard Jones, esq. of Hanham, in the county of Gloucester, and was father of

WILLIAM TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke, who represented the city of Gloucester in parliament. He espoused Mary, daughter of — Horne, esq. of Horne Castle, and had a son and heir,

* See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

THOMAS TRYE, esq. of Hardwicke. This gentleman married Mary, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Norwood, of Leckhampton Court, in the county of Gloucester, and had issue,

WILLIAM, who left issue; but their issue is supposed to be now extinct.

JOHN, of whom we are about to treat.

Mr. Trye sold the estate of Hardwicke to Sir Philip Yorke, knt. attorney general, who assumed therefrom his title of earl. The younger son,

THE REV. JOHN TRYE, rector of Leckhampton, in the county of Gloucester, espoused Mary, daughter and co-heir of the Rev. John Longford, of Haresfield, and was succeeded by his son,

CHARLES-BRANDON TRYE, esq. F.R.S. an eminent medical writer, who *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. Samuel Lysons, rector of Rodmarton, in Gloucestershire, (and sister to the late celebrated Antiquaries, Samuel Lysons, esq. of the Temple, F.R.S. V.P.A.S., and of the Rev. Daniel Lysons, F.R.S. A.S. of Hempstead Court) by whom he had issue,

HENRY-NORWOOD, his heir.

Charles-Brandon, *b.* 11th June, 1806, who *m.* 22nd May, 1832, Jane Riland, daughter of Edward Pickard, esq. of Aston, in the county of Warwick.

John-Raulin, *b.* 11th February, 1809.

Mary-Lysons.

Caroline, who died 26th January, 1821

Isabella, *m.* 25th July, 1826, to Emilien Daniel Benoit Frossart, a French protestant clergyman.

Eleanor.

Anne.

Mr. Brandon TRYE, who inherited on the decease of his cousin, Henry Norwood, the last representative of that ancient family, the estate of Leckampton, which the Norwoods had derived, by marriage, from the Giffards, died 7th October, 1811, and was interred in the cathedral, at Gloucester, where a public monument records his virtues and talents. He was succeeded by his eldest son, the present HENRY NORWOOD TRYE, esq. of Leckhampton Court.

Arms—Or, a bend sinister azure, quartering Gournay, Brandon, Norwood, and Longford.

Crest—A buck's head caboshed.

Estates—The manor, advowson and principal part of the parish of Leckhampton, and Hartley Hill, in the parish of Cubberley, all in the county of Gloucester.

Seat—Leckhampton Court, near Cheltenham.

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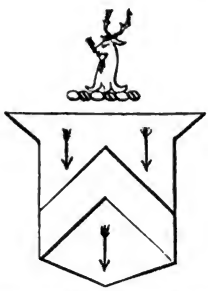
FLOYER, OF STAFFORD.

FLOYER, JOHN, esq. of West Stafford, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 26th April, 1811, inherited the estates at the decease of his brother, on the 11th July 1822.

Lineage.



The pedigree of this family is authentically deduced from

FLOIERUS, who settled soon after the Norman Conquest on the lands beyond the river Exe, in the county of Devon, whence the name of "Floierslands," or Floiers Hayes. His son,

RICHARD, held those lands of Richard, son of Baldwin de Courtenay, and transmitted them to his son and heir,

NICHOLAS, who was *s.* by his son,

RICHARD, who obtained a confirmation of the lands beyond the Exe, held by his grandfather, from ROBERT, natural son of *King* HENRY I. upon the stipulation of presenting the said Robert and his heirs with a flaggon of wine, whenever they should come to dine on the Isle of Exe. This grant was afterwards confirmed, in more ample form, by Reginald de Courtenay. The son and successor of this Richard,

FLOYER, was called FLORIDUS. He *m.* Sabina, daughter of Geoffry de Dunstanville, of Enscombe, in Devonshire, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

Roger, living in the 41st HENRY III.

William.

He died previously to his wife (who was living a widow in the 48th HENRY III.) and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, who left by Marriott his wife, a son and heir,

WILLIAM FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, who *m.* Fina, daughter of John Herewarde, of Doddescot, in Great Torrington, Devonshire, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, whose son and heir,

JOHN FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, espoused Margaret, dau. and heir of Robert Clive, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes. This gentleman wedded Alice, daughter and heir of Thomas Basshe, of Ottery St. Mary, Devon, and left a son and heir,

WILLIAM FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, who *m.* the dau. of John Hache, of Wolley, in the county of Devon, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes, an eminent warrior, who attended George, Duke of Clarence, to Normandy, with three archers and thirty spears, on the 14th of EDWARD IV.* He *m.* Philippa, dau. and heir of John Croke, of Box, in the county of Wilts, by whom (who survived him) he left

JOHN FLOYER, of Floiers Hayes. This gentleman *m.* about the year 1511, Joan, daughter of John Carew, esq. of Anthony, in Cornwall, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM FLOYER, esq. of Floiers Hayes, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Gilbert Kirk, esq. mayor of Exeter, *anno* 1531, and had two sons, ANTHONY and William, of Merlinch, in the county of Somerset. The latter *d.* unmarried in 1623. The former,

ANTHONY FLOYER, esq. succeeded his father at Floiers Hayes, and was likewise of Stanton Gabriel, in the county of Dorset. He *m.* Anne, fourth daughter and co-heir of Nicholas Martin, esq. of Athelhampton, in Dorsetshire (by Margaret his wife, one of the three sisters and heirs of Nicholas Wadham, esq. of Merrifield, in the county of Somerset, founder of WADHAM COLLEGE, Oxford), and had two sons,

ANTHONY, his heir.

William, of Merlinch, ancestor of the Floyers, of Whitehouse, parish of Landilio, in the county of Monmouth.

He died prior to 1616, and was *s.* by his elder son,

* See "Prince's Worthies of Devon."

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ANTHONY FLOYER, esq. of Floiers Hayes, and likewise of Berne, in Monmouthshire. This gentleman wedded Eleanor, fifth dau. of Sir William Pole, knt. of Colcombe, in the county of Devon, (baptized in 1597), by whom he had, with other issue, a son and heir,

WILLIAM FLOYER, esq. of Floiers Hayes and Berne, who *m.* first, in 1641, Margaret, second daughter of Sir Edward Lawrence, knt. of Creech Grange, in the Isle of Purbeck, county of Dorset, and had

ANTHONY, baptized 31st May, 1642. inherited Floiers Hayes at the decease of his father, and *d.* in 1701, leaving issue, by Sarah, his second wife, daughter of John Gould, esq. of Upway, in the county of Dorset.

1. ANTHONY, of Floiers Hayes, who *d. s. p.*
2. WILLIAM, in holy orders.
3. Hubert-Charles.

The second son,

The Rev. WILLIAM FLOYER, *b.* in 1676, was rector of Trusham, in the county of Devon. He *m.* Sarah, daughter of Amy Burwell, of London, and dying in 1742, left with other issue,

1. ANTHONY, of Dorchester.
2. John-Gould, in holy orders, rector of Esher, in Surrey, *d.* unmarried in 1777.
3. WILLIAM.

The youngest son,

WILLIAM FLOYER, esq. of Reesby, in Lincolnshire, and of Athelhampton, in the county of Dorset, *m.* in 1752, Frances, daughter and co-heir of Edward Aiscough, esq. of Louth, in the county of Lincoln, and dying in 1759, was *s.* by his son,

ANTHONY, who *m.* in 1784, Elizabeth, daughter of George Brabines, esq. of Blannington Hall, in Lincolnshire, and dying 8th March, 1814, left an only son and heir,

JOHN GOULD FLOYER, esq. now of Ketsby, in the county of Lincoln, *b.* in July, 1785, *m.* in 1815, Sarah, daughter of the Rev. Richard Wright, of Wrangle, and has issue,

1. JOHN-WADHAM, *b.* in 1818.
2. Richard Aiscough-Martin.
3. Ayscough.

Mr. Floyer wedded, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Randle Mainwaring, esq. of London, by whom (who *d.* 22nd June, 1667) he had with other issue,

WILLIAM FLOYER, esq. of Berne, in the county of Monmouth, who *m.* first in 1677, Mary, dau. and co-heir of Sir William Pole, knt. of Shute, in the county of Devon, eldest son of Sir John Pole, bart. and had issue,

William, who *d.* in the life time of his father.
JOHN, his successor.
Catherine, *m.* to Humphrey Sydenham, esq. of Dulverton, in the county of Somerset.

He wedded, secondly, in 1700, Grace Cossins, of Broadwindson, in Dorsetshire, but had no further issue. He *d.* 13th Jannary, 1711, und was *s.* by his son,

JOHN FLOYER, esq. of Upway, in the county of Dorset, and of Lincoln's Inn, barrister-at-law. This gentleman *m.* first, 22nd July, 1714, Mary, daughter of John Ellis, of St. James's, Westminster, but had no issue. He espoused, secondly, 11th April, 1741, Anne, daughter of James Richards, esq. of West Knighton, in the county of Dorset, and co-heir of her brother. By this lady he had two sons and a daughter, namely,

JOHN, his successor.
WILLIAM, successor to his brother.
Anne, *b.* 28th February, 1742, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Russell, of Bath.

He was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN FLOYER, esq. of Upway, *b.* 28th May, 1744, *m.* Jane, only daughter of the Rev. Samuel Davison, rector of Dalbury, in Derbyshire, (by Elizabeth his wife, sister of Sir Edward Wilmot, bart. of Chaddesden, and relict of James Acton, of West Stafford). He *d. s. p.* in 1789, when the estates devolved upon his brother,

The Rev.

WILLIAM FLOYER, *b.* 5th January, 1745, rector of West Stafford, and vicar of Stensford, in the county of Dorset, who *m.* 3rd February, 1801, Elizabeth, youngest dau. and co-heir of Stephen Barton, esq. of Blandford, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
JOHN, heir to his brother.
Elizabeth-Margaret, *b.* 11th August, 1805, *d.* in 1817.
Elizabeth, *m.* in July, 1831, to Christopher Wriothesley-Digby, esq. eldest son of the Rev. Charles Digby, rector of Bishop's Caundle, in Dorsetshire, and canon of Windsor.

Mr. Floyer *d.* 29th December, 1819, and was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM FLOYER, esq. *b.* 29th December, 1803, of West Stafford, a midshipman in the royal navy, drowned off Portland, 11th July, 1822, and was *s.* by his brother, the present JOHN FLOYER. esq. of West Stafford.

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Arms—Sa. a chevron between three arrows arg.

Crest—A buck's head erased or, holding in the mouth an arrow.

Motto—Floret virtus vulnerata.

Quarterings—Baphe, Croke, Martin, Loundres, Wadham, &c.

Estates—In the parishes of West Stafford, West Knighton, and Frome Billett, in the county of Dorset.

Seat—West Stafford, near Dorchester.

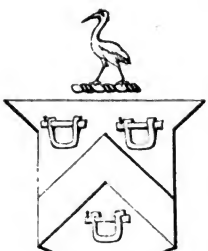
ANDERTON, OF EUXTON.

ANDERTON, WILLIAM-INCE, esq. of Euxton and Ince, both in the county of Lancaster, *m.* 14th November, 1823, Frances, only daughter of Christopher Crook, esq. of London, and first cousin to Thomas Gillebrand, esq. of Gillebrand Hall, by whom he has an only son,

WILLIAM-MICHAEL-INCE, *b.* 29th September, 1825.

Mr. Anderton inherited the estates on the demise of his father in 1811.

Lineage.



The family of ANDERTON, of ANDERTON, the parent stock whence the houses of EUXTON and LOSTOCK sprang, is of remote antiquity in the north of England.

JAMES ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton, descended from a second son of Anderton, of Anderton, wedded Ann, daughter of Henry Banister, esq. of the Bank, in the county of Lancaster, and relict of Thomas Farington, esq. of Farington. He was *s.* by his son,

HUGH ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton, who *m.* first, a daughter of — Butler, esq. of Rawcliffe, and secondly, Alice, daughter of Alexander Standish, esq. of Standish. He had issue,

I. WILLIAM, who *m.* Isabel, daughter and heiress of William Hancock, esq. of Pendle Hall, in Lancashire, and predeceasing his father in 1638, left, with other issue,

HUGH, heir to his grandfather.

II. James, of Clayton, in Lancashire.

III. Dorothy, *m.* to Edward Rigby, esq. of Bury.

IV. Jane, who died unmarried.

V. Anne, *m.* to William Hesketh, esq. of Mines.

VI. Alice, *m.* to Cuthbert Clifton, esq. of Westby.

Hugh Anderton died about the year 1652, and was *s.* by his grandson,

HUGH ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton. This gentleman espoused Margaret, daughter of Roger Kirkby, esq. and left, at his decease in 1664, (with other children, who died unmarried) a daughter, Dorothy, *m.* to John Bradshaw, esq. of Laniog, in Anglesea, and a son,

HUGH ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton, who wedded Catherine, daughter of Francis Trapps, esq. of Nidd, and left at his demise, (with other issue) Margaret, the wife of Robert Blundell, esq. of Ince Blundell, in the county of Lancaster, and a son and successor,

WILLIAM ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Richard, fifth Viscount Molyneux, and relict of Thomas Clifton, esq. of Lytham, by whom (who *d.* in 1752) he had two sons, and as many daughters, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.

Francis, a monk, O.S.B. who died at Linley, in the county of Salop.

Catherine, *m.* to Sir Robert Gerard,

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bart. of Garswood and New Hall, in Lancashire, and *d.* in 1821.

Ann, a nun, at Calais.

The elder son,

WILLIAM ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton, espoused Frances, daughter and heiress of Christopher Ince, esq. of Ince Hall, in the county of Lancaster, representative of one of the most ancient families in that shire and had, with three other sons, Robert, Thomas, and Francis, a successor, at his decease in 1811, the present WILLIAM INCE ANDERTON, esq. of Euxton and Ince.

Arms—Sa. a chevron between three shackbolts arg. quartering the ensigns of INCE.

*** The following is extracted from an ancient heraldry book.—"He beareth sa. 2 single shackbolts, and one double arg. by the name of ANDERTON. These kinde of armes may also well be given to such a brave spirit who by his prowesse can fetch off with strength, or by his charity redeeme any of his fellow souldiers in captivity."

Crest—A curlew ppr.

Motto—We stoop not.

Estates—Euxton, near Chorley; Clayton, near Preston; and Ince, near Wigan, all in Lancashire.

Seats—Euxton Hall, near Chorley; and Ince Hall, near Wigan. Over the fire-place in the entrance hall at Euxton, is a bust on the wall of King JAMES II. crowned with laurel, and surrounded by military instruments and trophies.

Anderton, of Lostock.

From a third son of the house of Anderton, of Anderton, descended LAWRENCE ANDERTON, who founded the family of Lostock. He was father of

CHRISTOPHER ANDERTON, esq. of Lostock, who *m.* Dorothy, daughter of Peter Anderton, esq. of Anderton, and dying in 1593, left issue,

1. JAMES, who went abroad, and became a catholic clergyman. He was a learned writer, and for his eloquence obtained the appellation of "Golden mouthed Anderton."
2. CHRISTOPHER, who succeeded at Lostock.
3. Roger, of Birchley, a popish recusant, who *m.* Ann, daughter of Edward Stafford, esq. and *d.* in 1640.
4. ——, *m.* to John Orrel, esq.
5. Dorothy, *m.* to — Thompson.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Thomas Tildesley, esq.
7. Ann, *m.* to Roger Bradshaw, esq. of Haigh.
8. Isabell, *m.* first, to — Langtree, esq. and second to George Rockley, esq.

The second son,

CHRISTOPHER ANDERTON, esq. of Lostock, wedded Mary, daughter of — Scarisbrick, esq. of Scarisbrick, and had with two daughters, Dorothy, wife of Anthony Munson, esq. of Carleton, and Margaret, of Henry Turvile, esq. of Aston Flamvile, a son,

CHRISTOPHER ANDERTON, esq. of Lostock, who succeeded his father in 1623. He *m.* first, a daughter of John Preston, esq. of the manor, in Furness, by whom he had an only child, Margaret, who died unmarried. He espoused, secondly, Alathea, daughter of Sir Francis Smith, of Wolston Waven, in Warwickshire, and had, with several younger children,

FRANCIS (Sir), his heir.

Mary, *m.* to William Jones, esq. of Trevan, in Monmouthshire.

Ann, *m.* to John Turberville, esq. of Penclin Castle, Glamorganshire.

He *d.* about the year 1650, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR FRANCIS ANDERTON, of Lostock, who was created a BARONET by CHARLES II. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Charles Somerset, second son of Edward, earl of Worcester, lord privy seal, and dying at Paris, 9th of February, 1698, was interred in the church of the English Benedictine Monks, where an inscription is engraven to his memory. Sir Francis was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR CHARLES ANDERTON, bart. of Lostock, who *m.* a daughter of — Ireland, esq. of Lidiate, in Lancashire, and had issue,

Charles (Sir), } who both died young.
James (Sir), }

Lawrence (Sir), a monk, who died at London, *s. p.* 30th September, 1724.

FRANCIS (Sir), who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Henry Bedingfeld, bart. of Onborough. Sir Francis had his estate sequestered for his participation in the rebellion of Preston.

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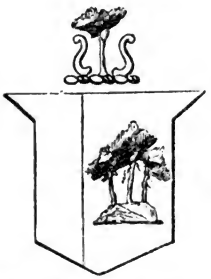
GROTE, OF DULWICH WOOD.

GROTE, GEORGE, esq. of Dulwich Wood, in the county of Surrey, *b.* 17th November, 1794, *m.* in 1820, Harriet, second daughter of Thomas Lewin, esq. of the Hollies, in Kent, by Mary, daughter of General John Hale, of Guisborough, in Yorkshire, a cadet of the family of Hale, of King's Walden, in Hertfordshire, by whom he has no surviving issue.

Mr. Grote, who is an eminent banker of the city of London, was chosen one its representatives in December, 1832.

Lineage.



This is a branch of an ancient Livonian family established in England, about the year 1740, by

ANDREW GROTE, who married, first, Miss Adams, of an old Oxfordshire family, by whom he acquired estates in that county, and had an only son, JOSEPH, his heir. He wedded secondly, Miss Culverden, and had, with two sons, GEORGE, successor to his half brother, and Andrew, who died young, several daughters; of whom one married Admiral Stirling, another, A. Gregory, esq. of Stivichall, in Warwickshire, a third was wife of — Prescott, esq. a fourth, Lætitia, died unmarried, and a fifth was married to W. Gregory, esq. of the East India Company's civil service. Mr. Grote purchased in 1780, landed property in the county of Lincoln, which he entailed on his elder son,

JOSEPH GROTE, esq. of Badgmoor, Oxon, who likewise inherited an estate in Oxfordshire, from his mother, Miss Adams. He died unmarried in 1815, and was *s.* by his brother,

GEORGE GROTE, esq. a justice of the peace for the counties of Kent and Oxford, and sheriff of the former shire, in 1809. He *m.* Selina-Mary, daughter of the Reverend Dr. Peckwell, by his wife, a lady of the family of Blosset,* by whom he had,

- GEORGE, his successor.
- William-Henry, major in His majesty's 33rd regiment of foot.
- Andrew, Hon. East India Company's civil service, Bengal, who *m.* in 1829, Miss Macdonald, and has one son and a daughter.
- Joseph, commander of a private trader to the East Indies.
- Charles, banker, in London, a partner in the firm of Prescott and Co.
- John, of Trinity College, Cambridge.
- Arthur, East India Company's civil service, Bengal.
- Francis, student, at Oxford.
- Selina, *m.* in 1825, to lieutenant colonel Frederick, of the East India Company's Military Service, Bombay, and died in 1826.

Mr. Grote died 3rd July, 1830, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present GEORGE GROTE, esq. M.P.

Arms—Arg. on a mount vert, three pine trees ppr. a dexter side or.

Crest—A pine tree between two elephants' proboscides erect ppr.

Motto—Prodesse quam conspici.

Estates—A freehold in Oxfordshire; a freehold entailed on heirs male, with two manors thereunto annexed, at Long Benington and Foston, in Lincolnshire.

Seat—Dulwich Wood, Surrey.

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* The BLOSSETS were a French family of the Touraine, who expatriated at the revocation of the edict of Nantes in 1589, and seeking an asylum in Ireland, settled in the county of Dublin, where the family estate lies. The late Sir Robert Henry Blosset, knt. chief justice of Bengal, (the son of Doctor Peckwell, by assumption Blosset) dying unmarried in 1828, bequeathed his fortune to his only sister, Selina-Mary Grote, who now enjoys it, and after her death to George Grote, or any other of her sons, she should fix upon in preference, with entail on the remaining sons, in default of male issue to her immediate heir.

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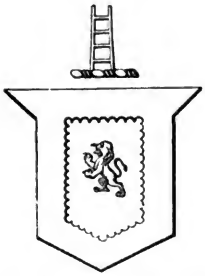
GREY, OF MORWICK.

GREY, JOHN, esq. of Morwick, in the county of Northumberland, a colonel in the army, and a companion of the Bath, *m.* in 1830, Rosa-Louisa, only daughter of Captain Sturt, R.N. Colonel Grey inherited the estates on the demise of his father, in 1814.

Lineage.



This is a branch of the ancient and eminent Northumbrian family of GREY, OF HOWICK, springing from JOHN GREY, esq. of Howick, who married, and had issue,

I. HENRY (Sir), who succeeded to Howick, and was created a baronet, 11th January, 1746. He *m.* Hannah, daughter of Thomas Wood, esq. of Falloden, in the county of Northumberland, and had, with other issue, a son,

SIR CHARLES GREY, K.B. a gallant and distinguished soldier, who was elevated to the peerage in 1801, as BARON GREY, of Howick, and subsequently advanced to a viscounty and earldom, as *Viscount Howick*, and EARL GREY. His lordship died in 1807, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present,

CHARLES, EARL GREY, first Lord of the Treasury, &c. (*See Burke's Peerage*).

II. Thomas, who died unmarried.

III. JOHN, of whom presently.

The third son,

JOHN GREY, esq. of Morwick, in the county of Northumberland, espoused Anne, daughter of Edward Grey, esq. of Alnwick, and had, with other issue, a son,

CHARLES GREY, esq. of Morwick, who *m.* Katherine, daughter of the Rev. John Skelly,* by the Lady Betty Gordon, daughter of the Duke of Gordon, and the Lady Henrietta Mordaunt, only daughter of Charles, (the great) earl of Peterborough. By this lady he had two sons, Charles, a captain in the 85th regiment, who fell at New Orleans, and the present COLONEL GREY, of Morwick. Mr. Grey died in 1814.

Arms—Gu. a lion rampant, within a bordure engrailed, arg.

Crest—A scaling ladder, arg.

Motto—De bon vouloir servir le roy.

Estate—Morwick, Northumberland, a barony in 1325. In 1316, 9th EDWARD III. Tesphania de Bulmer died seized of the manor of Morwick, and the ville of West Chivington. In 1325, Sir Ralph Bulmer, knt. enfeoffed DAVID GREY, and Margaret, his wife, in the manor of Morwick, and West Chivington.

Seat—Morwick.

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* The Rev. John Skelly, by his wife, the Lady Betty Gordon, had besides the daughter, *m.* to CHARLES GREY, esq. of Morwick, a son,

CAPTAIN GORDON SKELLY, R.N. eminently distinguished at the capture of Louisburgh and Quebec, who wedded Dorothy, niece to the late *Baron* Perrott, and was *s.* by his son,

COLONEL GORDON SKELLY, of Pilmore House, in the county of Durham, *b.* 5th June, 1766. This gentleman *m.* in 1800, Elizabeth, only daughter of the late James Newsam, esq. of Dunsa Bank, in the county of York, by whom he had issue,

FRANCIS, captain in the 37th regiment.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Captain Colling, of Haughton le Skerne, in the county of Durham.

Dorothy.

Colonel Skelly died in 1828. His estate of Pilmore House, near Darlington, has since been sold to Thomas Surtees Raine, esq.

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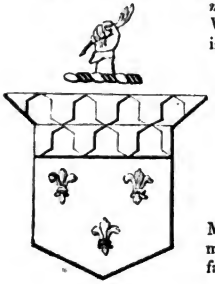
PALMES, OF NABURN.

PALMES, GEORGE, esq. of Naburn, in the county of York, born 18th October, 1776, *m.* 15th January, 1810, Margaret-Isabella, daughter of William Lindsay, esq. of Oatlands, near Glasgow, and has issue,



BRYAN, an officer in the 52nd Light Infantry.
William-Lindsay, student of Trinity College, Cambridge.
John-Philip, a midshipman, R.N.
Manfred-Leslie.
James.
Isabella, *m.* to — Jardine, esq.
Georgina.
Eliza.
Frances-Edith.

Mr. Palmes, who is a deputy lieutenant, and in the commission of the peace for the county of York, succeeded his father in 1783.

Lineage.

This family can boast of considerable antiquity. It was originally seated in the county of Somerset, and so far back as the twelfth century it is found in alliance with the great Somerset House of ST. MAUR, which had summons to parliament in the reign of EDWARD II. The estate of Naburn has regularly descended from father to son since the year 1226.

MANFRED PALMES, living about the sixth of *King* STEPHEN, *anno* 1140, had lands in Taunton Dean, in the county of Somerset. He was father of

ALEXANDER PALMES, of Taunton, living in 1161, who *m.* Rose, daughter of Adam Newmarsh, and had issue,

JEROME, his heir.
Richard, *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir John Arundel, knt.
Margaret, *m.* to Robert St. Maur, son and heir of Sir John St. Maur, knt.
Jane, *m.* to Thomas Pownes, esq.

The elder son and heir.

JEROME PALMES, wedded Anne, daughter of John St. Maur, esq. and had,

JOHN, his heir.
Richard, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir John Bamfield, knt.
Judith, who wedded in 1161, Fontleroy, of Fontleroy.
Mary, *m.* to Sir William Sellinger, kt.
Anne.

He was *s.* by his elder son,

JOHN PALMES, esq. of Fontleroy, who *m.* Anne, daughter of John Stourton, esq. and had with three younger sons, viz. Nicholas, married to a daughter of Bamfield, Robert, and John, his successor,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Taunton, who acquired the Lordship of NABURN, in the county of York, in 1226, with his wife, Matilda, daughter or sister of Richard Wattervill, and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS PALMES, esq. This gentleman wedded a daughter of Sir Thomas Fitz Henry, knt. of Kelfield, and left a son,

SIR WILLIAM PALMES, knt. of Naburn, living in the 19th of EDWARD III. who *m.* Agnes, daughter of Thomas Mauliverer, and had a son and heir,

NICHOLAS PALMES, esq. of Naburn. This gentleman espoused Beatrix, daughter of —— Rossells or Russell, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. living in the 29th EDWARD III., who married first, a daughter of Hammerton, who died *s. p.*, and secondly a daughter of Sir Robert Vere, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

NICHOLAS PALMES, esq. of Naburn, living in 1332, who wedded Elinor-Agnes, daughter of Sir William Morbie, knt. of Morebie, and had with a daughter Margaret, a son and successor,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Naburn, living in 1335. This gentleman *m.* first, the daughter and heir of — Charlton, esq. of Shropshire, and secondly Claricia, daughter of Thomas Fairfax, esq. of Walton, by Margaret Malbysse. The latter survived Mr.

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Palmes, and wedded after his decease Sir William Malbysse. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

BRIAN Palmes, esq. of Naburn, who wedded — daughter of William Plumpton, esq. of Plumpton, and left a son and heir,

FRANCIS PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who married Katherine, daughter of John Dawney, esq. of Escrick, and had issue,

THOMAS, his successor.
Francis, who *m.* Mary, daughter of John Charnton, esq.
John, *m.* — daughter of John Vaux, esq.
Richard, *m.* Mary, daughter of John Deighton, esq.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Malbysse, esq. of Acaster-Malbysse.
Isabell, *m.* to John Malbysse, esq. of Acaster-Malbysse.
Christian, *m.* to Robert Gowland, esq.

Mr. Palmes was *s* by his eldest son,

THOMAS PALMES, esq. of Naburn, living in 1419; married a daughter of John Pickering, esq. of Ellerton, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Naburn. This gentleman *m.* first, Ellin, daughter of Guy Rocliffe, of Cowthorp, one of the Barons of the Exchequer, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
John, who *m.* a daughter of Humphry Lascelles, esq.
Robert, *m.* — daughter of John Cotes, esq.
Margaret, *m.* to Mr. John Sherbrooke.

He wedded secondly, Margaret, daughter of John Ingleby, esq. of Ripley, and late wife of Lord Talboys, but had no further issue. He was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who espoused first, Elinor, daughter of William Heslerton, esq. of Heslerton, and had two sons,

BRIAN, his heir.
Guy, Sergeant-at-law, *m.* Jane, daughter and heir of John Drew, esq. of Bristow, and had issue. (See PALMES of Lindley, at foot). His widow wedded — Moore, of Hampshire.

Mr. Palmes *m* secondly, Anne, daughter of William Westrop, esq. He was *s.* at his decease by his elder son,

BRIAN PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who was justice of assize in the county of Lancaster. Of this learned person there is a portrait at Naburn, inscribed "Brian Palmes, Justice of the Common-pleas, ob. 1511." He is delineated in official costume, a condemning cap on his head, on his left arm the ensigns of England, and on his fore finger, a ring.* He wedded first, Ellen, daughter of John Aclame, esq. of Morebie, by whom he had NICHOLAS, his heir, George, William, and Richard, who all died unmarried, and Agnes, who married Sir William Balthorpe, knt. of Balthorpe. He *m.* secondly, — daughter of — Markenfield, esq. of Markenfield, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

NICHOLAS PALMES, esq. who *m.* first, Johana, daughter of William Conyers, esq. of Sockburne, and had an only son BRIAN, his heir. He wedded secondly, Susan, daughter of Sir Robert Waterton, knt. of Walton, and had further issue,

Edmund, or Edward, *d. s. p.*
George, *m.* Anne, sister of Robert Lacy, esq. of Towton.
Richard, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Nevill, esq. of Cheet.
Edith, *m.* to Sir Thomas Metham, knt. of Metham.

Mr. Palmes was *s.* by his eldest son,

BRIAN PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who wedded first, Johanna, daughter of Sir John Dawney, knt. of Cowick, but had no issue. He espoused secondly, Anne, one of the daughters of Sir John Constable, of Halsham and Burton Constable, and by her had, with George and Brian, who died unmarried, and Frances, the wife of Gabriel Fairfax, esq. of Street Houses, his son and heir,

JOHN PALMES, esq. of Naburn, living about the year 1584, who espoused Jane, daughter of Sir George Dawney, knt. of Cowick and Sezay, or Sessay, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR GEORGE PALMES, knt. of Naburn. This gentleman who was alive in the year 1630, wedded first, in 1584, Katherine, daughter of Sir Ralph Balthorpe, knt. of Balthorpe, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
George, died unmarried.
Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Sir John Savile, of Roundhay, near Leeds, but had no issue. She espoused secondly Walter Bethell, esq. of Alne, near York, and had a daughter Mary, who died unmarried.
Ellen, *m.* first, to Alexander Vadka, M.D. of York, and secondly, to William Constable, esq.
Ursula, } nuns.
Grace, }

Sir George espoused secondly, Mary, daughter of — Stotton, esq. of Crakemarsh, and widow of Roger Constable. He was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who *m.*

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* A gold ring, bearing the device of a fleur de lys, with the initials B. P., exactly resembling that upon the judge's finger, was found about sixty years ago, in a field at Acaster Malbysse, near Naburn, and is now in the possession of Mr. Palmes.

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Catherine, daughter of William Langdale, esq. of Langthorpe, and was father of

WILLIAM, his heir.
George, who *d.* young.
John, *d.* unmarried.
Catherine, *d.* unmarried.
Bridget, *m.* to Michael Metcalf, esq. of Otterington, near Northallerton.
Mary, died unmarried.

Mr. Palmes was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Naburn. This gentleman wedded Mary, daughter and heir of Sir Brian Stapleton, knt. of Hirst Courtney, near Selby, and had issue,

Nicholas, *b.* 31st October, 1664.
GEORGE, *b.* 3rd November, 1666.
Marmaduke, *m.* Jane, dau. of Roger Meynell, esq. of Kilvington, in Yorkshire, and had
Marmaduke, William, Roger, Anne, } died unmarried.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Smith, esq. of Bidlesden, in Northumberland.
Brian, William, Catherine, Mary, Elizabeth, } died unmarried.

He was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

GEORGE PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who *m.* Anne, daughter of George Witham, esq. of Cliffe, and had

George, who died young.
William, died *s. p.*
Brian, *m.* a daughter of — Scarisbrick, esq. of Lancashire, but died before his father *s. p.*
GEORGE, heir to his father.
Stapleton, Grace, Mary, } died unmarried.

Mr. Palmes was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

GEORGE PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who wedded Frances, daughter and co-heir of Robert Plumpton, esq. of Plumpton, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE PALMES, esq. of Naburn. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, daughter of George Heneage, esq. of Hainton, in the county of Lincoln, by whom (who died in 1758) he had an only daughter, that died in infancy. He died himself, 7th February, 1774, and was *s.* by his brother,

JOHN PALMES, esq. of Naburn, who espoused Susannah, daughter of Mr. Thomas Wharrie, of Hull, and had a son and daughter, viz.

GEORGE, his heir.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Samuel Walker, esq. of Masborough, near Rotherham.

Mr. Palmes died in 1783, and was *s.* by his son, the present GEORGE PALMES, esq. of Naburn.

Arms—Gules. Three fleurs de lys arg. a chief vaire. Quartering the ensigns of CHARLTON, of Shropshire, and PLUMPTON, of the county of York.

Crest—A hand holding a palmbranch.

Motto—Ut Palma Justus.

Estate—At Naburn, acquired by marriage in 1226.

Seat—Naburn, in the East Riding of the county of York.

Palmes, of Lindley.

There was another branch of the family of PALMES, seated at LINDLEY, in the county of York, and at Ashwell, in Rutlandshire, founded by

GUY PALMES, Serjeant-at-law, temp. HENRY VII. and HENRY VIII. second son of William Palmes, esq. of Naburn, by Ellinor Heslerton. He *m.* Jane, daughter and heir of John Drew, esq. of Bristow, and had (with John and Leonard, who died unmarried, and Jane, the wife of Nicholas Fairfax, of Walton) a son and heir,

BRIAN PALMES, esq. who *m.* Isabell, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Lindley, esq. of Lindley, in the county of York, by whom (who *d.* in 1550) he had issue,

FRANCIS (Sir), his heir.
Leonard, Thomas, } died unmarried.
Mary, *m.* to Thomas Beckwith, esq. of Clint, near Ripley, and *d.* in 1575.
Jane, *m.* to William Catherall, esq. of Rathmell, in Craven.

Mr. Palmes *d.* in 1528, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR FRANCIS PALMES, knt. of Lindley. This gentleman wedded Margaret, daughter of Roger Corbet, esq. of Morton, in Shropshire, and was father of

FRANCIS, his successor.
Elizabeth, *m.* to John Aclome, esq. of Moreby, living in 1584. He *d.* in 1567, and was *s.* by his son,

FRANCIS PALMES, esq. of Lindley, a justice of the peace in the West Riding of Yorkshire, *temp.* JAMES I. He *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of Stephen Hadnall, esq. and had issue,

GUY (Sir), his heir.
Thomas, William, Brian, Andrew, Steven, } died unmarried.
Margaret, *m.* to Edward Nevile, esq. nephew, of the Lord Abergaveny.
Ellen, *m.* to Edmund Griffin, esq. of Wakerley.

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Anne, Jane, Mary, } *d.* unmarried.

Mr. Palmes was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

SIR GUY PALMES, of Lindley, a justice of peace for the county of York, and high sheriff in the 20th of JAMES I. He wedded a daughter of Sir Edward Stafford, knt. and had issue,

BRIAN (SIR), his successor.

Stafford, William, Francis, } died unmarried.

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Leak, esq. of Newark.

Douglas, *m.* to John Vaughan, esq.

Mary, *m.* to William Mallory, esq.

Anne, *m.* first, to Sir Thomas Browne, bart. and secondly, to Robert Sutton, Lord Lexington.

Sir Guy was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR BRIAN PALMES, knt. of Lindley, (he was knighted about the year 1599,) who *m.* Mary, eldest daughter and co-heir of Gervase Tevery, esq. of Stapleford, in Nottinghamshire, and was father of

WILLIAM, his heir.

Tevery, *d.* unmarried.

Francis, *m.* to the Lady Mary-Jane Fane, daughter of Mildmay, Earl of Westmoreland. He *d. s. p.* and her ladyship espoused secondly, John, Earl of Exeter.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Joseph Welshe, esq.

Mary, *m.* to — Gernance, esq.

Anne, Katherine, } died unmarried.

Sir Brian was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM PALMES, esq. of Lindley. This gentleman espoused the Honourable Mary Eure, younger daughter and co-heir of William sixth Lord Eure, by which alliance he acquired the manors of Old and New Malton, which he eventually sold to Sir Thomas Wentworth. He had issue,

Guy, who died in infancy, anno 1669.

Frances, *d. s. p.* in 1698.

William, *m.* Elizabeth Watson, and *d. s. p.* in 1732.

Guy, *d. s. p.*

Maria, Katherine, } *d.* in infancy.

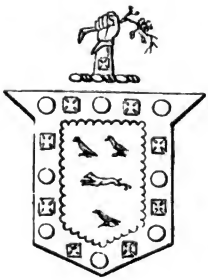
Margaret, *d.* in 1734, unmarried.

ELIZABETH, *m.* to Sir William Strickland, bart. and was great-grandmother of the present

Sir William Strickland, who represents this branch of the Palmes family.

WILLIAMS, OF HERRINGSTON.

WILLIAMS, EDWARD, esq. of Herringston, in the county of Dorset, *m.* in 1796, Anne, only daughter and heir of James Flinn, esq. of Swainswick, in Somersetshire, and has issue,



JAMES-WILMOT, *m.* in 1824, Elizabeth-Anne, second daughter of R. Magenis, esq. of the county of Down, in Ireland, sometime M.P. for the borough of Enniskillen, (by the Lady Elizabeth Cole, second dau. of William, first Earl of Enniskillen) and has two sons and a daughter, viz,

EDWARD-WILMOT, *b.* in November, 1826.

Albert-Henry, *b.* in February, 1832.

Florence-Elizabeth.

Gertrude-Mary.

Anne.

Jane.

Jemima.

Mr. Williams inherited, at the decease of his father, in 1757.

Lineage.

The family of WILLIAMS, traditionally of Welch extraction, were seated at Perry Court, parish of Stourminster Newton, in the county of Dorset, about the beginning of HENRY VI.'s reign. It is not precisely ascertained by what means they became

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first possessed of Herringston (formerly Winterbourn Herring) but it is evident that they had been established there for two generations at least before the marriage of Robert Williams, with the co-heiress of De la Lynde, through which alliance they obtained the representation of the HERRINGS, anciently lords of that manor, and from whom it had derived its additional designation.*

JOHN WILLIAMS, of Perry Court, temp. HENRY VI. died in 1464, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WILLIAMS, of Perry Court, who died in 1493. He was father of another

JOHN WILLIAMS, of Perry Court, who appears to have been the first of his family resident at Herringston, which he recovered against Sir William Filiol, knt. in 1513, (5th HENRY VIII.) He was sheriff of the county of Dorset, in the 23rd HENRY VII. and dying in 1516, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN WILLIAMS, esq. of Herringston, *b.* in 1473, who *m.* first, Margery, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Baker, of Lyme, in Dorsetshire, and had two sons,

ROBERT, his heir.

Henry, of Tyneham, in the isle of Purbeck, *b.* in 1513, *m.* Isabel, daughter of Thomas Coker, of Maypowder, in the county of Dorset, and died in 1589. His great grandson,

John Williams, esq. of Tyneham, left an only daughter,

JANE WILLIAMS, who wedded in 1639, Sir Robert Lawrence, of Grange, in the isle of Purbeck.

He espoused secondly, Alice, daughter of Alexander Cheney, of the isle of Shepey, in Kent, and relict of Sir Thomas De la Lynde, knt. of Winterbourn Clenston, in Dorsetshire, but had no further issue. He *d.* in 1549, and was *s.* by his elder son,

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. of Herringston, *b.* in 1509. This gentleman served the office of sheriff for Dorsetshire in 1567 (10th ELIZABETH). He wedded, first, Anne, daughter of Henry Trenchard, of Lytchet, in the same county, and had an only child,

JANE, *m.* to Robert Bingham, of Binghams Melcomb, likewise in Dorsetshire.

His second wife was ANNE, daughter of the above mentioned Sir Thomas De la Lynde,* by Alice Cheney, (which lady, as also stated, in her widowhood, became the second wife of his father). He had further issue,

JOHN (Sir), his heir.

Mary, *m.* first, to Robert Thornhull, esq. of Thornhull, in the county of Dorset, and secondly, to Lewis Argenton, esq. and *d.* 1616.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Edmund Uvedale, knt.

Edith, *m.* to Walter Graye, esq. of Bridport, and *d.* in 1613.

Mr. Williams *d.* in 1569, and was *s.* by his only son,

SIR JOHN WILLIAMS, knt. of Herringston, *b.* in 1545. This gentleman was sheriff of Dorsetshire in the 24th and 34th ELIZABETH, and knight of the shire in the first year of the ensuing reign. He espoused Eleanor, daughter of Henry Uvedale, esq. of More Critchel, in the county of Dorset, by whom he had four sons, viz.

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* "The SYWARDS, at a very remote period, possessors of the Hamlet of Herringston, were a family of great antiquity, and held lands in the county of Dorset, before the conquest. In the 12th EDWARD III. WALTER HARANG, or HERRING, enjoyed the hamlet in right of his wife, ALICE, daughter and heir of JOHN SYWARD, of Clenston." *Hutchins's History of Dorset.*

"The ancient and knightly family of Herring, or Harang, was of considerable note, and had possessions in this country." (*Ibid.*) They were seated at Chaldon-Herring, as early as the reign of *King* JOHN. John Heryng, of Chaldon, and Winterbourn Herring, the last male of the family, died in the 34th HENRY VI. when John De la Lynde, son and heir of John, son of Isabella De la Lynde, daughter of the said John Heryng, and John Russel, son and heir of Elizabeth Russel, his other daughter, were found to be his heirs. The Duke of Bedford in right of this match quarters the arms of Herring.

* "The family of De la Lynde," says Coker, "were men of great note in these parts," of whom Robert De la Lynde was living *temp.* HENRY II. They were seated at an early period at HARTLEY, in the parish of Great Mentern, acquired in marriage with the heiress of a family of that name, where they continued until the co-heiress of Herring conveyed to them, as stated, CLENSTON.

"Kings Stagge Bridge," (in the parish of East Pulham, in the county of Dorset) "got that name upon this occasion: *King* HENRY III. having disported himselfe in the forrest of Blackmore, hee spared one beautifull and goodlie white harte, which afterwards Sir De la Lynde, a neighbouring gentleman of antient descent and especiall note, with his companions pursuing killed at this place; but hee soone founde howe dangerous it was to bee twitching a lion by the eares: for the king tooke soe great indignation against him, that hee not onlie punished them with imprisonment and a grievous fine of money, but for this fact hee taxed their lands; the owners of which yearlie vntill this daye paye a rounde summe of money by waye of amercement unto the Exchequer called white harte silver. The posteritie of this man ever after gave for their arms white hartes heads in a red shielde, and the forrest allsoe from that time beganne to lose its antient name, and to bee called the forrest of Whiteharte."—*Coker's Survey of Dorset.*

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I. WILLIAM, who died in the lifetime of his father, leaving by his wife, Anne, daughter and co-heir of Sir William Peryam, knt. of Little Fulford, in the county of Devon, lord chief baron of the Exchequer,

JOHN, who succeeded his grandfather at Herringston, in 1617. He *m.* in 1613, Jane, daughter of Sir George Trenchard, knt. of Woolverton, in Dorsetshire, and was *s.* by his only surviving son,

JOHN, of Herringston, who *m.* — daughter of Jennings, of the Isle of Wight, but leaving no issue, he was *s.* at his decease by his cousin, ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. of SHITTERTON. His only sister, Elizabeth, *m.* William Collier, of Colliers Puddle, Dorsetshire.

II. ROBERT, of whom presently.

III. John, of Plumber, in the county of Dorset, and of Perry Court, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of R. Phellips, esq. of Montacute, in the county of Somerset, and had issue.

IV. George, of Glanvills Wotton, in Dorsetshire, *m.* Mary, daughter of William Carent, esq. of Toorner, in the county of Somerset, and dying in 1660, left an only dau. and heiress, who *m.* first, in 1641, John Every, esq. of Cotthay, in the county of Somerset, and secondly, John Harding, esq. of Long Bredy, in the county of Dorset.

The second son,

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. having espoused Mary, daughter and heir of John Argenton, esq. of Shitterton, in the parish of Bere Regis, in the county of Dorset, established himself there. His lady died in 1630, having had several children: he *d.* himself the next year, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

LEWIS WILLIAMS, esq. of Shitterton, *b.* in 1604, who wedded Honor, dau. of Robert Grove, esq. of Ferne, in the county of Wilts, and had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

John, of Shitterton, *m.* in 1662, Jane, daughter of William Anketil, and left issue.

Lewis, of Morden, in Dorsetshire, died unmarried.

Thomas, of Shitterton, *d.* unmarried, in 1728.

Mary, *b.* in 1641, *m.* first, in 1658, to Thomas Browne, esq. only son and heir apparent of John Browne, esq. of Frampton, in the county of Dorset, and secondly, in 1675, to Nathaniel Bond, esq. of Lutton, in the Isle of Purbeck, and *d.* in 1728.

He *d.* in 1680, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. who on the extinction of the elder male line by the death of John Williams, of Herringsworth, (refer to children of Sir John Williams, *b.* in 1545, and his wife, Eleanor Uvedale) became representative of the family. He *m.* in 1658, Margery, only dau. of John Browne, esq. of Frampton, by whom (who *d.* in 1661) he left at his decease, in 1697, an only surviving son,

JOHN WILLIAMS, esq. of Herringston,* *b.* in 1660. This gentleman, a major in the king's service, *m.* Margaret, daughter and heiress of Thomas Fulford, esq. by whom he had surviving issue,

I. JOHN, *b.* in 1680, *m.* Jane, daughter of Humphrey Sydenham, esq. of Combe, in the county of Somerset, and being killed in Spain, in 1703, left a son, SYDENHAM, who *s.* his grandfather.

II. ROBERT, ancestor of the Williamses, of Moor Park, in the county of Herts, and Bridehead, in the county of Dorset (See WILLIAMS, of *Bridehead*, p. 618).

III. Elizabeth, *m.* first, in 1725, to George Yates, esq. of Dorchester, and secondly, in 1739, to Roger Clavell, esq. of Steple, in the Isle of Purbeck.

IV. Anne, *m.* first, in 1718, to John Tucker, esq. of Nash, in the county of Somerset, and secondly, to the Rev. John Jacob, vicar of Fordington, in the county of Dorset.

V. Margaret, *b.* in 1688, who inherited the estates of her great-uncle, Thomas Williams, of Shitterton, *m.* in 1716, John Bond, esq. of Tyneham, in the Isle of Purbeck, M.P. and *d.* in 1775, leaving issue. (See BOND, of *Grange*, p. 242).

VI. Susan, *m.* in 1728, to the Rev. Henry Fisher, vicar of Bere Regis, in the county of Dorset, a great benefactor to Baliol College, Oxford.

VII. Honor, *m.* in 1730, to Stephen Williams, esq. of Plymouth.

Major Williams died in 1722, and was *s.* by his grandson,

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* By the decease, unmarried, of Elizabeth Browne, only daughter and heir of his uncle, Thomas Browne, esq. of Frampton, Mr. Williams became heir at law and sole representative of the elder branch of that family; and his descendant, Edward Williams, esq. is now, by the death of Francis John Browne, esq. late M.P. for Dorset, on the 20th March, 1833, sole representative of the family of Browne of Frampton.

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SYDENHAM WILLIAMS, esq. of Herringston, *b.* in 1701, who *m.* Agnes, daughter of Nicholas Forward, esq. of Moor House, in the county of Devon, by whom he had issue,

I. THOMAS, his heir.

II. John, *b.* in 1728, *m.* Merriel, second daughter of John Horner, esq. of Mells Park, in the county of Somerset, and had

1. John, in holy orders, vicar of Mereton Magna, in Somersetshire, prebendary of Wells, and formerly fellow of Oriel College, Oxford, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Friend, esq. of Weymouth, and has had issue,
   - John-Friend, in holy orders, vicar of Buckland, Dinham, and Norton Saint Philips, county of Somerset, *b.* in 1787, *m.* Catherine, third daughter of William Purlewent, esq. of Shepton-Mallet, and *d. s. p.* in 1816.
   - Elizabeth-Layton, *m.* to the Rev. Richard A. Burney, rector of Rympton, in the county of Somerset.
   - Jane, *m.* to John Lane, esq. of the Grange, Layton, Essex.
   - Frances.
   - Agnes, *m.* to William Read-Bell, esq. of Gillingham, in the county of Dorset.
   - Merriel-Horner, *m.* to Edward James Smith, esq. judge of Morabadad, Bengal.
2. Sydenham, of Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, *b.* in 1758, *m.* Mary, daughter of the Rev. Robert Norris, rector of Brushford, in Somersetshire, and *d.* in 1810, having had two sons,
   - John-Norris, a midshipman, *d.* in 1802.
   - Thomas, a captain in the Hon. East India Company's service, *m.* Mary Anne, daughter of William Benford, esq. of South Moulton.

   His widow *d.* in 1832.
3. Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Cameley and Brimpton, in the county of Somerset, and prebendary of Wells, *b.* in 1764 *m.* Susan, daughter of Captain B. Bechino, R.N. and sister of Mary, second wife of William, fourth duke of Roxburghe.
4. Robert, of Cerne-Abbas, in the county of Dorset, *b.* in 1766, *m.* his consin, Jane, daughter of Hamilton Blair, esq. of Blair, in the county of Air, and *d.* in 1814, leaving issue,
   - Hamilton-John, in holy orders, vicar of Buckland Dinham, in the county of Somerset, *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Taunton, esq. of Wrackleford, in the county of Dorset, and has issue.
   - Jane - Merriel, married to Robert Chermside, M.D.
5. Margaret-Ellery, *b.* in 1771, *m.* to Robert Pearson, captain R.N. and *d.* in 1828.

III. Ellery, *m.* to St. Barbe Sydenham, esq. of Combe, in the county of Somerset.

IV. Agnes, *m.* to John Sabine, esq. of Muckleford.

V. Margaret, *d.* unmarried.

VI. Jane, *m.* to Hamilton Blair, esq. of Blair, in the county of Air.

Mr. Sydenham Williams was governor of Portland Castle, and sheriff of the county of Dorset, in the 3rd and 14th of GEORGE II. He *d.* in 1757, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS WILLIAMS, esq. of Herringston, *b.* in 1728, *m.* Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Wilmot, bart. of Chaddesden, in the county of Derby, and dying in 1757, left, with two daughters, Sarah-Agnes, the wife of J. Letham, esq. and Jane, of Adair Hawkins, esq. of London,

EDWARD WILLIAMS, esq. present proprietor of HERRINGSTON.

Arms—Arg. within a bordure ingrailed gules, charged with crosses pattee or and bezants, a greyhound courant in fesse sab. between three Cornish choughs, ppr. Quartering the ensigns of De la Lynde, Hartley, Herring, Syward, Cerne, Argenton, and Browne.

Crest—A man's arm couped at the elbow, habited sab. charged with a cross patee or the hand ppr. holding an oak branch vert fructed or.

Motto—Nil Solidum.

Estates—In the county of Dorset.

Seat—Herringston, near Dorchester.

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WILLIAMS, OF BRIDEHEAD.

WILLIAMS, ROBERT, esq. of Bridehead, in the county of Dorset, *b.* 11th February, 1767, *m.* 28th August, 1794, Frances, youngest daughter of the late John Turner, esq. of Putney, and has issue,

ROBERT, *b.* 23rd January, 1811, M.P. for Dorchester.
Fanny.

Mr. Williams *s.* his father in 1814. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for Dorsetshire, and was formerly an alderman of London, of which city he was sheriff in 1796-7. He was returned ten successive times to parliament,—twice for Wootton Basset, once for Kilkenny, and seven times for Dorchester.

Lineage.

This is a younger branch of the family of WILLIAMS of Herringston, in the county of Dorset.

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. of Charminster, in Dorsetshire, *b.* in 1694, second surviving son of John Williams, esq. of Herringston, and his wife, Margaret Fulford (see Williams of Herringston), *m.* first, Frances, daughter of the Rev. Henry Hooton, vicar of Piddlestoun, in the same county, but had no issue. He *m.* secondly, Anne Shaw, of Manchester, and had,

1. JOHN, of Avery Hatch, in Essex, *m.* Anne, dau. of William Guy, of Wellclose Square, in Middlesex, and *d.* in 1774, leaving issue.
2. Thomas, of Wanfield Lodge, Berks, *m.* Sarah, dau. of — Topsell, esq. of Bracknell, and *d.* 1774, leaving a son, Robert, father of the present THOMAS WILLIAMS, esq. of Rushden Hall, (see vol. ii. p. 14.)
3. George, of Bath, *m.* Mary, daughter of — Beer, esq. of Lyme, in the county of Dorset, and had issue.
4. ROBERT, of whom presently.
5. Stephen, of Russell Place, St. Pancras, an East India Director, *m.* Charlotte, daughter of Sir Hadley Doyley, bart. of Shottisham, in Norfolk, and died in 1805, leaving issue.
6. Margaret, *m.* to Samuel Pedding, of Charminster.
7. Elizabeth, *m.* to Henry Pouncey, of Dorchester.
8. Honor, *m.* to Francis Chassereau, esq. of St. Marylebone.

The fourth son,

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. of Moor Park, in the county of Herts, and of Bridehead, in Dorsetshire, was an eminent banker in London, and some time M.P. for the borough of Dorchester. He served the office of sheriff for the county of Dorset. He *m.* 27th October, 1764, Jane, daughter of Francis Chassereau, esq. of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, and died on the 17th June, 1814, leaving issue,

I. ROBERT, his successor, now of Bridehead.
II. William, *b.* 28th March, 1774, late of Belmont House, Surrey, and of Portland Place, London, some time M.P. for Weymouth and Melcomb Regis; *m.* 30th November, 1797, Anne, eldest daughter of John Rashleigh, esq. of Penquite, in the county of Cornwall, and has had,
   1. Charles-Montague, *b.* 22nd May, 1799, *m.* 14th August, 1823, Anna-Maria, eldest daughter of Sir Samuel Scott, bart. of Sundridge Park, in Kent, and died 17th March, 1830, leaving two sons and a daughter, viz.
      Montague, *b.* 11th February, 1826.
      Charles-Rashleigh, *b.* 2nd December, 1830.
      Louisa-Maria.
   2. William,
   3. Frederick,
   4. Philip-Alfred,
   } all died young.
   5. Herbert, of Dorchester, *b.* 19th September, 1807, *m.* 16th February, 1832, Martha-Maria-Finden, only daughter of George Emery, esq. of the Grange Banwell, in the county of Somerset, and widow of Wiltens Andrée, esq.

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6. Louisa-Anne, *m.* 20th June, 1820, to Sir Henry-Lorrain Baker, bart. of Dunstable House, in the county of Surrey.

iii. Anne, *m.* to the Rev. Edward Aubery.

iv. Harriett, *m.* 24th May, 1808, to John Coleman Rashleigh, esq. of Prideaux, in Cornwall, created a baronet in 1831.

v. Sophia, *m.* to the Rev. John William Cunningham, vicar of Harrow, and died in 1821.

Arms, Crest, &c.—Refer to WILLIAMS of *Herringston.*

Estates—Parishes of Little Bredy, Compton Vallence, Winterbourn Abbas, and in the borough of Dorchester; all in the county of Dorset: Richmansworth, Herts.

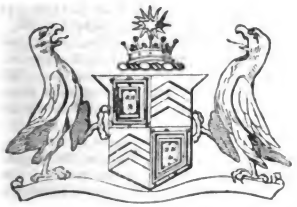
Town Residence---36, Grosvenor Square.

Seat---Bridehead, near Dorchester, beautifully situated in a well-wooded vale and open country near the sea.

MORAY, OF ABERCAIRNY.

MORAY, JAMES, esq. of Abercairny, in the county of Perth, a justice of the peace and deputy-lieutenant for that shire, formerly captain of the 15th Dragoons, and afterwards lieutenant-colonel of the Perthshire Local Militia, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of General Sir William Erskine, bart. of Torrie. He succeeded to the estates at the decease of his father in 1810.

Lineage.



The great house of MORAY, or MURRAY, whose acknowledged chieftainship is now vested in ABERCAIRNY, derives from

FRESKINE, a Fleming, who settled in Scotland during the reign of DAVID I., and acquired from that monarch the lands of Strathbrock, in the county of Linlithgow. "Soon after the insurrection of the Moraymen in 1130," says Chalmers, "Freskine, who probably contributed by his skill and bravery to the subduement of those ancient people, obtained from the same prince some of the most fertile districts of the Lowlands of MORAY," including Duffies, Inshkiel, Rosile, &c., and erected a fortalice at Duffies, where he resided, and where the massy ruins of the castle are still to be seen. Freskine was *s.* in 1158, by his only son,

WILLIAM DE MORAVIA, as appears from a charter, granted under the great seal, by WILLIAM *the Lion*, "Willielmo, filio Freskini, scilicet terras quas Freskine, pater suus, tenuit, tempore regis David avi mei." He left two sons, namely,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Hugh, who obtained from his father the lands of Duffus. He had a son, Walter, who is frequently mistaken for Walter, the son of William. He is witness to a charter in the chartulary of Moray, in which there is a donation made to the church of Spynie, and is designed—"Domino Waltero de Moravia, filio quondam Hugonis de Moravia."

The elder son and heir,

WILLIAM DE MORAVIA, according to numerous grants and other deeds, in the archives of the episcopal see of Moray, *s.* his father in 1200, in those records he is described "Willielmus filius Willielmi filii Friskini." He subsequently made a donation to the church of Spynie, as appears by a charter in the chartulary of Moray, wherein he states that "Hugone, fratre meo," is a witness. He seems to have wedded the daughter and heiress of David de Olifard, justiciary of Loudoun, in the reign of ALEXANDER II., to have acquired by her the

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lands of BOTHWELL, and to have had* a son and heir,

WALTER DE MORAVIA, who succeeded his father in 1226, and was the first of this family designed by the title of "Bothwell." In a deed in the chartulary of Moray, this Walter is stated to be the son of William, and in a charter of confirmation granted by ALEXANDER II. anno 1248, and by another deed, in 1253, it is evident that David de Olifard was the successor of Walter de Olifard, and the ancestor of Walter de Moravia, which two deeds are taken from the chartularly of Glasgow, and are in the possession of the family of Panmure.

Walter de Moravia wedded a daughter of Duncan, earl of Fife, and had two sons, WILLIAM and ANDREW, by the elder of whom,

SIR WILLIAM DE MORAVIA, Dominus de Bothwell, he was succeeded in 1284. He died, however, without issue, in 1293, and was *s.* by his brother,

SIR ANDREW MORAY, of Bothwell, who is styled Sir William's son, by Crawfurd, but erroneously, as appears from the last clause in Sir Williams' mortification of the church of Wallyston, to the see of Glasgow, in which Andrew appends his seal to the deed, as his brother's presumptive heir, "Sigillum nostrum apposimus," saith Sir William, "et sigillum Domini Andreæ Moravia, fratris nostri, apponi procuravimus." Sir Andrew Moray, who was joint governor of the kingdom, distinguished himself as the associate of WALLACE, when that illustrious patriot reared the standard of national independence. He *m.* a daughter of Sir John Cumin, Lord of Badenach, and falling at the battle of Stirling, left issue,

I. ANDREW (Sir), who succeeded at Bothwell. He espoused the Lady Christian Bruce, sister of King ROBERT I. of Scotland, and had two sons,

JOHN, } successively lords of
THOMAS, } Bothwell. The elder dying without issue, and the younger, Thomas, leaving an only daughter and heiress, JEAN, *m.* to Archibald, Lord of Galloway, afterwards Earl of Douglas, the representation of the family devolved on the posterity of WILLIAM MORAY, of Drumsargard.

II. WILLIAM, of Drumsargard.

The second son,

SIR WILLIAM MORAY, obtained the barony of DRUMSARGARD, from his uncle, Sir William, and we find him frequently designed by that title, in his father's lifetime. In 1290, his name appears amongst the signatures of a great portion of the Scottish nobles, affixed to a letter to EDWARD I. concerning a marriage between *Queen* MARGARET of Scotland, and *Prince* EDWARD of England, and in 1296, he took the oath of fealty to the English monarch. Sir William died in about four years after, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR JOHN MORAY, designed in many authentic writs, *Dominus* de Drumsargard, a personage of great influence at the period in which he lived. He wedded in 1299, the Lady Mary, only daughter of Malise, sixth earl of Strathern, by whom he acquired the lands of ABERCAIRNY, Ogilvie, &c. and had issue,

MAURICE (Sir,) } successive pro-
ALEXANDER (Sir), } prietors.
Walter, to whom his brother, Sir Alexander, gave the lands of Drumsargard, by charter under the great seal dated 13th November, 1375. He was ancestor of the MORAYS, of Ogilface, a family now extinct.

Sir John Moray dying in the early part of the fourteenth century, was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR MAURICE MORAY, of Drumsargard, a bold and steady adherent of DAVID BRUCE, who obtained in 1343, from that monarch, a charter of the EARLDOM of STRATHERN, to himself and the heirs male of his body. His lordship married a daughter of Thomas Randolph, earl of Moray, but had no issue. Accompanying *King* DAVID on his unfortunate expedition into England, the earl was slain at the battle of Durham in 1346, when the title of Strathern reverted to the crown, while the estates and representation of the family devolved on his brother,

SIR ALEXANDER MORAY, who was returned heir to his paternal inheritance in 1349. In 1366, at the decease of Thomas, last lord of Bothwell, without male issue, Sir Alexander claimed as next heir male, the succession to his estates, but the lord of Galloway having wedded, as before stated, the daughter and heiress of the deceased lord of Bothwell, had obtained full possession. "The power of the Douglasses," says the Baronage, "being then very great, Sir Alexander found it impossible for him to get justice in the ordinary courts of Judicature: Yea, their influence was then so universal that he could not get lawyers to plead his cause. This is fully instructed by the following contract; Sir Alexander

* Besides WALTER, his heir, this William had other sons, "who," continues Chalmers, "propagated the name of MORAY, by founding other houses, one of which was the MURRAYS, of Tullibardine, now represented by the duke of Athol."

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having married Lady Janet, daughter of William Earl of Ross, sister of Queen Euphan, and relict of the baron of Monymusk, the queen and her son, David, Prince Palatine of Strathern, being the parties contractors, became bound to use their best endeavours to get justice done him in relation to the lordships of Bothwell, and to procure him council and lawyers to plead his cause." The contract is dated at Perth, 20th November, 1375. "This curious paper," continues Sir Robert Douglas, "which is very honourable to the family, being narrated at full length in Crawfurd's Peerage, page 42, to that we refer our readers. But the Lord Galloway having taken every measure to secure himself in that possession, his interest with the king being very great, and the authority and power of the Douglasses being considerable over the whole kingdom; it never was in Sir Alexander's power to recover his just right to the lordship of Bothwell, and being determined to live no longer in that part of the country, where he thought he had been so ill used, he gave the lands and barony of Drumsargard to his brother, Walter, and retired to Perthshire, where he had an opulent fortune."

Sir Alexander Moray being subsequently implicated in the slaughter of one Spalding, was necessitated to plead the privilege of the clan Macduff,* which he obtained accordingly. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR ANDREW MORAY, of Ogilvy and Abercairny, on whom King JAMES II. of Scotland, conferred the honour of knighthood. He *m.* a daughter of Sir Humphrey Cunningham, of Glengarnock, an ancient Ayrshire family, by whom he left at his demise, *temp.* JAMES III. (with two daughters, the elder *m.* to Sir Maurice Drummond, of Concraig, and the younger to Charles Campbell, of Strouchore) a son and successor,

SIR HUMPHRY MORAY, of Ogilvy and Abercairny, who obtained a charter from King JAMES III. on his own resignation, erecting his lands of Ogilvy, Abercairny, Kyntocher, Connothy, &c. into one free barony, and at the same time, exempting them from appearance before the Steward Court of Strathern. He wedded Catherine, daughter of Patrick, Lord Graham, and sister to William, first earl of Montrose, by whom he left a son and heir,

ANDREW MORAY, of Abercairny, one of the gallant warriors of the reign of JAMES IV. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Alexander Robertson, of Strowan, and had three sons viz.

- GEORGE, who fell at Floddenfield. He *m.* Agnes, a daughter of the eminent house of Lindsey, and had a son,
  - JOHN, heir to his grandfather.
- Humphrey (Sir), who *d. s. p.*
- Robert, tutor-in-law to his nephew, John, during his minority.

Abercairny, attending his sovereign to Flodden, was there slain with his elder son, in 1513. His grandson and successor,

JOHN MORAY, of Abercairny, espoused his cousin, the Lady Nicholas Graham, daughter of William, earl of Montrose, and had issue,

- WILLIAM, his heir.
- ROBERT, successor to his brother.
- Marian, *m.* to Malcolm Robertson, of Kierquhan.
- Margaret, *m.* to Andrew Shaw, of Kinloch-hill.
- Agnes, *m.* to James Marshall, of Pitcairns.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to John Orrock, of that Ilk.
- Janet, *m.* to David Toschoch, of Monyvaird.
- Barbara, who died unmarried.

John Moray fell at the battle of Pinkie, in 1547, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM MORAY, of Abercairny, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Laurence, Lord Oliphant, but dying without surviving issue, in 1558, the estates and representation passed to his brother,

ROBERT MORAY, of Abercairny. This gentleman espoused, in 1560, Catherine, daughter of William Murray, of Tullibardine, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. David (Sir), of Gorthy, appointed by JAMES VI. governor to that monarch's eldest son, *Prince* HENRY. He *d. s. p.*
3. Mungo (Sir), of Craigie, who *m.* a daughter of George Halket, of Pitfirran, and had issue,
   - ROBERT (Sir), Lord Justice Clerk,

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* One of the immunities which MALCOLM CANMORE conferred on MACDUFF, Thane of Fife, was, "that if he or any of kindred committed slaughter of suddenly, they should have a peculiar sanctuary, and obtain remission on payment of an atonement in money." The descent of Sir Alexander Moray, from the Macduffs, was thus traced:

DUNCAN, EARL OF FIFE, descendant and representative of Macduff, Thane of Fife.

a daughter—Sir Walter Moray, lord of Bothwell.

Sir Andrew Moray, of Bothwell.

Sir William Moray, of Drumsargard.

Sir John Moray, of Drumsargard.

Sir Alexander Moray.

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one of the commissioners of the treasury and president of the Royal Society.

William (Sir), of Dreghorn, master of the works to *King* CHARLES II. He *m.* a daughter of Sir James Foulis, of Colinton, by whom he had three sons, who all *d. s. p.* and a daughter, *m.* to Cockburn, of Chouslie.

4. John, minister of Dunfermline, who *m.* Margaret Leslie, dau. of James, Master of Rothes, but *d.* without surviving issue.
5. Andrew, a captain in the army, who *d.* in Holland, *s. p.*
6. James, who also *d.* issueless.
7. Nicholas, *m.* to Sir Robert Douglas, of Spot, afterwards Lord Belhaven.
8. Anne, *m.* to Sir William Moncrieff, of that Ilk.

The Laird of Abercairny *d.* 29th September, 1549, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM MORAY, of Abercairny. This gentleman, contemporary with *King* JAMES VI., was brought up with that prince at Stirling, his majesty being then under the care of Abercairny's aunt, the Countess of Marr. Sir William, who was master of horse to the queen, *m.* Christian, daughter of Sir Laurence Mercer, of Aldie, and had issue,

ROBERT, *m.* Helen, daughter of Alexander Bruce, of Cultmalundie, and dying *v. p.* in 1628, left issue,

1. WILLIAM, heir to his grandfather.
2. David, *d. s. p.*
3. Anne, *m.* to Alexander Robertson, esq. of Strowan.

Mary, *m.* to Patrick Murray, of Ochtertyre, and had issue.

Sir William Moray died in 1640, and was *s.* by his grandson,

WILLIAM MORAY, esq. of Abercairny, a devoted royalist, who *m.* Anne, daughter of George Hay, of Keillor, grandfather of John, twelfth Earl of Errol, and had issue,

ROBERT, his heir.

William, who died without issue.

George, a captain in Lord Dumbarton's regiment, who *d. s. p.*

Isabel, *m.* to Sir Archibald Stewart, bart. of Burrow.

Helen, *m.* to Mungo Graham, of Gorthy.

The eldest son,

SIR ROBERT MORAY, of Abercairny, succeeded his father in 1642, and received the honor of knighthood from *King* CHARLES II. immediately after the restoration. He *m.* Anne, daughter of Patrick Graham, esq. of Inchbraikie, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Robert, a steady adherent of the STUART family, to whom the exiled JAMES II., at St. Germains, entrusted several important commissions. He wedded Janet, daughter of John Murray, esq. of Polmais, and left issue, but the line is now EXTINCT.

John, who, after the revolution, entered the French service, and attained the rank of lieutenant-colonel. He died unmarried, in 1710.

James, who *d.* young.

Maurice, who *d.* unmarried.

Anne, *m.* to David Graham, esq. of Fintray.

Emilia, *m.* to James Graham, esq. of Garvock.

Sir Robert *d.* in 1704, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM MORAY, esq. of Abercairny. This gentleman taking no part in public affairs, but residing chiefly on his paternal estate in splendour and hospitality, improved the inheritance, and freed it entirely from the incumbrances which the injustice of former times and the extravagance of some of his predecessors had incurred. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Græme, esq. of Balgowan, and had issue,

JAMES, his heir.

Louisa, *m.* to Alexander, sixth Earl of Kelly.

Elizabeth, *m.* to David Graeme, esq.

Abercairny dying in 1735, was *s.* by his only son,

JAMES MORAY, esq. of Abercairny, who *m.* the Lady Christian Montgomery, daughter of Alexander, ninth Earl of Eglinton, and had issue,

James, who *d.* young.

ALEXANDER, CHARLES, } successive possessors.

Susanna, *m.* to Colonel John Seaton, heir and representative of the Earls of Dumferline, and had issue.

Elizabeth, *m.* to Andrew Lord Rollo.

Margaret, *m.* to John Sinclair, esq. advocate, sheriff-depute of the counties of Caithness and Sutherland.

Frances, *m.* first, to George Drummond, esq. of Blair Drummond, and had a son, John, who *d.* in his infancy. Mrs. Drummond married, secondly, General Sir William Erskine, of Torrie, and had issue.

The elder surviving son and heir,

ALEXANDER MORAY, esq. of Abercairny, dying without issue, was *s.* by his only surviving brother,

COL. CHARLES MORAY, of Abercairny, who wedded the eldest daughter and heiress of the late Sir William Stirling, bart. of Ardoch, by whom he acquired those lands, and had issue,

JAMES, his heir.

William Moray-Stirling, of Ardoch, which estate he inherited from his

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mother, the heiress of STIRLING. Major Moray-Stirling has served for a long period in the army, has passed ten years in India, and was present at the battle of Waterloo, where he was severely wounded. He *m.* the Hon. Fanny Douglas, daughter of Archibald Lord Douglas, by the Lady Frances Scott, grand-aunt of Walter, Lord of Buccleuch.

Charles, a captain in the army, who *d.* in 1820.

Christian, *m.* to Henry Home Drummond, esq. of Blair Drummond, and has issue two sons and a daughter.

Margaret.

Col. Moray-Stirling *d.* in 1810, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present JAMES MORAY, esq. of *Abercairny*.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth, azure, three stars arg. within a double tressure, counterflowered or; second and third or, two chevrons gu.

Crest—An earl's crown surmounted of a star, with twelve rays arg.

Mottoes—Above the crest—Sans Tache, and below the shield—Tanti talem genuere parentes.

Supporters—Two eagles ppr.

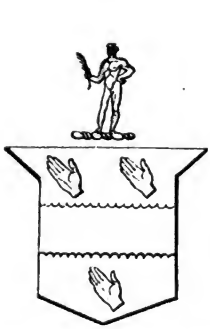
Estates—The barony of Abercairny, situated in the parish of Fowlis Wester, and the barony of Ogilvie and Glensherop, in the parish of Blackford, in the county of Perth, acquired by the Morays from Maulise, sixth Earl of Strathern, in the year 1299, *in libero maritagio*, with his only daughter, the Lady Mary. The estates of Ballycloan, parish of Maderty, Glenalmond and Pittentian, parish of Crieff, Feddal, in the parish of Dunblane, with other extensive lands in the parishes of Blackford and Fowlis Wester since added by purchase.

Seat—Abercairny Abbey, Perthshire.

BATES, OF MILBOURNE.

BATES, RALPH, esq. of Milbourne Hall, in the county of Northumberland, *b.* 13th December, 1799, *s.* to the estates at the decease of his father in 1813.

Lineage.



The family of BATES has been established many centuries in the county of Northumberland, and has enjoyed the highest respectability.

WILLIAM BATES, esq. of Bedlington, in that shire, was father of

JAMES BATES, esq. of Milbourne, living *temp.* EDWARD IV. who is styled son and heir apparent of William Bates, in a deed of a sale of lands and a house in Bedlington, in the occupation of the above William Bates, from John Spitter and Gilbert Clark. The next on record,

THOMAS BATES, esq. of Ovington Hall, in Northumberland, was returned in 1554 to parliament, as member for the borough of Morpeth, which he continued to represent in the reigns of MARY and ELIZABETH. This gentleman appears to have been high in favour with the former queen, for we find her Majesty addressing to him in 1556-7, the following complementary letter,

MARY THE QUENE

By the Quene

Trustie and welbiloved we grete you well and whereas we understand by reporte of our right trustie and right welbiloved cousyn therle of Northumberland, not only your good will and readyness to our service in these borders but also the good and valyante servyce and endeavour ye have from tyme to tyme don there. And specially now at

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this last encountree with the ennemie. Like as for your parte ye have shewed therein a good knowledge of your duty bothe towards us and your countrey moche to our contentacon—So have wee thoughte it convenyent for this your good service by our lres to give unto you our heartye thanks and will not fayle upon your contynewance in this your well doinge to have you in our good remembrance as occasion shall serve not doubting but as you shewed your selfe willing and forward in our good servyce, so ye will continue and be ready from tyme to tyme to follow the directions of our said cousyn in all things that shall touche our servyce there—Given under our signet at our mansion of St. James, the 27th of November, the fourthe and fyvethe yeares of our Reignes."

"To our trustye and welbiloved
Thomas Baytes, gentleman."

Thomas Baytes was subsequently, during the reign of ELIZABETH, appointed supervisor of all his Majesty's houses, lordships, manours, lands, and tenements in Northumberland. In Bishop Barnes book he is styled deputed patron by the queen, of the rectory of Whalton, and on the 9th of August, 1579, he presented Robert Bellamy, Clk. doctor of physic to that rectory. His son and heir,

ROBERT BATES, esq. of Morpeth, Milbourne, &c. held four messuages and appurtenances in Melbourne, of the queen, as of her Majesty's barony of Mitford, in capite, and by service of a moiety of one knight's fee. He died in the 37th ELIZABETH, and was *s.* by his son,

CUTHBERT BATES, esq. of Halliwell, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of — Ogle, esq. of Bebside, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

Cuthbert, capain of a foot company under the command of William, marquess of Newcastle. He fell at the siege of York, in 1644, unmarried.

John, who *d.* unm. in 1599, and was buried at Earsdon.

Dorothy, *m.* to — Middleton, esq. of Silswicke.

Isabel, *m.* to Martin Fenwick, esq. of Brinkley.

Catherine, *m.* to George Bindlosse, esq. of Newcastle on Tyne.

Cuthbert Bates died 2nd February, 1602, and was buried in the parish church of Earsdon, in Northumberland. He was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS BATES, esq. of Halliwell, born in 1596. This gentleman, a grand juror in 1627, was prosecuted for recusancy. He wedded Dorothy, fourth daughter of Mark Errington, esq. of Pont Island, by whom (who died in 1663) he had issue,

RALPH, his heir.

Thomas, of Newcastle on Tyne, who married Miss Margaret Wilkinson of Durham, and had several children. They all died *s. p.* except a daughter, *m.* to — Crawforth, esq. and a son, Richard-Jedidiah, who, by his third wife, Margaret, daughter of Michael Clark, esq. of Yorkshire, left four daughters, Isabel, the wife of Ralph Bates, esq. of Halliwell; Esther, of C. Fenwick, esq.; Mary, *m.* to the Rev. John Ellison; and Margaret, to the Rev. L. Farrington.

Margaret, *m.* to William Watson, esq. of Bedlington.

Mary, } both died young.
Barbara, }

Zersbabel, *d.* unm. in 1638

Isabel.

Catherine.

Mr. Bates died in 1638, and was buried at Earsdon, being succeeded by his eldest son,

RALPH BATES, esq. of Halliwell, East Hartford, &c. in the county of Northumberland, baptized at Earsdon, 29th August, 1613, who transmitted in 1666 to the Herald's Office a pedigree of his family. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Chatour or Challoner, of Butterby, in the palatine of Durham, and had, with four daughters, three sons, viz.

RALPH, his heir.

Mark, *b.* in 1653, who married Eleanor, relict of — Pye, of Morpeth, but died without issue, 23rd August, 1708.

Andrew, *b.* in 1655, who *m.* a daughter of Matthew Whitfield, esq. of Whitfield Hall, in Northumberland, and had issue.

Mr. Bates died 11th March, 1690, aged seventy-eight, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

RALPH BATES, esq. of Halliwell, baptized 16th February, 1646, who *m.* first, 29th May, 1677, Margaret, daughter of Robert Bewicke, esq. of Close House, in Northumberland, and had by her (who died in 1680) two sons,

THOMAS, his heir.

Ralph, *b.* 4th March, 1679, who died unmarried in 1683.

Mr. Bates wedded secondly, 31st July, 1683, Anne,* relict of John Hedworth, esq. of

* This lady was daughter of William James, esq. of Washington, in Durham (grandson of Dr. James, Bishop of Durham). By her first husband, John Hedworth, esq. of Harraton, she had two daughters, co-heirs of their father, viz.

DOROTHY HEDWORTH, who wedded, in 1696, Ralph Lambton, esq. and had with other issue, a son,

JOHN LAMBTON, esq. who became eventually of Lambton Castle. This gen-

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Harraton, in the county of Durham, by whom (who espoused for her third husband, John Shafto, esq. of Bavington) and had issue,

William, born at Harraton, 2nd July, 1684, who died without issue in 1705.

RALPH, eventual inheritor.

Margaret, *m.* to W. Potter, esq.

Anne, *m.* to Christopher Teesdale, esq. of Knipe Hall, Westmoreland, and hence springs the present Colonel Sir George Teesdale, C.B. First Dragoons.

The eldest son and heir,

THOMAS BATES, esq. of Halliwell, born 15th May, 1678, succeeded to the estates on the demise of his father, who was unfortunately drowned in the river Tyne at Newcastle, 22nd July, 1695. Dying himself, however, without issue, 19th June, 1734, the possessions of the family devolved upon his only surviving half-brother,

RALPH BATES, esq. of Halliwell, in Northumberland, and of Newbottle, in the palatinate, *b.* 8th January, 1688. This gentleman *m.* first, 6th May, 1714, Mary, daughter of John Bacon, esq. of Staward, in Northumberland, by whom (who died in March, 1723) he had issue,

I. Anne, *b.* 21st October, 1715, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Stoddart, afterwards rector of Whalton, and left issue at her decease in 1787. Her eldest daughter, Mary, wedded — Errington, esq. of the Chesters, and had issue.

II. Isabella, *b.* 16th July, 1717, who *m.* William Watson, esq. of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and her great grandson,

William Watson, esq. of North Seaton, in Northumberland, espoused, in 1831, the Hon. Georgiana Beresford, eldest daughter of Lord Decies, and has issue.

III. Margaret, *b.* in 1718, who *m.* Cuthbert Watson, esq. of Coupen, and died leaving issue. The eldest son wedded Miss Watson of North Seaton, and had two daughters, Mrs. Purvis and Mrs. Errington.

IV. Mary, } both died in infancy.
V. Dorothy, }

Mr. Bates wedded secondly, 20th May, 1725, his cousin, Isabel, eldest daughter of Richard Bates, esq. of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and had further issue,

I. RALPH, his heir.

II. Thomas, *b.* 3rd December, 1735, who *m.* in February, 1770, Elizabeth, daughter of — Clutterbuck, esq. of Warkworth, and dying, 26th August, 1794, left, with younger children, a son,

Thomas, a lieutenant-colonel in the army, who *m.* a daughter of Sir Robert Waller, bart. and has two sons and seven daughters.

III. Mary, *b.* 17th April, 1726, who *m.* in 1754, Henry Wilson, esq. of Newbottle, and had issue,

Thomas Wilson, who died young.

Isabella Wilson, who *m.* General Maxwell, (now Sir William Maxwell, bart. of Calderwood,) and died in 1829, leaving four sons,

William Alexander Maxwell, major in the First Dragoon Guards.

Robert Maxwell.

Henry Maxwell.

Hugh Bates Maxwell, who *m.* his cousin, Miss Hunter.

IV. Esther, *m.* to Richard Wharton, esq. and died in 1794 *s. p.*

V. Elizabeth, died unmarried in 1747.

VI. Dorothy, who *m.* first, William Clayton, esq. of Newcastle, mayor in 1755, and had one son, Ralph Clayton, serjeant-at-law, now deceased, and two daughters, Isabella, *m.* to R. Walters, esq. and Anne, relict of Dr. Moorhouse. Mrs. Clayton wedded secondly, — Brick, esq. and died in 1778, leaving another daughter.

VII. Jane, } both died young.
VIII. Deborah, }

Ralph Bates, of Halliwell, a very active magistrate, died 23rd November, 1754, and was buried at St. Dunstan's in the West, London. His elder son and successor,

RALPH BATES, esq. born 14th May, 1730, served the office of high sheriff for Northumberland in 1762. He *m.* first, 16th July, 1759, Jane Mitford, by whom (who died in childbed, 6th May, 1760) he had an only daughter,

Isabella-Jane, who *m.* in 1786 the Rev. Henry Ingilby, brother to the late Sir John Ingilby, bart. of Ripley Castle, and died leaving four sons and five daughters.

1. Henry Ingilby, in holy orders, who *m.* Miss M'Dowal, and has issue.

2. William-Bates Ingilby.

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tleman, who was a major-general in the army, and M.P. for Durham, espoused, in 1763, Susan, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Strathmore, and the grandson of this marriage is the present *John George*, EARL OF DURHAM.

ELIZABETH HEDWORTH, *m.* to Sir William Williamson, bart. of Markham, and their grandson is the present SIR HEDWORTH WILLIAMSON, bart.

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3. Mitford Ingilby, deceased.
4. Richard Ingilby.
5. Lucy Ingilby.
6. Esther Ingilby.
7. Anne Ingilby.
8. Isabella Ingilby.
9. Emily Ingilby, deceased.

Mr. Bates espoused secondly, in 1762, Anne, sister of the late Henry Ellison, esq. of Hebburn Hall, and had further issue,

Ralph, his heir.
Thomas, } both died unmarried.
Henry, }
Richard, who was killed on board the Argo, man of war, by a cannon shot, in an engagement with two French ships of war in the West Indies in 1783.
Robert, deceased.
Cuthbert.
Hannah, who wedded, in 1786, John Hunter, esq. of Lisburn, Ireland, and had issue,
John Hunter, who *m.* Miss Sarah Story, of Lackington Hall, Leicestershire, and has two daughters.
Ralph Bates Hunter, in holy orders, present rector of Whalton, Northumberland.
George Hunter.
Henry Hunter, who *m.* Miss Byrne, and has a son.
William Hunter.
Mary Anne Barbara Hunter, *m.* to her cousin, Hugh Bates Maxwell, esq.
Anna Hunter, who died young.
Anne, } both died unmarried.
Elizabeth, }
Mary-Anne, *m.* in 1795 to the Rev. John Fawcett, and had issue, John Fawcett, a magistrate for the county of Durham, and four other sons and four daughters.

Mr. Bates, the sheriff of Northumberland in 1762, died 2nd August, 1783, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

Ralph Bates, esq. of Milbourne Hall, Halliwell, &c. born 22nd October, 1764, for many years lieutenant-colonel of the 6th Enniskillen Dragoons. This gentleman, colonel-commandant of the southern regiment of Northumberland Local Militia, a justice of the peace, and deputy-lieutenant, served the office of sheriff for the county in 1812. He wedded, 4th December, 1798, his second cousin, Sarah, third daughter of the late Rev. Nathaniel Ellison, vicar of Bolam and Doddington, by Jane, his wife, daughter and heiress of Colonel Furye, of Faringdon, Berks, and had three sons and as many daughters, viz.

Ralph, his heir.
Nathaniel.
Robert, died in infancy in 1807.
Jane Anne.
Sarah.
Georgiana.

Colonel Bates died 6th June, 1813, and was buried in the family vault at St. Andrew's, Newcastle-on-Tyne. He was succeeded by his eldest son, the present Ralph Bates, esq. of Milbourne Hall.

Arms---Sa. a fesse engrailed or, between three dexter hands couped at the wrist bendways, arg.

Crest---A naked man holding in his dexter hand a willow wand.

Motto---Et manu et corde.

Estates---Milbourne, East and West Coldcoats, Holywell, East Hartford, and Whalton Rectory, all in Northumberland; with a small freehold (conjointly with Mr. Burrell, of Broome Park) at Heighington, in the county of Durham.

Seat---Milbourne Hall. The old mansion house at Holywell or Halliwell is now occupied by some of Mr. Bates's tenants. The present residence, Milbourne Hall, was erected in 1810. It is situated eleven miles N.W. of Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the parish of Ponteland.

CALDECOTT, OF RUGBY.

CALDECOTT, THOMAS, esq. of Rugby Lodge, in the county of Warwick, barrister-at-law, *b.* 6th October, 1798, *m.* 8th January, 1828, Ann-Catherine, eldest daughter of the late Lieutenant-colonel James West, of the Royal Artillery, and has issue,

1. Thomas, *b.* 3rd October, 1831.
2. Elizabeth.
3. Emily.
4. Ellen.

Mr. Caldecott inherited the estates at the decease of his father in 1829. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Warwick.

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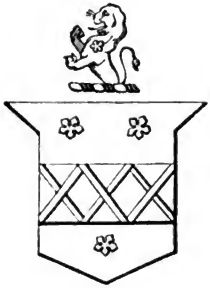
Lineage.



From

THOMAS CALCOTT, of Abingdon, Berks, lineally descended

THOMAS CALCOTT, esq. of Barrow and Whitwell, in the county of Rutland, for many years in the commission of the peace for Leicestershire. He espoused first, Agnes, daughter of Richard House, of West Wycombe, Bucks, by whom he had several children, who all died *s. p.* He married, secondly, Abigail, daughter of John Huggeford, esq. of Henwood Hall, in the county of Warwick, and left by her, (who died in April, 1681),

THOMAS, his heir.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Theophilus Aylmer, esq.
Mary, died unm.
Abigail, *m.* to Christopher Bradgate, esq.

Mr. Calcott died in 1643, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS CALCOTT, or CALDECOTT, esq. of Calthorpe, in the county of Leicester, a justice of the peace for that shire, and high sheriff in 1665. He *m.* first, Mary, daughter of Alexander Prescott, esq. of Thooby Abbey, Essex, by whom (who died in August, 1681) he had with other issue, THOMAS, his successor. Mr. Caldecott wedded secondly, Mrs. Eleanor Pratt, but had no child by that lady. He died in 1702-3, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS CALDECOTT, esq. of Calthorpe, *b.* in 1652, who *m.* Maud, daughter of John Evans, esq. of Northampton, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Mary, who *m.* John Ward, esq. of Guilsborough, sheriff for Northamptonshire in 1730, and had

SIR THOMAS WARD, knt. of Guilsborough, who *d.* unm.
Mary-Ward, *m.* to John Shuckburgh, esq.
Elizabeth-Ward, *m.* to Richard Ward, esq.
Ann-Ward, *m.* to John Lucas, esq. was mother of the present
WILLIAM-ZOUCH LUCAS WARD, esq. of Guilsborough, (refer to p. 379.)

Mr. Caldecott died in 1720, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS CALDECOTT, esq. who espoused Mrs. Elizabeth Cheney, daughter of John Pettet, esq. of Dartford, in Kent, and had issue,

Thomas, barrister-at-law, who *d. s. p.*
WILLIAM.
Merice, *m.* to Abraham Turner, esq. and died in 1790.
Matilda.
Mary.

The only surviving son,

WILLIAM CALDECOTT, esq. of Rugby, wedded first, Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Peter Senhouse, of Linton, in the county of Hereford, (see p. 216) and had issue,

Thomas, of Dartford, in Kent, barrister-at-law, bencher of the Middle Temple, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of James Pool, esq. of Hornead, in Herefordshire, by whom (who died in 1790) he had no issue,
Peter, who died young, in 1745.
William, who died *s. p.* in 1777.

Mr. Caldecott *m.* secondly, Anna, relict of William Boughton, esq. and daughter of — Deacon, esq. of Market Bosworth, by whom (who died in 1783) he had

John, of Holbrook Grange, in the county of Warwick, who *m.* first, Mary Letitia, daughter of Benjamin Sutton, esq. and relict of — Brooke, esq. and secondly, Anne, daughter of Richard Stephens, esq.
Charles, *d.* unm.
Samuel, of Melton Mowbray, *b.* in 1759, who *m.* Miss Elizabeth Campbell, and has issue.
ABRAHAM, of whom presently.
Mary, died unm.
Catherine, who *m.* the Rev. John Parker, of Newbold-on-Avon, in Warwickshire, and was mother of the Rev. John Thomas Parker, of Newbold-on-Avon, who wedded Anna, daughter of Sir Grey Skipwith, bart.

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Arabella, *m.* to the Rev. Dr. James, D.D.

The fourth son by the second marriage,

ABRAHAM CALDECOTT, esq. *b.* 21st August, 1763, purchased in 1801, the manor of Rugby, in Warwickshire, and subsequently divers lands in the counties of Northampton and Oxford. He *m.* 4th January, 1797, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Marriott of Cotesbatch, in Leicestershire, and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
John-Marriott, who retired from the army in 1825.
William-Marriott, in holy orders.
Robert-Marriott, also in orders.
Charles-Marriott, in the East India Company's Service.
Caroline.

Mr. Caldecott died 8th September, 1829, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present THOMAS CALDECOTT, esq. of Rugby Lodge.

Arms—Arg. a fesse az. fretty or, between three cinquefoils gu.

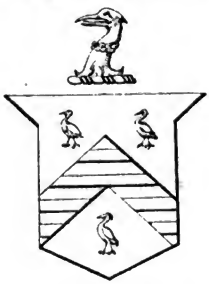
Crest—A demi-lion rampant gu. charged on the shoulder with a cinquefoil arg.

Estates—Rugby, in Warwickshire, and Rothersthorpe, Clipstone and Stutsbury, in Northamptonshire.

Seat—Rugby Lodge.

THOMAS, OF LLANON.

THOMAS, REES-GORING, esq. of Llanon, in the county of Carmarthen, and of Tooting, in Surrey, *b.* 26th May, 1801, *m.* 2nd March, 1824, Caroline, youngest daughter of William Esdaile, esq. of Lombard Street, in the city of London, and granddaughter of the late Sir James Esdaile, knt. by whom he has issue,



REES-GORING, *b.* 21st November, 1824.
William-Esdaile, *b.* 25th January, 1826.
Morgan, *b.* 29th October, 1831.
Caroline-Sarah.
Louisa-Frances.

Mr. Thomas *s.* his father, in 1821, and served the office of sheriff for Carmarthenshire in 1830.

Lineage.

The surname of this family was originally TREHEARN, but by one of those changes formerly common amongst the Welsh, it became as now borne, THOMAS. It appears to have been located on an estate called Llettymaur, in the parish of Llanon, county of Carmarthen, prior to the reign of ELIZABETH. The estates was possessed in 1579, by

TRAHERNE THOMAS, whose son,

REES TRAHERNE, of Llettymaur, espoused, in 1610, Helen John, of Mydfwch, in Glamorganshire, and was succeeded by his son,

THOMAS REES TRAHERNE, esq. of Llettymaur, born in 1612, who *m.* Margaret Bowen, of Marchoglwyn, in the parish of Llanon, and left, with a daughter, a son and successor,

REES THOMAS, esq. of Llettymaur. This gentleman espoused Sarah Powell, of Pentreardd, in the parish of Llanelly, Carmarthenshire, by whom (who died in 1727) he had issue,

REES THOMAS, esq. of Llettymaur, born in 1680. He *m.* in 1709, Mary, daughter of William King, esq. of Mansaint, near Kidwelly, and died in 1759, leaving,

I. REES, of Llettymaur, *b.* in 1710, who died *s. p.* 17th November, 1777.

II. DAVID, of Llwydeved, in Llanon, *b.* in 1717, who *m.* Deborah, daughter of David Rees, esq. of Brynynyd, and left issue,

JOHN THOMAS, esq. of Llwydeved, who *m.* Miss Anne Davies, and dying in 1812, left one son, who died issueless, 7th August, 1821, and one daughter,

ANNE-DAVIES THOMAS, who *m.* in 1819, Thomas Lloyd, esq. of Brenwydd, in Car-

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diganshire, possessor of the barony of Kemeys, in the county of Pembroke, and has issue.

III. MORGAN, of whom presently.

IV. Elizabeth, who espoused David Davies, esq. of Swansea, and died in 1788, leaving, (with an elder son, who died in 1798), Morgan Thomas Davies, *b.* 14th February, 1788, who *m.* in 1822, Miss Jane Hancorne, and has issue.

The third son,

MORGAN THOMAS, esq. was born at Llettymaur, in 1729. He married in 1768, Frances, only child and heiress of HENRY GORING,* esq. of Frodley Hall, in the county of Stafford, high sheriff in 1723 (son of William Goring, esq. by Sarah, only daughter and heiress of JOHN GILBERT, esq. of Frodley, see p. 388), and had an only son,

REES-GORING.

Mr. Thomas having considerably augmented his property in Carmarthenshire, died 20th May, 1800, and was *s.* by his son,

REES GORING THOMAS, esq. who added to his hereditary estates, by the purchase of property in Surrey, comprising the manor of Tooting Graveney, and an estate called Tooting Lodge. He *m.* Sarah, daughter of the late Mr. Richard Hovell, of Norfolk, and had issue,

REES-GORING, his heir

Morgan, *b.* 7th August, 1803.

George, *b.* 4th November, 1809.

Sarah-Frances, who *m.* 22nd August, 1832, William Henry Pattison, esq. of Lincoln's Inn, and of Witham, in Essex. This lady, with her husband, was unfortunately drowned on the 20th September following her marriage, in the Lac de Guave, in the High Pyrenees.

Mr. Thomas, who centered in himself the representation of the ancient families of THOMAS, GILBERT, and GORING, died 21st September, 1821, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present REES GORING THOMAS, esq.

Arms—Gu. on a chevron or, between three herons arg. four barrulets az. Quarterly with GORING and GILBERT.

Crest—A heron's head erased, gorged with a garland of roses, gu.

Motto—A deo et patre.

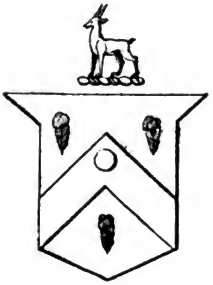
Estates—In the parishes of Llanelly, Llanon, and Llangendevine, Carmarthenshire; and of Tooting, including the manor of Tooting Graveney, in Surrey.

Seats—Tooting, Surrey; Llanôn, Carmarthenshire.

* This gentleman sold his estates in 1730, having much impoverished himself by his loyal devotion to the House of Hanover; for which he raised a troop of horse at his own expense in 1715, and took the field against the CHEVALIER. A petition to King George I. signed by Henry Goring, and another signed by several Staffordshire gentlemen of importance, both setting forth Mr. Goring's services and soliciting compensation from the crown, and the correspondence ensuing on these petitions between Sir Robert Walpole and Mr. Goring, are in the present MR. GORING THOMAS's possession. Mr. Henry Goring died in 1748.

FETHERSTON-HAUGH, OF BRACKLYN CASTLE.

FETHERSTON-HAUGH, THOMAS-JAMES, esq. of Bracklyn Castle, in the county of Westmeath, *b.* 19th March, 1790, *m.* 18th December, 1816, the Lady Eleanor Howard, second daughter of William, third Earl of Wicklow, and has issue,



JAMES-HOWARD, *b.* in 1819.

Eleanor-Margaret.

Catherine-Mary.

Frances-Alicia.

Mr. Fetherston, who succeeded to the estates in 1822, has served the office of high-sheriff of the county of Westmeath.

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Lineage.

This branch of the ancient family of Fetherstonhaugh,* of Up Park, in Sussex, and of Newcastle, in the county of Northumberland, migrated to Ireland in the reign of CHARLES I. and acquired large grants of land in several counties.

THOMAS FETHERSTON-HAUGH, esq. the lineal descendant and representative of the Irish branch of the family, wedded, temp. GEORGE II. Miss Nugent, of Derrymore, in the county of Westmeath, and had a son and successor,

JAMES FETHERSTON-HAUGH, esq. of Bracklyn, who married Margaret, only daughter of the late Sir Richard Steele, bart. of Hampstead, in the county of Dublin, and had issue,

THOMAS-JAMES, his heir, the PRESENT PROPRIETOR.

Richard-Steele, who *m.* in 1820, the daughter of the late Mr. Baron George, of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland.

John, who *m.* in 1823, the Honourable Susan Massy, sister to the present Lord Massy.

Charlotte, *m.* to the late Major Robert Tighe, of South Hill, in the county of Westmeath.

Margaret-Anne, who *m.* Sir Thomas Chapman, bart. of Killua Castle, and is mother of Montague Lowther Chapman, esq. present member of parliament for the county of Westmeath.

Harriet.

Arms---Gu. on a chevron between three ostrich feathers, arg. a pallet.

Crest---An antelope statant armed or.

Motto---Valens et volens.

Estates---Bracklyn, county Westmeath, acquired in the reign of *Queen* ANNE; Derrymore, *temp.* GEORGE II.; Curragh, in the Queen's County; and Killarig, in Carlowshire, obtained in the time of CHARLES I.; Edmonstown, Kingsland, Clare, Turin, Nugentstown, and Marlastown, in the county of Westmeath, possessed since the reign of GEORGE II.; Ballinacor, acquired temp. GEORGE I.

Property in the city of Dublin, since the reign of CHARLES I.

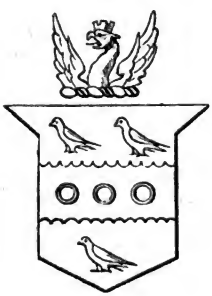
Seat---Bracklyn Castle, near Kinnegad.

* The family is of Saxon origin, and was seated at Fetherston, in Northumberland, before the CONQUEST; that part of the county having been allotted to its progenitor, a Saxon officer, for his gallant conduct against the Britons.

The surname is said to be thus derived:—the house in which the family resided was formerly upon a hill (where were two stones, called fether stones), and was moated round as a barrier against the Scots; but, upon being destroyed, a new edifice was erected in the holme or valley under the hill, which valley was locally denominated a *haugh*, and thence the appellation of "Fetherstonhaugh." —*Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*

BIGGE, OF LINDEN.

BIGGE, CHARLES-WILLIAM, esq. of Linden, in the county of Northumberland, a deputy-lieutenant and chairman of the quarter sessions there, *b.* 28th October, 1773, *m.* 27th January, 1802, Miss Alice Wilkinson, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, of the Yorkshire family of Wilkinson, of Thorpe, and has issue,



CHARLES-JOHN, banker, in Newcastle, who *m.* in 1833, Lewis-Marianne, daughter of Prideaux John Selby, esq. of Twizell House.

Henry-Lancelot, ensign in the 66th regiment of native infantry, Bengal.

Edward-Thomas, fellow of Merton College, Oxford.

William-Mathew, an officer in the army.

John-Frederic.

Arthur.

Mathew-Robert.

George-Richard.

Charlotte-Eliza.

Julia-Katherina.

Jemima, *d.* 23rd May, 1835.

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This gentleman who was appointed, in 1798, lieutenant-colonel commandant of the second battalion of Northumberland Militia, and of the Southern Local Militia, in 1817, *s.* his father on the 10th October, 1794. He was high-sheriff for Northumberland in 1802.

Lineage.

So far back as the time of the CONFESSOR, one William BIGGE, (a strong proof of the antiquity of the name) granted under the sanction of the crown, to the convent of St. Augustine, in Canterbury, the lands of Bodisham, and Wilrington.

WILLIAM BIGGE, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the immediate ancestor of the family seated at Linden, is presumed to have descended from an ancient house, seated for many generations in the county of Essex.* He *m.* in 1666, Isabell, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Dent, esq. by his wife, Julian, widow of Mr. James Metham, of Newcastle, and had issue,

JOHN, described of the Inner Temple, London, and of East Knoyle, in Wiltshire, who, by his father's will, was left in the custody and tuition of that gentleman's "loving cousin, John Bowles, of Shaftesbury, in the county of Dorset, esq." This John Bigge purchased in 1696, for £1696. one sixth, part of the Square, of Spitalfields, London, with the houses thereon. He *m.* in 1701, Miss Anne Jackson, and died at Bedlington, in 1721, *non compos mentis*, and *s. p.*

James, who died in minority unm.

THOMAS, of whom presently.

Mary, *m.* to Edward Collingwood, esq. of Byker and Dissington, (see p. 473.)

Anne, *m.* to Edward Ward, esq.

William Bigge, of Newcastle, died in March, 1690, and was interred at All Saint's, in that city, in a tomb, which Mr. Bigge, and a Mr. John Hindmarsh, had built for their respective families, and inscribed with the following testimonial;

"Willielmus Bigge, generosus, et Johannes Hindmarsh Armiger, humanæ sortis et fragilitatis memores, hoc sibi suisque, Deo volente, supremum in terris posuerunt domicilium usque festum resurrectionis mortuorum alta pace guadendum.

Maxima scire mori vitae est sapientia, vivit,
Qui moritur; si vis vivere, disce mori.

Mr. Bigge's third, but only son to have issue,

THOMAS BIGGE, esq. being in India, and unheard of, during the lunacy of his brother John, his sisters received the rents of their father's and mother's estates, about which, after his return to England, differences arose which were only finally arranged by an act of Parliament passed for that purpose in 1710. He *m.* about the year 1706, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Hindmarsh, esq. of the Six Clerks' Office, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM, his heir.

II. Edward, of Brinkley, who died unmarried.

III. Thomas, of Ludgate Hill, London, who erected the White House, at Little Benton. He wedded Elizabeth, sister of the late Philip Rundell, and dying in 1791, left a son,

Thomas, *b.* 8th January, 1766, *m* Maria, daughter of Thomas Rundell, esq. of Bath, and had issue,

1. Thomas-Edmund.
2. Philip-Edmund.
3. James-Rundell.
4. Charles-Richard.
5. John.
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to Colonel Anderson.
7. Jane, who *d.* unm. in 1812.
8. Augusta.
9. Emily.
10. Maria.
11. Georgiana.
12. Emily-Jane.
13. Fanny.

IV. Grace, *m.* to Sir Robert Carr, bart.

V. Mary, } who both died unm.
VI. Elizabeth, }

The eldest son and heir,

WILLIAM BIGGE, esq. of Benton, *b.* in 1707, one of the six clerks in Chancery, was high sheriff for Northumberland in 1750. He *m.* 29th January, 1736, Mary, daughter and eventually sole heiress of Charles Clarke, esq. of Ovingham, by whom he acquired the estates of Stannington and Ovingham, and had issue,

THOMAS-CHARLES, his heir.

William-Edward, who inherited the property of his uncle, EDWARD, at Brinkley. He died unmarried.

Charles-Clarke, who died in youth.

John, who *s.* to Brinkley, on the demise of his brother, William. He died 11th March, 1797, leaving his estates of Brinkley and Carville, to

* For the early descent refer to Hodgson's able "History of Northumberland," part 2, vol. ii. p. 97.

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his nephew, John Thomas Bigge, and distributing his personal property among the other children of his brother, Thomas.

Mr. Bigge, who purchased the parts of Little Benton, which he did not inherit, with two sixths of Coldcoats and Witton, considerably enlarged Benton House, where he died 30th June, 1758, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THOMAS-CHARLES BIGGE, esq. born at Lincoln's Inn Fields, 24th January, 1739. This gentleman, sheriff of Northumberland in 1771, espoused in the following year, Jemima,* daughter of William Ord, esq. of Fenham, by his wife, Anne, daughter of William Dillingham, esq. of London, and had issue,

CHARLES-WILLIAM, his heir.

William-Edward, *b.* 28th October, 1778, who died unmarried in 1791.

John-Thomas, of Brinkley, *b.* 8th March, 1780, late commissioner of enquiry at the Cape of Good Hope, Mauritius, and Ceylon, formerly commissioner of enquiry at New South Wales, and previously chief justice of Trinidad. He is a justice of the peace for the county of Northumberland.

Thomas-Hanway, a banker in Newcastle-on-Tyne, who *m.* Charlotte, daughter of the Rev. James Scott, and died in 1824, leaving four sons and two daughters.

Jemima, who died young.

Mary-Anne, who died in 1805.

Charlotte-Eleanor, who died at Clifton in 1800.

Eliza, *d.* in 1819.

Jemima-Susannah, who died in 1809.

Grace-Julia, widow of Thomas Christopher Glyn, esq. third son of Sir Richard Car Glyn, bart.

Mr. Bigge *d.* at Bath, 10th October, 1794, and was buried in the Church-yard at Weston, where a tablet is erected to his memory. "Mr. Bigge," says the historian of Northumberland, "was an active and judicious magistrate, and a warm advocate of civil and religious liberty." He was *s.* by his eldest son, the present CHARLES-WILLIAM BIGGE, esq. of Linden.

Arms—Arg. on a fess engrailed, between three martlets, sa. three annulets or.

Crest—A cockatrice's head, turretted or, wings erect azure.

Estates—Little and East Benton, Ovingham, Ovington, Willington, and Linden, in the county of Northumberland. The estate of Linden was purchased in 1810 from the late Earl of Carlisle.

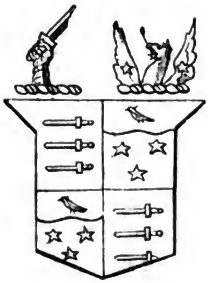
Seat—Linden.

* Of this lady, who died in 1806, there is a portrait at Linden, by ANGELICA KAUFMAN.

WIGGETT-CHUTE, OF THE VINE.

CHUTE-WIGGETT, WILLIAM-LYDE, esq. of the Vine, in the county of Hants, and of Pickenham Hall, in Norfolk, *b.* 16th June, 1800. This gentleman, whose patronymic is WIGGETT, assumed, by royal license, in 1827, on inheriting the estates of the Rev. Thomas Vere Chute, the additional surname and arms of that family. He is a magistrate for the counties of Hants and Norfolk, and a deputy-lieutenant of the latter shire, for which he served the office of sheriff in 1832.

Lineage.



The CHUTES were of long standing in the counties of Kent and Somerset, where they were originally settled. They were lords of the manor of Taunton, until about the year 1500, when Edmond Chute sold the manor to Lord Denham. The Kentish branch of the family expired in 1700, on the death of Sir George Chute, bart.

The first of the family on record,

ALEXANDER CHUTE, lord of the manor of Taunton in 1268, had a son,

JOHN CHUTE, living in 1274, who wedded Jane, daughter of Sir John Brumfield, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

CUTHBERT CHUTE, who *m.* in the reign of Edward II. Christian, daughter of Sir John

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Chideoke, knt. and had (with two other sons, James, who espoused the daughter of Richard Grenfeld; and Anthony, *m.* to Anne Treforth),

PHILIP CHUTE, flourishing *temp.* EDWARD III. who *m.* a daughter of Sir John Britton, knt. and left at his decease, a daughter, Joane, the wife of Sir John Carmine, knt. and a son and successor,

GEORGE CHUTE, lord of the manor of Taunton in 1334; this gentleman wedded a daughter of Thomas Tirrell, and was *s.* by his son,

AMBROSE CHUTE, who *m.* Anabell, daughter of Sir John Chichester, and had a daughter, Christian, the wife of Ralphe Menell, and a son and heir,

EDMOND CHUTE, living in 1379, who espoused Dyonice, daughter of Henry Stourton, and had, with three other sons, viz. William, who *m.* a daughter of — Archdeckne; Anthony, who wedded a daughter of Sir John Clifton, knt.; and Robert, a baron of the Exchequer, *temp.* HENRY VI.

HENRY CHUTE, who *m.* Joane, daughter of Edward Baskerville; and had a daughter, Anne, the wife of Sir John Scutley, knt. and a son and heir,

ROBERT CHUTE. This gentleman *m.* in 1438, Alice, daughter of Maurice Berkeley, and was *s.* by his son,

CHARLES CHUTE, father, by his wife, a daughter of Sir John Cheney, knt. of

EDMOND CHUTE, of the county of Sussex, who, about the year 1500, sold the manor of Taunton to Lord Denham. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

ROBERT CHUTE, who *m.* Jane, daughter of John Lucas, and had a son,

CHARLES CHUTE, esq. who *m.* a daughter of John Crippes, of the Isle of Thanet, and had two sons,

ANTHONY.

Philip, of Appledore, in Kent, who married, first, Margaret, daughter of Alexander Culpepper, of Bedgeberry; and, secondly, Joane, dau. of Thomas Dussing, of Winchelsea, in the county of Sussex. This Philip Chute, standard bearer to HENRY VIII. obtained, in recompense for his gallant services at the siege of Boulogne, an augmentation to his armorial ensigns. This branch of the CHUTE family became extinct in 1700, upon the demise of SIR GEORGE CHUTE, bart.

The elder son,

ANTHONY CHUTE, esq. of the county of Kent, espoused a daughter of — Girling, of Suffolk, and was father of

ARTHUR CHUTE, esq. who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Henry See, esq. of Herne, in Kent, and was *s.* by his son,

CHARLES CHUTE, esq. of the Middle Temple. This gentleman wedded Ursula, daughter of John Challoner, esq. of Fulham, and had a son and successor,

CHALLONER CHUTE, esq. who purchased from Lord Sandys, in 1653, the estate of THE VINE, situated in the northern and richly wooded part of the county of Hants. He *m.* first, Ann, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Skory, knt. and had a son, CHALLONER, his heir, and two daughters, Anne and Cecilia. He wedded, secondly, Dorothy, Lady Dacre, daughter of Lord North, but had no further issue. Mr. Challoner Chute died in 1659, then SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS to RICHARD CROMWELL'S Parliament, an arduous office which he filled to the great satisfaction of all parties. He was *s.* by his son,

CHALLONER CHUTE, esq. of The Vine, in Hampshire, who *m.* the Hon. Catherine Lennard, daughter of Richard, Lord Dacre, by Dorothy, his wife, daughter of Dudley, Lord North, and had issue,

I. Challoner, who *d.* unmarried in 1685.

II. EDWARD, heir to his father.

III. Thomas, who purchased in 1700 Pickenham Hall, in the western part of the county of Norfolk. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of — Rivett, esq. and had issue,

1. THOMAS-LENNARD, of Pickenham Hall, who *m.* Catherine, daughter of Edward Chute, esq. of The Vine, but died *s. p.* in 1722.*

2. Devereux, of Pickenham Hall, who *d.* unmarried in 1724.

3. ELIZABETH, who *m.* Thomas Lobb, esq. and had (with a daughter, Elizabeth, *m.* to John Ellis, esq.) a son,

THOMAS LOBB, esq. of Picken-

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* The following inscription to this gentleman's memory is at Pickenham:—

JUXTA hoc marmor requiescit
THOMAS LENNARD CHUTE, arm.
Luctuosum sævientis Podagræ exemplar,
Non annis sed doloribus confectus
Insenuit juvenis, et ad cœlos
Migravit adhuc viridis
Vir, fide, virtute, pietate,
Constans, audax, sincerus.
Dominus non importunus, amicus suavissimus,
Omnibus facilis, æquusque
Nulli non charus.
Vixit Filius, conjux, frater, pius, fidelis, amansimus.
Ingeni dotes, si quis alius unquam
Praeclaras habuit, nec fastuosas.
Decessit omnibus vere flebilis,
Inimicus enim nemini.

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ham Hall, of whom hereafter, as heir to THE VINE.

4. Ann, *m.* to P. Elwin, esq. but *d. s. p.*

IV. Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir Charles Cotterell, bart.

The eldest surviving son,

EDWARD CHUTE, esq. of The Vine, *m.* Catherine Keck, widow of Ferdinand Tracey, esq. and had issue,

Edward, Chaloner, } who both died young.

ANTHONY, heir to his father.

Francis, who *d.* young.

JOHN, successor to his brother.

Mary, who *d.* unmarried.

Catherine, *m.* to Thomas Lennard Chute, esq. of Pickenham Hall.

Margaret, Anne, } both *d.* young.

Mr. Chute was *s.* at his decease by his eldest surviving son,

ANTHONY CHUTE, esq. of The Vine, at whose demise unmarried the estates devolved on his brother,

JOHN CHUTE, esq. of The Vine, who died unmarried in 1776, when this branch of the family became EXTINCT, but the possessions devolved on

THOMAS LOBB, esq. of Pickenham Hall, in Norfolk, son of Elizabeth Chute (granddaughter of CHALLONER CHUTE, esq. of The Vine) by Thomas Lobb, esq. This gentleman, upon uniting the Hampshire to the Norfolk property, assumed the surname and arms of CHUTE. He *m.* Ann-Rachael, daughter of WILLIAM WIGGETT, esq. and had issue,

Thomas, Challoner, } both predeceased their father.

WILLIAM, heir.

THOMAS-VERE, successor to his brother.

Anne-Rachael, who *m.* Sir William Hicks, bart. of Whitcomb Park, in Gloucestershire, and has an only daughter, Ann-Rachael, the wife of Sir Lambert Cromie, bart.

Elizabeth, Mary, Jane, } who all *d.* unmarried.

Mary, *m.* to Wither Bramston, esq. of Oakley Hall, Hants, and *d. s. p.*

Catherine, who died unmarried.

Mr. Lobb Chute died in 1791, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM-JOHN CHUTE, esq. of The Vine and Pickenham Hall, who represented for thirty years the county of Hants in parliament. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Joshua Smith, esq. of Stoke Park, Wilts, but dying *s. p.* in 1824, was *s.* by his brother,

THE REV. THOMAS-VERE CHUTE, of The Vine and Pickenham Hall, rector of South Pickenham and Moulton St. Michael's, in the county of Norfolk, at whose decease, unmarried, in 1827, the estates devolved on WILLIAM LYDE WIGGETT, esq. who, assuming, on inheriting, the surname and arms of CHUTE, is the present WILLIAM LYDE WIGGETT-CHUTE, esq. of The Vine and Pickenham Hall.

FAMILY OF WIGGETT.

This family—originally Wigotus, and subsequently Wygott—descends from an ancient house, many centuries resident at GEIST, in Norfolk.

In 1580,

JOHN WIGGETT and AGNES, his wife, were seised of lands in Geist, as was also, in 1590,

ROGER WIGGETT, father of

PETER WIGGETT, who *m.* Alice, youngest daughter of Simon Bulwer, of Wood Dalling, and was grandfather of

WILLIAM WIGGETT, esq. of Geist, who espoused, in 1616, Anne, daughter of — Sherringham, esq. and had issue,

I. WILLIAM, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Davy, esq. and had an only daughter,

ANN RACHAEL, who wedded THOMAS LOBB CHUTE, esq. and had, with other issue, a son,

THE REV. THOMAS VERE CHUTE, at whose decease unmarried in 1827, the estates of the Chutes devolved on W. L. WIGGETT, esq. their present possessor.

II. JAMES, who *m.* Frances, daughter and co-heir of — Mackarell, esq. and had, with three daughters, a son,

THE REV. JAMES WIGGETT, rector of Crudwell and Hankerton, in Wilts, who espoused, first, Rachael, daughter and heiress of Samuel Lyde, esq. of Ayott, Herts, by whom (who *d.* in 1802) he had issue,

1. JAMES-SAMUEL, in holy orders, rector of Moulton, in Norfolk, *b.* 12th July, 1797.
2. WILLIAM-LYDE, the present MR. WIGGETT CHUTE.
3. Anna-Maria, *m.* to Roger P. Western, esq.
4. Frances-Rachael.
5. Mary-Ann, 6. Emmeline, } both died unmarried.
7. Caroline.

Mr. Wiggett (the rector of Crudwell) married secondly, and had another son, Edward Humphrys, *b.* in 1817.

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Arms—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu. three swords barways, the points towards the dexter ppr. pomels and hilts or, for CHUTE; 2nd and 3rd, ermine, three mullets, two and one, az. pierced gu. on a chief wavy sa. a dove reguardant ppr. for WIGGETT.

Crests — 1st. A dexter cubit arm in armour, the hand in a gauntlet grasping a broken sword, in bend sinister ppr. pomel and hilt or, for CHUTE. 2nd. A griphon's head couped sa. holding in the beak an ear of wheat, ppr. between two wings arg. each charged with a mullet gu. for WIGGETT.

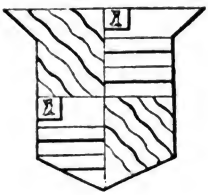
Motto—Fortune de guerre.

Estates—THE VINE, situated in the parishes of Sherbourne, St. John, Basing, and Sherfield, in the northern and richly-wooded part of Hants; purchased from Lord Sandys by Mr. Speaker Chute in 1653: PICKENHAM HALL, in the western part of Norfolk; acquired in 1700 by Thomas Chute, esq. grandson of the Speaker. This latter property has been since considerably augmented by purchase, and lies in the parishes of North and South Pickenham, Great Cressingham, Houghton, and Ashill.

Seats—The Vine, in Hampshire, erected by Lord Sandys, *temp.* HENRY VIII.; and Pickenham Hall, Norfolk.

WILBRAHAM, OF RODE.

WILBRAHAM, RANDLE, esq. of Rode Hall, in the county of Chester, *b.* 10th January, 1773, *m.* first, in December, 1798, Letitia, daughter and heiress of the Rev. Edward Rudd, rector of Houghton-le-spring, in the county of Durham, by his wife, Letitia Arden, and has issue,



RANDLE, *b.* 1st March, 1801.
Mary-Letitia, *m.* to Joseph-Harrison Tryer, esq. of Whitley House, in the county of Northumberland.
Emma, *m.* to Sir Archibald Edmonstone, bart. of Duntreath.

Mr. Wilbraham wedded secondly, in February, 1808, Sibylla, daughter of Philip Egerton, esq. of Egerton and Oulton, and sister to Sir Philip Grey Egerton, bart. by whom he has further issue,

Charles-Philip, *b.* 10th March, 1810, an officer in the Coldstream Guards.
Richard, *b.* 12th April, 1811, lieutenant in the rifle brigade.
Francis-Henry-Randle, *b.* 6th January, 1819.
Sibylla-Elizabeth.
Harriet.
Frances-Maria.
Emily.
Charlotte.

This gentleman, who inherited the estates at the decease of his father in 1796, is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Chester, and high-steward of the borough of Congleton.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the great family of WILBRAHAM, now represented by GEORGE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Delamere House, M.P. (*see page* 315.)

RANDLE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Nantwich, lineally descended from Sir Richard de Wilburgham, who was sheriff of Cheshire, in the 43rd of HENRY III. served the same office himself in 1714. He wedded Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Brooke bart. of

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Norton (by Fransisca-Posthuma, daughter of Thomas, son of Sir Peter Leigh, of Lyme, knight banneret,) and had issue,

Richard, who died in his father's lifetime.

ROGER, who succeeded to the estates at the death of his father, and was grandfather of the present GEORGE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Delamere House.

RANDLE, of whom presently.

Thomas, of the city of Westminster, LL.D. and F.R.S. fellow of All Souls, Oxford, and also of the College of Physicians. He died *s. p.*

Henry-William, in holy orders, M.A. rector of Shelford, in the county of Oxford, who *d.* unmarried.

Frances, *m.* to William Wright, esq. of Stockport.

Elizabeth, *m.* to William Falconer, esq. recorder of Chester.

Mary, *m.* to Thomas Chetham, esq. of Mellor, county of Derby.

The second surviving son,

RANDLE WILBRAHAM, esq. of Rode, in the palatinate of Cheshire, barrister-at-law, LL.D. and deputy steward of the University of Oxford; espoused, in 1722, Dorothy, only daughter of Andrew Kenrick, esq. and had issue,

RICHARD, his heir.

Roger, who *d.* young.

Mary, *m.* to Charles Gray, esq. M.P. for Colchester.

Dorothea, *m.* to John Ford, esq. barrister-at-law

Anne and Elizabeth, both died unmarried.

Mr. Wilbraham died in 1770, and was *s.* by his son.

RICHARD WILBRAHAM, esq. of Rode, M.P. for Chester, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Robert Bootle, esq. and niece and heiress of Sir Thomas Bootle, knt. of Lathom House, in the county of Lancaster, chancellor to Frederick, Prince of Wales. In consequence of this alliance Mr. Wilbraham assumed the additional surname of BOOTLE. He had issue,

EDWARD, who resumed the name of WILBRAHAM, and was elevated to the peerage in 1828, as BARON SKELMERSDALE.

RANDLE, the present possessor of Rode Hall.

Anne-Dorothea, *m.* to Richard, first Lord Alvanley, and died in 1825.

Mary, *m.* to William Egerton, esq. of Tatton Park, and is deceased.

Francisca-Alicia, *m.* to A. H. Eyre, esq of Grove, Notts. and *d.* in 1810.

Sibylla-Georgiana, *m.* to William Ffarington, esq. of Shaw Hall, in Lancashire, and *d.* in 1799.

Emma, *m.* in 1794 to Sir Charles Edmonstone, bt. of Duntreath, and *d.* in 1797.

Elizabeth, *m.* in 1821, to the Rev. W. Barnes, rector of Richmond, Yorkshire.

Mr. Wilbraham-Bootle died in 1796, when the estate of Rode Hall devolved on his second son, the present RANDLE WILBRAHAM, esq.

Arms—Quarterly 1st and 4th arg. three bends wavy, az.; 2nd and 3rd az. two bars arg. on a canton of the first, a wolf's head erased of the second.

Crest—A wolf's head, erased arg.

Motto—In portu quies.

Estates—The Odd Rode, &c. estates in the parishes of Astbury and Barthomley, inherited from the elder branch of the Wilbraham family; the Stapleford, &c. estates, in the parishes of Tarvin and Waverton, acquired by purchase in 1753.

Seat—Rode Hall, near Lawton.

ARDEN, OF LONGCROFT.

ARDEN, THE REV. FRANCIS-EDWARD, of Gresham, in the county of Norfolk, became representative of his family at the decease of his brother, Major Arden, on the 2nd August, 1809, but will not possess the hereditary estate of LONGCROFT, in Staffordshire, until the demise of his mother. He *m.* Rachael, daughter of John Pinkard, esq. and has issue,

EDWARD.
Henry.
Hamar.
Rachael.
Emma.

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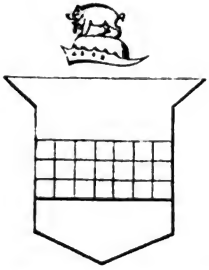
Lineage.



This family boasts of Saxon blood, and claims distinction for a full century at least before the conquest.

ROHAND, the first of the Saxon Earls of Warwick, temp. ALFRED, *the Great*, left an only daughter and heiress,

FELICIA, who espoused GUY, son of Siward, Lord of Wallingford, and conveying the earldom to her husband he became

GUY, EARL OF WARWICK, "the memory of whom, (saith Dugdale) for his great valour, hath ever since been, and yet is so famous, that the vulgar are of opinion that he was a man of more than ordinary stature, and the Welsh, taking notice of his brave exploits, will needs have him to be descended from British parentage." The achievements of this chivalrous earl, true or fabulous, are so generally known, that it is almost unnecessary to refer to Dugdale's Warwickshire, in which they are fully set forth. Guy died in 927, and was *s.* by his son,

REYNBURN, Earl of Warwick, who espoused, "the beautiful Lady Leonetta, daughter of *King* ATHELSTAN," and was *s.* by his son,

WEGENT, Earl of Warwick, a man renowned for his personal valour, and martial prowess. He was a benefactor to the monastery of Eversham, and was *s.* by his son,

UFA, Earl of Warwick. This nobleman who was distinguished for piety, granted in 974, with the consent of *King* EDGAR, the whole village of Whitlarford to the monks of Eversham. He died about the beginning of the reign of EDWARD, *the Martyr*, and was *s.* by his son,

WOLGEAT, Earl of Warwick, who, Dugdale states, was deprived of his lands and honors, "for his wicked courses and oppressions." His hereditary successor, was

WIGOD, who married the sister of Earl Leofrick, and was *s.* by his son,

ALWYNE, who in the general survey, is styled, *Alwinus Vicecomes.* "The reason whereof," observes Dugdale, "I conceive to be either, because that he did exercise the power and authority of the Earle of Mercia, (scil. Earl Leofrike, his uncle) here in Warwickshire as his ancestors had done, for which respect he and they have been reputed earls, as I have already showed, and have ranckt them in that degree; or else that he hath the custody of the county to the king's immediate use." Alwine left issue,

TURCHILL DE WARWICK, whose name stands likewise in the catalogue of earls. This nobleman, a man of great power and note, was lord of vast landed possessions, at the time of the CONQUEST, as appears by the general survey. He married two wives, and had issue* by both:—by the first, three sons, viz.

SIWARD.
Peter, a monk in the Abbey of Thorney.
Ralph.

By the second Leverunia, one son,

OSBERT, for whose descendants, see BRACEBRIDGE, *of Atherstone*, p. 270.

The eldest son,

SIWARD DE ARDEN, witnessed in the time of HENRY I. several grants made by Geffrey de Clinton, on endowing Kenilworth priory, and he was himself a benefactor to the monks of Thorney in Cambridgeshire, by presenting them with his mill at Riton, and other lands in the county of Warwick. By his wife Cecilia he left two sons, HUGH and HENRY; the elder

HUGH DE ARDEN, inherited the estates, and made munificent benefactions to the church. Dying *s. p.* he was *s.* by his brother,

HENRY DE ARDEN, who in the 12th HENRY II., was certified as holding five knights' fees of William, then Earl of Warwick. He had issue,

1. THOMAS, his heir, who was one of those assembled at the tournament of Blith, in Nottinghamshire, against the royal prohibition; for which act of disobedience his lands were seized

* The issue of Turchill de Warwick, assumed the surname of ARDEN, from a Woodland tract, amongst these territorial possessions in the county of Warwick.

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upon by the crown, but restored in the 7th of HENRY III. He wedded Eustachia, widow of Savaricus de Malaleone, a Poictovin, and dying before the 17th of HENRY III. was *s.* by his son,

SIR THOMAS DE ARDEN, of Curdworth, who being taken prisoner at Evesham, fighting under the banner of the Barons, was forced to dispose of his vast landed property.

II. William.

From the second son,

WILLIAM DE ARDEN, lineally descended*

SIR JOHN DE ARDEN, knt. who resided at his manor of Pedimore, in the time of EDWARD III. leaving, at his decease, an only surviving daughter, Rose, the wife of Thomas Pakeson; he was *s.* by his brother,

SIR HENRY DE ARDEN, knt. who appears to have been the first of the family seated at PARK HALL, in Warwickshire, "for in his time, (writes Dugdale) scil. 47 EDWARD III. did Sir John de Botetourt, Lord of Weolegh Castle, not only confirm the same to him, with the appurtenances lying in Castle Bromwich, but released all the services by which he held the same, reserving only a red rose to be yearly paid to himself, and his heirs, on the feast day of the nativity of St. John the Baptist, for all services and demands whatsoever." This Sir Henry de Arden subsequently represented the county of Warwick in parliament, and in the 5th of RICHARD II. we find him joined in commission with the Earl of Warwick, and other persons of note to put down the rebellion then raging in that shire. The year previously he had a release from his niece Rose, the daughter and heir of Sir John de Arden, of all her interest in the manor of Pedimore, and in the lands of Curdworth, Sutton, &c. &c. He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

SIR RALPH DE ARDEN, who attended the Earl of Warwick to the siege of Calais with one lance and two archers. He *d.* in the 8th of HENRY V. leaving a son and heir,

ROBERT DE ARDEN, then eight years of age, and in ward to Joan Beauchamp, lady of Bergavenny. He was afterwards one of the chief gentlemen of Warwickshire, and was sheriff of that county, and of the county of Leicester, in the 16th of HENRY VI. In the war of the Roses he arrayed himself under the banner of York, and in one of the reverses of his party suffered death and attainder. He had *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Richard Clodshall, and was *s.* by his son,

WALTER ARDEN, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of John Hampden, esq. of Hampden, in the county of Buckingham, and dying 17th HENRY VII. left a son and successor,

JOHN ARDEN, of Park Hall, one of the esquires of the body to *King* HENRY VII. This gentleman *m.* Alice, daughter of Richard Bracebrigg, esq. of Kingsbury, "but concerning this marriage," says Dugdale, "there arose no small difference betwixt the parents on each side: Walter Arden (the father) alleging that said Richard and his servants had stolen away his son; howbeit, at length by a reference to Sir Simon Mountfort, knt. of Colshill, and Sir Richard Bingham, the judge, it was determined that the marriage should be solemnized betwixt them, in February, 13th EDWARD IV. and in consideration of two hundred marks portion, a convenient jointure settled: as also that for the trespasse done by the same Richard Bracebrigge, in so taking away the young gentleman, he should give to the before specified Walter Arden the best horse that could be chosen in Kingsbury Park." John Arden *d.* in the 17th HENRY VIII. and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS ARDEN, esq. of Park Hall, who wedded Maria, daughter of Thomas Andrews, esq. of Charwelton, and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, who died before his father, (36th HENRY VIII.) leaving by his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Conway, esq. a son and heir,

EDWARD ARDEN, esq. who succeeded his grandfather at Park Hall. This gentleman having incurred the hostility of the Earl of Leicester was prosecuted, through the means of that nobleman, with great rigour and violence for high treason, and being executed and attainted, his forfeited estates were granted to Edward Darcy, esq. but his son and heir, by his wife, Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Throgmorton,

ROBERT ARDEN, esq. eventually recovered all these lands except Curdworth, in virtue of an entail made upon his marriage with Elizabeth, daughter of Reginald Corbet, one of the justices of the Common Pleas By this lady he had an only child,

SIR HENRY ARDEN, knt. who wedded Dorothea, daughter of Basil Fielding, esq. of Newnham, and dying in the life-

* For the intermediate line refer to DUGDALE'S *Warwickshire*; in which, however, appear some discrepancies.

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time of his father, *anno* 1616, left issue,

1. ROBERT, who inherited Park Hall from his grandfather, and *d.* unmarried in 1643.
2. ELIZABETH, *m.* to Sir Will. Pooley, knt. of Boxsted, in Suffolk.
3. GODITHA, *m.* to Herbert Price, esq.
4. DOROTHEA, *m.* to Henry Bagot, esq.
5. ANNE, *m.* to Sir Charles Adderley, of Lea.

II. SIMON, of whom presently.
III. Robert.
IV. Edward.

The second son,

SIMON ARDEN, esq. married first, Christian, widow of Thomas Bond, esq. of Wardend, and secondly, Margaret ——, by the latter he left a son and heir,

AMBROSE ARDEN, esq. who wedded, in 1588, Mary, eldest daughter of John Wedgewood, esq. of Harracles, and was *s.* at his decease, in 1624, by his son,

AMBROSE, or HUMPHRY ARDEN, esq. who had issue,

HENRY, who *m.* Catherine Harpur, of Littleover, in Derbyshire, and died in 1676.
John, of Wisbeach, who died in 1709, aged eighty-four.
HUMPHREY, of whom presently.

The third son,

HUMPHREY ARDEN, esq. of Longcroft, in the county of Stafford, wedded Miss Lassel, of London, and dying in 1705, at the age of seventy-four, left issue,

HENRY, his heir.
Elizabeth, who died in 1689, aged twenty-one.
Catharine, twin with Henry.

Mr. Arden was *s.* by his only son,

HENRY ARDEN, esq. of Longcroft, baptized 7th November, 1665. This gentleman espoused Anne Alcock (heiress of James Smith, of Nantwich), by whom (who *d.* 6th January, 1697-8) he had a daughter, Elizabeth, buried 12th June, 1696, and a son and heir,

JOHN ARDEN, esq. of Longcroft, baptized 1st January, 1693, and high sheriff for Staffordshire in 1730. He *m.* Anna-Catherina, eldest daughter of John Newton, esq. of King's Bromley, by Mary, his wife, one of the daughters of Sir Thomas Vernon, and had issue,

HENRY, his heir.
Catherine, who died unmarried.
Anna-Catharina, who wedded Fettiplace Nott, esq. of Lichfield, and had (with a son, Fettiplace,) a daughter,
SARAH NOTT, who became heiress to her brother, Fettiplace Nott, esq. She wedded Henry-Godfrey Faussett, esq. of Heppington, in Kent, but *d. s. p.* in 1816.

Mr. Arden, who *m.* secondly, Anne, daughter of the Rev. John Spateman, rector of Yoxall, but had no further issue, died 8th November, 1734, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY ARDEN, esq. of Longcroft, who wedded Alathea, daughter of Robert Cotton, esq. of Worcester, by whom (who *d.* 1st July, 1783) he had issue,

JOHN, his heir.
Henry, who died in the West Indies.
Robert, *d.* young in 1759.
Humphrey, *b.* 6th December, 1758, who *m.* a daughter of Dr. Landor.
Samuel, *b.* in 1760; a gallant naval officer.
Anne, *m.* to Benjamin Spilsbury, esq. of Willington, in the county of Dublin.
Alathea-Catharina.

Mr. Arden died 22nd June, 1782, aged 59, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THE REV. JOHN ARDEN, of Longcroft Hall, *b.* in March, 1752, who *m.* Margaret Elizabeth, only child of Rear Admiral Hamar, by whom (who now resides at Longcroft Hall,) he had (with five other children, who predeceased him in youth)

JOHN, his heir.
FRANCIS-EDWARD, present representative of the family.
Henry, lieutenant 61st foot, shot at Toulouse.
Samuel, major in the East India Company's Service, who *m.* Jane, daughter of James Franklyn, esq. of Bristol, and died, leaving issue,
William, residing at Foobrook House, near Barton, under Needwood, who *m.* Lettice, daughter of the Rev. John Waston, of Prestbury, in the county of Chester, and has issue.
George-Humphrey, deceased.
George, lieutenant R.N. who died in the West Indies.
Thomas, in holy orders.
Eliza.
Emma-Catharine, *m.* to Walter William Fell, esq. barrister-at-law, and has issue,
Anne-Diana, *m.* to the Rev. Francis Close, of Cheltenham, and has issue.
Mary-Jane, *m.* to George Woodroofe Franklyn, esq. and has issue.

Mr. Arden *d.* 10th February, 1803, aged 51, leaving his widow a life interest in the estates, when the representation of the family devolved on his eldest son,

MAJOR JOHN ARDEN, of the 3rd, or King's

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own Dragoons, who *m.* Anne Maria, dau. of John Hodson, esq. of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, and had issue,

JOHN-HUMPHREY-COTTON, who died in India.

Margaret-Mary-Anne, *m.* to James Challan, esq. and has issue.

Susanna-Maria, *m.* to John Bott, esq. of Coton Hall, in the county of Stafford, and has issue.

Major Arden dying 2nd August, 1809, æt. 33, without male issue, the succession passed to his next brother, the present REV. FRANCIS-EDWARD ARDEN.

Arms—Erm. a fess chequy, or and az.

Crest—On a chapeau purpure turned up ermine, a wild boar passant or.

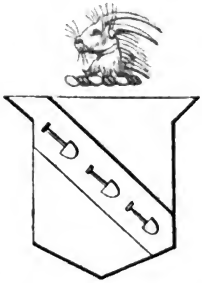
Motto—Quo me cunque vocat patria.

Seat—Longcroft Hall, Staffordshire.

SWETTENHAM, OF SWETTENHAM.

SWETTENHAM, THOMAS-JOHN-WYBAULT, esq. of Swettenham Hall, in the county of Chester, *b.* 5th October, 1804, *m.* 27th June, 1829, Anna-Maria, dau. of Luke Alen, esq. of Dublin, late lieut.-col. 55th regiment, C.B. (see vol. ii. p. 364.) Mr. Swettenham inherited the estates on the demise of his father, 9th April, 1825.

Lineage.



This very ancient family, which, according to tradition, was seated at Swettenham long antecedent to the Conquest, and had a confirmation of the estate, temp. WILLIAM *Rufus*, to the then Saxon possessor, derives its surname from a compound of two Saxon words, *Sweet*, pleasant or agreeable, and *Ham*, a dwelling-place or village; words that aptly describe the situation of the manor.

PETER, LORD OF SWETTENHAM, had, (with a younger son, Peter)

RICHARD SWETTENHAM, Lord of Swettenham, living in the reign of HENRY III. father of

NICHOLAS DE SWETTENHAM, Lord of Swettenham, temp. EDWARD I. whose son,

RICHARD DE SWETTENHAM, Lord of Swettenham, was father of

RICHARD DE SWETTENHAM, whose son,

RICHARD DE SWETTENHAM, of Swettenham, had two sons, THOMAS, his heir, and William, who seated himself at Caryngham, and was ancestor of the SWETTENHAMS of that place. The elder son,

THOMAS DE SWETTENHAM, of Swettenham, living in the 12th of EDWARD III. was *s.* by his son,

RANULPH DE SWETTENHAM, father of

THOMAS DE SWETTENHAM, Lord of Swettenham in the 3rd of RICHARD II. This gentleman was *s.* at his demise, by his son,

THOMAS DE SWETTENHAM, living in the 1st of RICHARD II. and the 1st of HENRY V. He was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS DE SWETTENHAM,* father of

PETER DE SWETTENHAM, who flourished in the early part of the reign of HENRY VI. and was succeeded by his son,

THOMAS DE SWETTENHAM (33rd HENRY VI.), whose son,

RICHARD DE SWETTENHAM, wedded a lady named Helena, but of what family has not been ascertained; and dying in the reign of HENRY VIII. left a son and successor,

OLIVER SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham (20th HENRY VIII.), father of

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of William Swetenham, esq. of Somerford

* This gentleman appears, by page 316, to have wedded Alice, sister and heiress of Roger de Overton, and to have had, besides his successor, a daughter, Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Wilbraham, of Woodhey.

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Booths, in the county of Chester, and was *s.* at his demise by his son,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. who was living at the visitation of 1566. He *m.* a lady named Katherine, by whom he had three sons, THOMAS, his heir; Lawrence, of Bradwall; and William. Mr. Swettenham died in 1611, and was *s.* by the eldest son,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, who died in 1615-6, leaving with three daughters, Ann, Katherine and Elinor, a son and successor,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, who *m.* in 1602, Mary, daughter of John Birtles, esq. of Birtles, and Ann, his wife. By this lady (who died in 1621) he had four sons and three daughters, viz. THOMAS, his heir, William, Laurence, (who left a son, Edward) and George; Ann; Ellenor, *m.* to John Holford, esq.; and Martha. The eldest son and heir,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, *b.* in 1604, married, and had (with a younger son, John, and a daughter, Mary,) his successor,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham and Birtles. This gentleman *b.* in 1642, wedded, first, in 1666, Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Stanley, bart. of Alderley, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
John.
Ann, *m.* to Thomas Kinsey, esq. of Blackden.

Mr. Swettenham *m.* secondly, in 1684, Francis, sister of Roger Mainwaring, esq. of Kermincham, but, by her, who died in 1714, had no further issue. He died in 1713, and was *s.* by his elder son,

WILLIAM SWETTENHAM, esq of Swettenham, who espoused in 1691, Bethia, daughter of Thomas Willis, esq. of an ancient Berkshire family, and had issue,

I. THOMAS, his heir.
II. Peter.
III. Frances.
IV. ELIZABETH, who *m.* Robert Heys, esq. of Northwich, and had,
  1. ANN HEYS, heir to "Swettenham."
  2. ELIZABETH HEYS, who wedded Millington Eaton, esq. of Everton, in the county of Lancaster, (eldest son and heir of John Eaton, formerly of Overwhitley and Millington, both in the county of Chester, and afterwards of Liverpool, gent.) by whom she had a son,
    JOHN EATON, eventual inheritor of the SWETTENHAM estates.
V. Margaret-Mainwaring.
VI. Ann.
VII. Berthia, *m.* to Richard Moore.
VIII. Mary.
IX. Jane.

Mr. Swettenham died in 1736, and was *s.* by his elder son,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, who *m.* prior to 1717, Penelope, daughter of Thomas Warburton, esq. and had a daughter, Bethia, *m.* to James Wadeson, esq. of Thornes, in Yorkshire, and a son and successor,

THOMAS SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, who assumed on inheriting the estates of his cousin, Daniel Willis, esq. the additional surname and arms of that family. He *m.* in 1751, Elizabeth, daughter of John Upton, esq. of Putney, but dying *s. p.* in 1788, the Willis estates passed to Ralph Earle, esq. father of the present RICHARD WILLIS, esq. of Halsnead Park (see page 46) while the ancient inheritance of SWETTENHAM devolved on Mr. Swettenham-Willis's cousin,

ANN HEYS, at whose decease, unmarried, it vested in her nephew,

JOHN EATON, esq. (refer to issue of ELIZABETH, daughter of WILLIAM SWETTENHAM, by BERTHIA WILLIS,) who thereupon assumed the surname and arms of SWETTENHAM. He *m.* Sarah Crosby, and by that lady (who died 10th September, 1821) left issue, at his demise, 7th December, 1803.

MILLINGTON EATON, his heir.
Thomas-Swettenham Eaton, in holy orders, rector of Swettenham, who *m.* Miss Anna-Antonia Heyes, and had issue.
Sarah, *m.* to Samuel Edge, esq. of Cheetham Hill, Lancashire, and has issue.

Mr. (Eaton) Swettenham was *s.* at his decease by his son,

MILLINGTON EATON SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham, *b.* in 1774, who *m.* at Kilkenny, 12th October, 1798, Margaret, daughter of Paul Wybault, esq. of Springfield, in that shire, and had two sons and a daughter, viz.

George, who *d. s. p.*
THOMAS-JOHN-WYBAULT, his heir.
Sarah Eaton, *m.* to Michael Warren, esq. of Sandford's Court, in the county of Kilkenny.

Mr. Swettenham died 9th April, 1825, and was *s.* by his only son, the present THOMAS JOHN-WYBAULT SWETTENHAM, esq. of Swettenham.

Arms—Arg. on a bend sa. three spades of the first.

Crest—A porcupine's head erased azure, guttée arg. armed and collared or.

Motto—Ex sudore vultus.

Estate—Situated in Swettenham, (being a township in itself) possessed by the family prior to the Norman Conquest. The living

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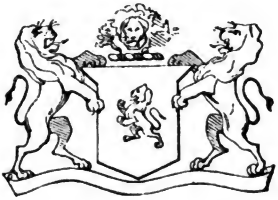
of Swettenham was in its gift for centuries, and until disposed of by the present proprietor.

Seat— Swettenham Hall, Cheshire.

*** There is an heir loom in the family which they have long highly valued; the watch handed by Lord Russel to a friend on the scaffold, when he made the observation, "I am now done with time, and must henceforward think of eternity." Mr. Swettenham is not aware how this valuable relic came into his family, but he believes that the martyred lord's friend was one of his ancestors.

DUNDAS, OF DUNDAS.

DUNDAS, JAMES, esq. of Dundas, in the shire of Linlithgow, *b.* 14th January, 1793, *m.* 20th July, 1813, The Hon. Mary-Tufton Duncan, daughter of the celebrated Admiral, Adam, first Viscount Duncan, by whom he has issue,



GEORGE, *b.* 12th November, 1819.
Adam-Alexander, *b.* 22nd January, 1822.
Henry-Robert, *b.* 4th February, 1823.
Charles-Stirling, *b.* 9th September, 1824.
John-Dalrymple, *b.* 4th February, 1829.
Henry-Frederick, *b.* 24th March, 1832.
Henrietta-Duncan.
Caroline-Stirling.
Catherine-Mary.
Mary-Jemima.
Anna-Maria.

This gentleman, who is now the chief of the great northern family of Dundas, inherited that honor at his birth with the lands of his family, his father having died previously.

Lineage.

"The Dundasses," says Lord Woodhouselee, in the transactions of the Royal Society, "are descended of a family to which the historian and the genealogist have assigned an origin of high antiquity and splendour, but which has been still more remarkable for producing a series of men eminently distinguished for their public services in the highest offices in Scotland. If the pride of ancestry is ever allowable, it is where those ancestors have adorned the stations which they filled by that genuine merit, which independently of rank, must have entitled them to the respect and esteem of their fellow citizens."

The DUNDASSES are generally believed to have sprung from the DUNBARS, Earls of March, who derived themselves from the Saxon Princes of England.

COSPATRIC, first Earl of March, died in 1139, leaving two sons, viz. Cospatric, the second earl, and

UTHRED, living in the time of DAVID I. who obtained from Waldeve, his father's elder brother, the lands and barony of Dundass, in West Lothian. His son,

HELIAS, had a confirmation of the lands of Dundas, in the reign of *King* DAVID, and assumed therefrom, in conformity of the then prevailing custom, his name and designation, while to denote his alliance with the old Earls of March, he adopted for his armorial bearings the ensigns of those lords, differing, as a mark of cadency, in the colours only. He was *s.* in the beginning of the reign of WILLIAM, *the Lion*, by his son,

SERLE DE DUNDAS, who is frequently mentioned in the affairs of Scotland, temp. *King* WILLIAM. He died early in the next reign, and was *s.* by his son,

HELIAS DE DUNDAS, father of

RADULPHUS DE DUNDAS, whose name appears prefixed as witness to a charter

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whereby ALEXANDER II. confirmed a donation of Richard Baird, to the monastery of Kelso. He was succeeded by his son,

SAER DE DUNDAS, who swore allegiance to EDWARD of ENGLAND, in 1296. He died before the year 1300, leaving a son and heir,

SIR HUGH DE DUNDAS, one of the gallant adherents of the GREAT but ill-fated WILLIAM WALLACE, to whose cause, and that of Scotland, he never forfeited his fidelity, but fought with unshaken fortitude to the last. His son and successor,

SIR GEORGE DE DUNDAS, equally firm to ROBERT BRUCE, fell at the battle of Duplin, in 1332, and was *s.* by his son,

JAMES DE DUNDAS. This laird having a violent contest with the Abbot of Dunfirmline, regarding the right to certain islands in the Forth, incurred the highest censure of the church, and was excommunicated. He lived however to adjust the dispute, and to have the anathema removed. He died before 1364, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN DE DUNDAS, who obtained from DAVID II. a charter, dated 18th February, 1364, of the lands and barony of Fingask. He left at his decease, a daughter Agnes, *m.* to Sir Adam Forrester, of Corstorphin, and a son,

JAMES DUNDAS, of Dundas, who occurs in numerous charters from 1378 to 1439. He *m.* first, a lady whose name and family are not recorded. By her he had three sons, viz.

I. JAMES, } both knights, and successive proprietors of Dundas.
II. ARCHIBALD, }
III. Duncan, LORD LYON. This Duncan Duncas, a man of much note in his day, was frequently employed in embassies to England, and ever discharged his duty with integrity and honour. He acquired from his family the barony of Newliston, and founded the branch of Dundas of that place.

The laird of Dundas married secondly, Christian Stewart, daughter of John, Lord Innermeath and Lorn, and had further issue,

IV. Alexander, progenitor of the DUNDASES of Fingask.
V. Thomas, who appears to have died *s. p.*
VI. Elizabeth, *m.* to Philip Moubray, of Barnbougle.
VII. Christian, *m.* to Sir John Sandilands, of Calder.

He *d.* in 1430-1, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES DUNDAS, of Dundas, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Alexander Levingston, of Callender, governor of Scotland, in the minority of JAMES II. and subsequently espousing the interests of his father-in-law he was committed prisoner to the Castle of Dumbarton, with his brother Duncan, when his lands were confiscated. He died issueless before the year 1452, as appears by a remission from *King* JAMES, "quondam Jacobo Dundas de eodem, &c." and was *s.* by his brother,

SIR ARCHIBALD DUNDAS, of Dundas. This laird obtained charters from *King* JAMES III. of the lands and barony of Bothkener, and of the lands and barony of Blairmucks. He was high in favour at Court, and had several confidential embassies entrusted to him. Some short period before the king's decease, Dundas received a letter from his Majesty, announcing the royal intention of conferring upon him the Earldom of Forth, but the monarch's unexpected death in battle, prevented the fulfilment of the promise. He obtained however, from JAMES IV. in 1491, a grant of the island of Inchgarvie, with liberty to build and fortify a castle thereon, with numerous and important privileges attached. He died within a short time afterwards, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM DUNDAS, of Dundas, who was served heir to his father in 1494. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Archibald Wauchope, of Niddery, and had two sons,

JAMES (Sir), his heir.
William, ancestor of the Dundases, of Dudingston, Manour, &c. See vol. iii.

The elder son,

SIR JAMES DUNDAS, of Dundas, had seisine of his estate on the 22nd October, 1513. He *m.* Margaret Sandilands, of the house of Torphichen, and dying in 1553, left a son and heir,

GEORGE DUNDAS, of Dundas, who espoused first, Margaret, daughter of David Boswell, of Balmuto, and had two sons,

I. WALTER (Sir) his heir.
II. George.

He wedded secondly, Catharine, daughter of Laurence, third Lord Oliphant, and had further issue,

III. JAMES (Sir), of Arniston, from whom descended

ROBERT DUNDAS, an eminent lawyer, who was constituted a judge in 1689. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Sinclair, of Stevenson, and had, with other children,

ROBERT DUNDAS, of Arniston, *b.* 9th September, 1695, who, following the profession of his father, was appointed solicitor-general of Scotland in 1717; lord advocate in 1720. In 1722 he was returned to parliament by

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the city of Edinburgh; and in 1737 raised to the bench as one of the judges of session, when he assumed the titular designation of LORD ARNISTON. He subsequently (anno 1748) succeeded the celebrated Duncan Forbes in the presidency of the court. His lordship *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Watson, esq. of Muir House, and had, with two daughters, a son,

ROBERT, who inherited Arniston, and being also a lawyer, became lord president of the Court of Session. He was *s.* at his demise by his son,

Right Hon. ROBERT DUNDAS, of Arniston, Lord Chief Baron of Scotland, who *m.* in 1787, Hon. Elizabeth Dundas, eldest daughter of Henry, first Viscount Melville, and dying in 1819, left a son and successor, the present

ROBERT DUNDAS, esq. of Arniston.

Lord Arniston espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Gordon, bart. of Invergordon, and had, with other children,

HENRY, who, like his father and brother, adopting the profession of law, was made Lord Advocate of Scotland in 1775. He subsequently took a leading part in England during the administration of WILLIAM PITT, and was elevated to the peerage on the 24th December, 1802, as VISCOUNT MELVILLE. He *d.* in 1811, and was *s.* by his only son,

ROBERT, present Viscount Melville.

IV. Robert, who is mentioned in a charter under the great seal, dated 8th April, 1565.

The Laird of Dundas obtained subsequently a charter of the lands of Easter Bavelaw, in the county of Edinburgh, dated in 1580. He died soon after, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR WALTER DUNDAS, of Dundas, who was made a knight at the baptism of Prince Henry. He *m.* Janet, daughter of Sir Alexander Oliphant, of Kelly, and had three daughters,

Elizabeth, *m.* to Sir James Dundas, of Newliston.

Margaret, *m.* to William Sharp, of Pitleckie.

Isabel, *m.* to John, fourth Lord Torphichen.

Sir Walter espoused secondly, Anne, daughter of Monteith of Carse, and had further issue,

GEORGE, his heir.

William, ancestor of the DUNDASES of BLAIR. (See vol. ii. p. 368.)

Walter, founder of the family of Dundas of Magdalens, now settled in Ireland.

Alexander.

Hugh.

Marian, *m.* to Roger Blair, of that Ilk.

He *d.* about the year 1634, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

GEORGE DUNDAS, of Dundas, who was served heir in 1636. This laird espoused the cause of the parliament in the civil wars. In 1641 he was on the committee for the trial of the gallant Montrose and his adherents, and he was subsequently one of the colonels in Linlithgowshire for putting the kingdom into a state of defence. He *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Alexander Hamilton, of Innerwick, and had issue,

I. WALTER, his successor.

II. GEORGE, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Hay of Monkton, and had

1. GEORGE, who eventually inherited the estates, and became chief of the family.
2. Walter.
3. Christian, *d.* unmarried.
4. Barbara, *m.* to Alexander Irvine, of Supock.

III. James, who espoused Elizabeth, daughter of John Haliburton, of Garvock, and had a son,

George, a lawyer, procurator of the church of Scotland, and principal clerk of the general assemblies. He *m.* Eupham, eldest daughter and heiress of David Dundas, of Philpston, by whom he had, with three daughters, a son,

JAMES, advocate, who wedded Anne, eldest daughter of James Rollo, esq. of Pow-

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house, and had issue, two sons and a daughter, viz.

1. John, whose son, ROBERT DUNDAS, esq. is now representative of this branch of the family.
2. James.
3. Catherine.

IV. Christian, *m.* to Sir Walter Seton, of Abercorn.

V. Elizabeth, *m.* to John Hamilton, of Bangour.

VI. Anne, *m.* to Sir Thomas Rigg, of Atherny.

The laird lived several years after the revolution, and was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

WALTER DUNDAS, esq. of Dundas, who espoused the Lady Christian Leslie, daughter of Alexander, first Earl of Leven, and had,

Alexander, who died young.

RALPH, his heir.

Walter, *m.* Jean, daughter of Sir Patrick Houston, of that Ilk, and *d. s. p.*

Agnes, *m.* to Sir John Foulis, of Ravelston.

Mary, *m.* to Sir William Lockhart.

Barbara, *m.* to Alexander, Lord Raith, son of the Earl of Melville.

The elder surviving son,

RALPH DUNDAS, esq. of Dundas, living in 1669, *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of William Sharp, esq. of Houston, and had two sons, Thomas and William, who both died without issue, and thus terminated the male line of WALTER, eldest son of GEORGE DUNDAS, of Dundas, served heir in 1636; the chieftainship of the family devolved in consequence upon the grandson of the said George Dundas, (the son of his second son, George),

GEORGE DUNDAS, esq. M. P. for Linlithgowshire, and master of the King's works of Scotland. He *m.* Alison, daughter of *General* James Bruce, of Kennet, and had issue,

1. JAMES, his successor.
2. Robert, a captain in the army, *d.* unmarried.
3. Walter.
4. George.
5. Alexander.
6. William.
7. Laurence, *m.* Miss Baxter.
8. Margaret.
9. Alice.
10. Jane.

He was *s.* by his eldest son,

JAMES DUNDAS, esq. of Dundas, who *m.* Jean-Maria, eldest daughter of William, Lord Forbes, and had issue,

GEORGE, his hier.

Dorothea, *m.* to George Brown, of Elliston, county of Roxburgh, and had issue, Lady Hampden, Lady Hope, and Lady Wedderburn.

Alice, *m.* to Sir John Wedderbun, of Balendean, and had issue, three sons and four daughters.

Barbara, *m.* to George Ogilvie, of Langly Park, but had no issue.

Elizabeth.

He was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

GEORGE DUNDAS, esq. of Dundas, who *m.* 24th November, 1784, Christian, second daughter of Sir William Stirling, bart. of Ardoch, by whom (who *d.* 14th September, 1832,) he left,

JAMES, his heir, a posthumous son, *b.* 14th January, 1793.

Christian, *m.* 5th June, 1804, to John Hamilton, esq.

Maria, *m.* 8th April, 1813, to Robert Cunnyngham, esq. and has issue.

Ann, *m.* 12th April, 1831, to Montgomerie Hamilton, esq.

This gentleman, a captain in the Honorable East India Company's, and commander of the Winterton East Indiaman, was lost at the wreck of that ship off the coast of Madagascar, on the 22nd August, 1792. He was *s.* by his son, the present JAMES DUNDAS, esq. of Dundas.

Arms—Arg. a lion rampant gules.

Crest—A lion's head full faced, looking through a bush of oak, ppr.

Supporters—Two lions gules, and below the shield for a compartment a salamander in flames of fire ppr.

Motto—Essayez.

Estates—In the contiguous parishes of Dalmeny and Kirkleston, situated in Linlithgowshire, which property has been in the family for seven centuries. Mr. Dundas possesses a charter of these lands granted in 1109, by Waldegrave, Earl of March, the oldest document of this description in any private family in Scotland.

Seat—DUNDAS CASTLE, near Queenferry.

*** The old castle of Dundas, now uninhabited, was erected in the year 1100, the present residence in 1818. The old castle forms part of the pile of building, and it commands a beautiful and most extensive view of the Frith of Forth from the isle of May to Stirling Castle.

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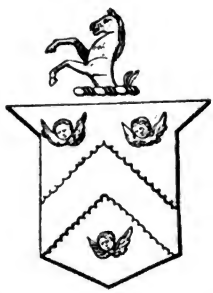
CHALLEN, OF SHERMANBURY PARK.

CHALLEN, THE REV. JOHN GRATWICK, D.D. of Shermanbury Park, in the county of Sussex, *m.* Sophia, daughter of John Diggins, esq. of Chichester, by whom (who *d.* in 1807) he has no issue.

Lineage.



The COMBERS, from whom Dr. Challen inherits Shermanbury, are said to have been possessed of the manor of Barkham, in the county of Sussex, conferred on their ancestor by the Conqueror, for killing a Saxon lord at the battle of Hastings.

WILLIAM COMBER, esq. purchased, in 1542, the estate of Shermanbury from Lord Sandys. He was *s.* by his son,

JOHN COMBER, esq. of Shermanbury, who *d.* in 1593, leaving three sons, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.

Thomas, an eminent divine, Dean of Carlisle.

James, who wedded Mary Burton, of Westerham, in Kent, and had a son, JOHN, the celebrated Dean of Durham.

The eldest son and heir,

WILLIAM COMBER, esq. of Shermanbury, was *s.* at his decease, in 1627, by his only daughter,

ELIZABETH COMBER, who espoused Thomas Gratwick, esq. and had a son and successor,

THOMAS GRATWICK, esq. father of

JOHN GRATWICK, esq. who wedded Miss Ann Holney, and had an only daughter and heiress,

ANN GRATWICK, who *m.* Thomas Lintot, esq. of Wallhurst, and had by him (who *d.* in 1720) an only child,

CASSANDRA LINTOT, of Shermanbury. This lady *m.* Henry Farncomb, esq. of Patcham, and left one daughter, her heiress,

CASSANDRA FARNCOMBE, of Shermanbury, who espoused John Challen, esq. son of Stephen Challen, esq. of Selsey, and grandson of Richard Challen,* gent. on whose monument, now removed, in the church at Oving, were the arms of Challoner. By this marriage the heiress of Shermanbury had issue,

I. JOHN-GRATWICK, her heir.

II. Stephen-Hasler, who *m.* Barbara, daughter and heiress of W. Chambers, esq. of Seaford, and has four daughters.

1. Maria-Harriet.
2. Barbara-Jane.
3. Caroline.
4. Emily.

III. George, who *d.* at Bombay, a capt. in the Native Infantry in 1825.

IV. Ann-Farncombe.

V. Maria-Lintot, *d.* unmarried.

VI. Augusta, *m.* to Captain Robert-William Gillum.

Mr. Challen, who erected the present mansion on the site of the ancient manor house, which was partly pulled down about fifty years ago, purchased, in 1785, from Thomas Pelham, esq. father of the late Lord Pelham, the manor and estate of Ewhurst, in the county of Sussex. He was *s.* at his demise by his son, the present Rev. Dr. JOHN-GRATWICK CHALLEN, who likewise inherited his mother's estates.

Arms—Sa. a chevron engrailed or, between three cherubs' heads of the second.

Crest—A demi-horse saliant.

Motto—Gloria Deo.

Estates—In Sussex.

Seat—Shermanbury Park, near Henfield.

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* This Richard Challen was second son of — Challen, of Shopwhyke. The elder son Stephen, left an only daughter and heiress, *m.* to the brother of Sir Thomas Miller, bart.

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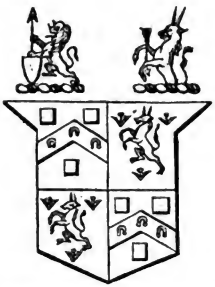
WILLIAMS, OF IVYTOWER.

WILLIAMS-HARRIS, ORLANDO, esq. of Ivytower, in the county of Pembroke, *b.* 13th June, 1783, *m.* 9th August, 1809, Maria, only daughter and heiress of William Williams, esq. of Ivytower. This gentleman, in the commission of the peace for the counties of Pembroke, Carmarthen, and Gloucester, and a deputy-lieutenant for the first, assumed by sign manual, in 1824, in addition to his own surname and arms, HARRIS, those of his wife's family, WILLIAMS. Mr. Harris-Williams served the office of high-sheriff for the county of Pembroke, in 1824.

Lineage.



This family branched off originally from Herefordshire, and its descent is authentically traced from

THE REV. LEWIS WILLIAMS, rector of Narberth, &c. living *temp.* EDWARD VI. who inherited the estates of his ancestors in the manor and parish of St. Florence, in the county of Pembroke. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Robert Ferrar, bishop of St. David's,* by whom he had a son and successor,

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. who espoused Elizabeth Whitchurch, niece of Archdeacon Rudd, of the diocese of St. David's, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Elizabeth, *m.* to — Howell, esq.
Jane, *m.* to — Ferrar, esq.
Susan.

The only son,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, esq. wedded Jane Stafford, and was father of

ROBERT WILLIAMS, esq. *b.* in 1657, who espoused Miss Elizabeth Hammond, of Whitby, in Yorkshire, and dying in 1710, left issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.
Thomas, *d.* unmarried in 1744.

The elder son,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, esq. *b.* in 1693, was receiver-general of the counties of Pembroke, Cardigan, Carmarthen, and Glamorgan. He *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of — Davies, esq. of Coomb, in Carmarthenshire, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.
Thomas, *d.* unmarried in 1793.
Morgan, *b.* in 1741, president of the council of Madras for many years, chief of Gan-Jam, governor of Fort St. George, and chief commissioner of circuit in allaying discontents and healing grievances among the native princes. He *d.* unmarried, in India, in 1790.
Alexander, who *m.* Marray, sister of Sir George Murray, K.C.B. by whom he had issue,
1. WILLIAM, who *m.* Miss Crawshay, daughter of — Crawshay, esq. ironmaster, Merthyr Tedvill, but *d. s. p.* in 1828.
2. Emelia, *m.* to the Rev. Charles Pilkington, rector of Shopwick, in Sussex, and prebendary of Chichester, and has issue.
3. Maria.

Barbara, *m.* to Stedman Davies, esq. and had a son, STEDMAN.
Ann, *m.* to — Hughes, esq. of Dublin.

* This eminent prelate suffered martyrdom 27th Feb. 1555, at Carmarthen Cross. The Abergwyilly estate, with divers curious relicks which came by this marriage, are still in the possession of the family; particularly the good bishop's seal of office and the pastoral staff upon which he leaned at the stake, and on which are marks of the fire by which he was consumed.

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Betty.
Emelia, *m.* to — O'Brien, esq.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, esq. of Ivy Tower, in the county of Pembroke, *b.* in 1736, served the office of high-sheriff for that shire. This gentleman, devoting a long life to study, attained eminence as an antiquarian, and was esteemed a profound scholar. He espoused Miss Maria Jermyn, by whom (who *d.* in 1782) he had an only daughter and heiress,

MARIA WILLIAMS, who *m.* as stated above, ORLANDO HARRIS, esq. eldest son of George Harris, esq. of Oaklands, in the county of Gloucester.

Arms—Quarterly, first and fourth or, on a chev. gu. between three cubes, pean, as many horse shoes arg. for WILLIAMS. Second and third, sa. an antelope arg. maned and tuft or, between four pheons gold, for HARRIS.

Crests—First, a lion rampant or, holding in the dexter paw a javelin erect ppr. the sinister paw resting on an escocheon pean, for WILLIAMS: second, a demi-antelope arg. between the paws an arrow or.

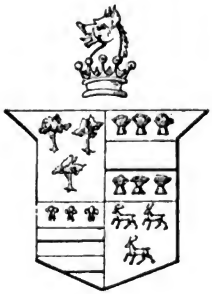
Motto—Fortiter et fideliter.

Estates — In Pembrokeshire, Carmarthenshire, and Gloucestershire.

Seats — Ivytower, Pembrokeshire, and Angeston, in the county of Gloucester.

CASSAN, OF SHEFFIELD.

CASSAN, MATTHEW, esq. of Sheffield, in the Queen's county, *b.* in November 1754, entered as a gentleman commoner of Exeter College, Oxford, 1st November, 1773, *m.* first, 18th May, 1776, Sarah, third daughter of Colonel Forde, of Seaforde, in the county of Down,* younger son of Matthew Forde, esq. of Seaforde, M. P. for that shire, by his wife, a daughter of William Brownlow, esq. M. P. of Lurgan, and has one son,



STEPHEN-SHEFFIELD, *b.* 18th October, 1777, B. A. of Trinity College, Dublin, July, 1798, M.A. 27th November, 1832; entered a student of Gray's Inn, 20th April, 1799, called to the Irish bar, 18th June, 1802, in the commission of the peace for the Queen's County and Kilkenny. He *m.* in 1804, Eliza-Ann, dau. and sole heiress of E. Laurenson, esq. of Capponellan, in co. Kilkenny, by Mary,† his wife, dau. of George Stoney, esq. of Grayfort, in co. Tipperary, and sister of Andrew Robinson Stoney, esq. who, on marrying the Countess of Strathmore, assumed the surname of BOWES. (See page 184.) By the heiress of Laurenson, Mr. Sheffield Cassan has issue,

1. MATTHEW-SHEFFIELD, B.A. of Trinity College, Dublin, a student of the Temple.
2. Stephen-Sheffield.
3. Edward.
4. Arthur-Moore.
5. Sarah-Elizabeth.
6. Mary-Ann.
7. Alicia.
8. Ann.
9. Margaret.

* By his wife, a daughter of Thomas Bowerbank, esq. of Cumberland.

† This lady's sister wedded the Hon. Arthur Moore, one of the judges of the Court of Common Pleas, in Ireland.

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Mr. Cassan espoused secondly, 15th September, 1819, Catherine, daughter of John Head, esq. of Ashley Park, in the county of Tipperary, by Phœbe, his wife, sixth and youngest sister of John Toler, first Earl of Norbury, chief-justice of the Common Pleas, in Ireland, but by this lady he has no issue. Mr. Cassan, who *s.* to the representation of the family on the demise of his father, in 1773, has been for many years, major of the Queen's County Militia, burgomaster of Maryborough, and is the oldest acting magistrate for the county. He served the office of high-sheriff in 1783.

Lineage.

The family of CASSAN, or DE CASSAGNE, is of ancient French lineage. Douglas, in his Baronage of Scotland, page 296, under the article Spens Destignots, Lords of Destignots and St. Germain, (a branch of Spens, of Lathallan, descendants of the house of the great Macduff, Thane of Fife,) on the authority of documents in the archives of the Senescalliat des Lannes, names the Cassagnes, as "Lords de Montagu," and of Bonthon, and calls them "a family of distinction in the province of Bearne," anterior to the year 1509, at which period we find them, according to the same historian, forming alliances with some of the most ancient of the French Noblesse, and especially with the house of Spens.

STEPHEN CASSAN, of Montpelier, born in 1659, passed at the revocation of the edict of Nantes, into Holland, and in 1689, being then an officer in the foreign brigade, commanded by Schomberg, went to Ireland, where, in 1692, he married, as appears by the records in Ulster's Office, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of Joseph Sheffield, esq. of Navestock, in Essex, and of Cappoly, (since called Sheffield, to mark the descent of the Cassans from the Sheffields) in the Queen's county, and in consequence of this alliance, the family of Cassan, by authority and license from Ulster, now quarter the armorial insignia of the ancient houses of St. Liz, Sheffield, and Greene, (see families of Sheffield and St. Lyz, at foot.) Stephen Cassan died 1750-1, aged 92, seised of all the estates which had been granted to his wife's father, Joseph Sheffield, by the crown 22nd March, 1667, 19th CHARLES II. (refer to the 15th report of the Commissioners, respecting the public records of Ireland, printed by order of the House of Commons, p. 102). He had an only son,

MATTHEW CASSAN, esq. his successor at Sheffield, born in 1693. This gentleman inherited likewise his mother's property at Navestock, which he sold while at the Temple; he built the present mansion at Sheffield, and is the same Matthew Cassan, who occurs as residuary legatee and administrator to his cousin, John Sheffield, of Navestock, nephew of Joseph, his maternal grandfather. He *m.* first, Ann, dau. of Jonathan Baldwin, esq. of Summer Hill, Queen's county, and had, (besides two daughters, Eliza, *m.* to the Rev. Geo. Cooke, and Margaret, *m.* to Aaron Crossley Seymour, esq.) two sons,

- STEPHEN, his heir.
- Richard-Sheffield, barrister-at-law, *b.* 1729, *m.* Isabella, dau. of Alex. Hamilton, esq. of Knock, in the county of Dublin, M.P. for Belfast, sister of George Hamilton, solicitor general, and afterwards Baron of the Irish Exchequer, from 1776 to 1784, and of Hugh Hamilton, D.D. who was bishop of Clonfert, 1796, and died bishop of Ossory, in 1805. Mr. Richard Sheffield Cassan died, leaving four daughters only.

Mr. Cassan wedded secondly, Christian, daughter of John Walsh, esq. of Jamaica, and had further issue,

- Joseph, in holy orders, of Stradbally, born in 1742, rector of Timmogue, and vicar of Tullamoy and Fosse. He died in 1830, aged 88, leaving issue.
- John, a captain in the 56th, who died in August, 1805, leaving issue.
- Christiana, *b.* 12th March, 1743, *m.* to James Price, esq. of Westfield, in the Queen's County. She died in 1814, leaving issue, the Rev. Edward Price, present archdeacon of Killaloe, (who *m.* Ricarda, daughter of Richard Annesley, esq. of New Ross, M.P. and niece of Charles, first marquess of Ely, *see Burke's Peerage*) and lieutenant colonel James Price.

The eldest son and heir,

STEPHEN CASSAN, esq. succeeded at Sheffield, on the decease of his father, Matthew. He was born 22nd May, 1724-5, admitted a student of Lincoln's Inn, 2nd April, 1745, and took his certificate for the Irish bar, 2nd March, 1750, to which he was shortly afterwards called. His name occurs in the registry of the prerogative court, in Ireland, as administrator to his grandfather, Stephen, 5th May, 1752, his father, Matthew being

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then dead. This gentleman, who served the office of high sheriff for the Queen's county in 1763, espoused, 9th December, 1750, Alicia, relict of Benjamin Hunt, esq. to whom she had been married in 1741, and daughter of William Mercer, esq. of Fair Hill, county of Louth, of Newtown Ardes, county of Down, and of the city of Dublin, by Ann-Sarah, his wife, daughter of John Baillie, esq. of Inishargie, county of Down, M.P. This lady was sister of Fairfax Mercer, esq. whose daughter and co-heir, Mary, became the second wife of Colonel Richard Fitzgerald, of Kilminchy, M.P. for Ennis, who died in 1766, father of Caroline, wife of Robert, second earl of Kingston.* Mr. Cassan died 26th April, 1773, æt. 48, Mrs. Cassan surviving him until 6th February, 1789; she was 68 at the period of her decease, and was, with her husband, buried in the family mausoleum, in the old church of Kilecoolmanban, near Sheffield. His will was dated, 23rd April, 1773, proved 10th December following, in virtue of a commission directed out of the High Court of Chancery in Ireland; and hers bore date, 7th August, 1787. They had, with other children, who died issueless, two sons and a daughter, viz.

i. Matthew, heir.

ii. Stephen, born at Coolbanagher House, near Emo, then a second seat of the family, 2nd January, 1757. Entered of Trinity College, Dublin, 1st November, 1773; Admitted a student of the Middle Temple, 4th February, 1778, and took his certificate for the Irish bar, 15th November, 1781. He died in Bengal 26th January, 1794, intestate; administration was granted in the prerogative court of Canterbury 18th March, 1795, to Sarah, his relict. This gentleman will be long recollected for his profound legal knowledge, his eloquence as a pleader, his classical erudition, his social qualities, strict integrity, and generosity of disposition. He married at Calcutta 4th March, 1786, Sarah, only dau. and eventual heiress of Charles Mears, esq. captain of the Egmont, elected 4th February, 1775, a brother of the Trinity House, only son of the Rev. John Mears, of Coleraine by his wife Jane Stuart. Mr. Cassan by this lady, who still survives, left an only son,

The Rev. Stephen Hyde Cassan, M.A. F.S.A. vicar of Bruton and of Wyke in the county of Somerset, author of "Sermons" and several learned works—the "lives of the bishops of Salisbury, of Winchester, and of Bath and Wells," and of a tract against the repeal of the corporation and test acts, which at the time was much read and well received by the high church and tory party. This gentleman was born at Calcutta, during his father's shrievalty, October 27, 1789, and baptized there 5th March following. Entered as a gentleman-commoner of Magdalen Hall, Oxford, 30th May, 1811, and student of the Middle Temple 24th October following, (being designed to follow the profession adopted by his predecessors for three generations). B.A. 14th January, 1815; M.A. 22nd January, 1818; ordained deacon 26th March, 1815; priest 24th March, 1816; and elected fellow of the Society of Antiquaries 8th January, 1829. The Rev. Stephen Hyde Cassan married, at Frome, 27th December, 1820, Frances, third daughter of the late Rev. William Ireland, M.A. vicar of Frome, &c. and an acting magistrate for Somerset upwards of twenty years, by his wife Alicia, daughter of William Everett, esq. of Horningsham, county of Wilts, and niece to Thomas Everett, esq. of Biddesden House, M.P. for Ludgershall. By this lady Mr. Cassan has had issue,

1. Algernon-William, *b.* 18th July, 1822.
2. Gertrude-Ann-Caley.
3. Frances-Alicia.
4. Louisa-Ursula, who died in 1829.
5. Florence-Georgiana.

iii. Alicia, *b.* at Coolbanagher House 20th November, 1755; espoused the late Rev. George Howse, M.A. rector of Inch, son of the Rev. George Howse, archdeacon of Dromore, by Lætitia, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Wynne, by Dorcas, daughter of Ro-

* Mrs. Fitzgerald, niece of Mrs. Cassan, died at her house, St. James's Square, Bath, 11th January, 1830, leaving inter alios, Margaret, of Fairhill, who *m.* in 1795, the Hon. John Jocelyn, fourth son of Robert, first earl of Roden, (see *Burke's Peerage*): their daughter, Anne-Charlotte, wedded 3rd August, 1820, Robert Bourke, esq. eldest son of the late Hon. and Right Rev. Richard Bourke, Lord Bishop of Waterford, and nephew and heir presumptive to the earl of Mayo.

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bert Hoey, esq. of Danganstown, in the county of Wicklow, many years M.P. for that county.* The Rev. Mr. Howse died in 1804, and his widow in 1827, leaving, with other issue,

George Howse, of Castlebar, M.D.

Alicia Howse, *m.* in 1802, to the Very Rev. Peter Browne, the present dean of Ferns, and has issue.

Elizabeth-Geraldine Howse, *m.* in 1829, to the Rev. Richard B. Gordon, rector of Duncormack, county of Wexford.

Mr. Cassan was *s.* at his decease by his elder son, the present MATTHEW CASSAN, esq. of Sheffield.

FAMILIES OF ST. LIZ AND SHEFFIELD.

SEWARD, called "the Great," Earl of Northumberland, Huntingdon, and Northampton, wedded Alfreda, dau. of Aldred, Earl of Northumberland, and dying, (anno 1053), 13th EDWARD the Confessor, left a son and successor,

WALTHEOF, Earl of Northumberland, Huntingdon, and Northampton, who *m.* Judith, daughter of Lambert, Count de Lens, in Artois, by Maud, Countess of Albemarle, the Uterine sister of the CONQUEROR. The earl, conspiring against the Normans, was beheaded at Winchester in 1075, buried there and subsequently at Crowland. He left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

MAUD, of whom presently.

JUDITH, *m.* first to Ralph de Toney, and afterwards to Robert, fifth son of Richard de Tonbridge, ancestor of the Lords Fitzwalter.

The elder daughter and co-heir,

MAUD, espoused, first, Simon de ST. LIZ, Earl of Northampton and Huntingdon,† a noble Norman, son of Randulph le Rich. This Simon built the castle of Northampton and the priory of St. Andrew there, about the year 1084. His lordship was a witness to *King* HENRY the First's laws in 1100, after which he made a voyage to the Holy Land, and died in his return, *anno* 1115, at the Abbey of Our Lady of Charity, in France. The Countess Maud married, secondly, *Prince* DAVID, afterwards King of Scotland. By her first husband, the earl, her ladyship had a son,

SIMON DE ST. LIZ, Earl of Northampton, founder of the nunnery of Delapre, near Northampton, and of the abbey of Saltrey, in the county of Huntingdon. After the death of Prince HENRY, of Scotland, this nobleman was invested by King STEPHEN, with the earldom of Huntingdon, but died shortly afterwards in 1153, and was buried in the priory of St. Andrew. He had married Isabel, daughter of Robert de Bellomont, called "Le Bossu," Earl of Leicester, by whom (who wedded, for her second husband, Gervas Paynell, Lord of Dudley,) his lordship had a son, *inter alios*,

SIMON DE ST. LIZ, who granted, by the description of "Symon de Sancto Licio, frater Comitis Symonis," a meadow in Cumton to the nuns of Delapre (Mon. Angl. I. 1017, and II. 264). By Amicia, his wife, he was father of

SIR SIMON DE ST. LIZ, knt. who held two parts of a knight's fee in Warmington of the abbot of Bury St. Peter. He and his wife, Anne, granted quit claim of Waste, in the Forest of Seton, in the county of Rutland, by deed 19th HENRY III. This Sir Simon espoused Anne, or Amy, daughter of Richard Balistarius, and had a second son (the eldest *d. s. p.*),

SIR RICHARD DE ST. LIZ,* father, by Matilda, his wife, of

SIR WILLIAM DE ST. LIZ, knt. of Seyton and Thorpe, in the county of Rutland, M.P. for that shire, 6th EDWARD II. who recovered lands in Warmington from Simon, his uncle, 18th EDWARD I.† Sir William was *s.* by his son,

SIR ROWLAND DE ST. LIZ, knt. who *m.* Agnes de Empingham, and had a son,

ROWLAND DE ST. LIZ, who espoused Alice, daughter of — Pinchbeck, esq. of the county of Lincoln, and had two daughters, his co-heirs; the younger of whom,

ISABELLA ST. LIZ, wedded William Sheffield, esq. knight in parliament for the county of Rutland, 9th HENRY IV. and 8th HENRY V. and had a son,

JOHN SHEFFIELD, esq. father, by Agnes Promise, his wife, of

WILLIAM SHEFFIELD, esq. who *m.* Agnes Baxter, and had

JOHN SHEFFIELD, esq. This gentleman

* The Rev. George Howse's mother, the widow of the archdeacon, married, secondly, the Very Rev. William Dickson, dean of Down, father of William Dickson, bishop of Down and Connor, the friend and fellow collegian of Fox, and remarkable as the "Whig bishop." Mr. Howse's only sister, Dorcas, wedded the Rev. Sir Thomas Foster, bart., and his brother, John Howse, espoused Alicia, sister of the said Sir Thomas Foster.

† Refer to BURKE's *Extinct and Dormant Peerage* for some curious particulars regarding this marriage.

* *Vide* Placita de Banco, anno 14th Edw. I.

† *Vide* Placita, term Mich. Rot. 171.

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espoused Elizabeth Peytiver, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD SHEFFIELD, esq. who *m.* Margaret Morgan, of the county of Worcester, and had a son,

GEORGE SHEFFIELD, esq. of Seyton, sheriff for the county of Rutland in 1588. He wedded Elizabeth Harrison,* and left a second son,

SAMPSON SHEFFIELD, esq. of Seaton, who, by Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Woodroffe, esq. of London,† had a son, another

SAMPSON SHEFFIELD, esq. who in the pedigree in the Herald's College, whence the foregoing is drawn, is thus noticed:—"Sampson Sheffield, of Seton aforesaid (which he alienated to the Lord Montagu), son and heir, æt. 12, anno 1618, afterwards of Navestock, co. Essex; buried by the description of 'Collonell Sampson Sheffield,' in the parish of Clement Danes, co. Middx. Sept. 25, 1652. Will dated June 22, 1648; administration granted May 18, 1658, to Jane Sheffield, relict of Sampson Sheffield, late of Navestock, co. Essex, deceased, the ex'ors renouncing, de bonis non, &c. 17th July, 1661, to Joseph Sheffield, the son." He *m.* Jane, daughter and heir of Reynold Greene, esq. of Navestock, administratrix 1653, and had issue,

I. JOHN, of Navestock, who *m.* Sarah, daughter and co-heir of John Sedgwick, esq. of Runton Holme, in the county of Norfolk, and dying the 3rd December, 1670, æt. thirty-eight, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN SHEFFIELD, esq. of Navestock, aged five in 1664; admitted of the Inner Temple, London, 24th April, 1676; executor of the will of his son, Henry Sheffield, in July, 1719. He died before June, 1734, having, by his will, appointed MATTHEW CASSAN, his residuary legatee, who is alleged to have administered thereto in the administration to the effects of his son Henry, in 1734.

II. JOSEPH, of Cappoly, in the Queen's County, whose daughter and heiress,

ELIZABETH SHEFFIELD, wedded in 1692, according to the records of Ulster King at Arms, STEPHEN CASSAN, esq.

Arms—Quarterly: 1st, arg. three oaks eradicated, two and one ppr. for CASSAN; 2nd, or, a fess between six garbs, gu. for SHEFFIELD; 3rd, arg. two bars, in chief three fleur-de-lys, gu. for ST. LIZ; 4th, az. three bucks tripping, or, for GREENE.

Crest—Issuant from an earl's coronet, ppr. a boar's head and neck erased or, langued gu.

Motto—Juvant arva parentum.

Estates—Queen's County.

Seat—Sheffield, near Maryborough.

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* Of the family of Harrison, of Gobions, Northampton. See Visitations of Northampton and Rutland, 1619. C. 14. fol. 98, &c. Her. Coll.

† This Robert was third son of Davie Woodruffe, sheriff of London, anno 1554, and younger brother of Sir Nicholas Woodroffe, Lord Mayor of that city in 1579. Vincent's Collections for London and Middlesex, No. 119. p. 248. Her. Coll. and Vis. Lond. anno 1634, c. 24, 285.

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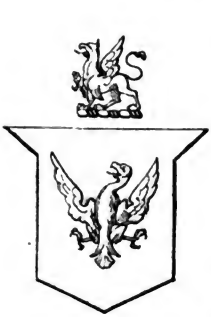
SHULDHAM, OF DUNMANWAY.



SHULDHAM, ARTHUR-LEMUEL, esq. of Dunmanway, in the county of Cork, and of Pallis Green, in the county of Limerick, *b.* in May, 1752, *m.* first in 1788, Catherine-Maria, dau. of the late Sir William Anderson, bart. of Lea Hall, in Lincolnshire, and has had issue,

EDMUND-WILLIAM, lieutenant-colonel Hon. East India Company's service, and late quartermaster-general at Bombay.
John-George-Evelyn, lieutenant R.N. deceased.
Molyneux, lieutenant R.N.
Henry-George, lieutenant R.N. killed at the taking of Surinam.
Arthur, major East India Company's service, Bengal.
Catherine-Maria, *m.* to the Rev. J. Guerin, of Bagborough, in the county of Somerset, and is deceased.
Emily-Anne.

Mr. Shuldham wedded secondly, in 1793, Esther, dau. of — Preston, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1832) he has further issue,

William-Lemuel, a magistrate for the county of Cork.
Caroline, *m.* to Henry Richardson, esq. of Aber Hirnaut, in the county of Merioneth.

This gentleman formerly served as a deputy-lieutenant for the county of Devon, and was also lieutenant-colonel of yeomanry cavalry. He *s.* his father in 1758.

Lineage.

In the reign of HENRY III.

SIR WILLIAM SCHULDHAM, or SHOULDHAM, resided at Shouldham's manor, in the county of Norfolk, an estate, which remained with the family for a period of 500 years, when it passed by marriage to the Stewarts, and is now possessed by Sir George Hare, bart. A descendant of this Norfolk House,

— SCHULDHAM, had three sons, viz.

I. EDMOND, his heir.

II. Samuel, of the barony of Ossory, in Ireland, who wedded Mrs. Kelly, a widow lady, the heiress of Colonel Adam Molyneux, of Ballymulloy, in in the county of Longford, and dying in 1728, left (with another child, Samuel, who died in 1774) a son,

MOLYNEUX SHULDHAM, an admiral in the royal navy, who was elevated to the peerage of Ireland, as BARON SHULDHAM, in July, 1776. His lordship espoused in 1790, the relict of Colonel Harcourt, but died without issue, in 1797.

III. ——, father of Pooly Shuldham, esq. of the county Longford, and other children.

The eldest son,

EDMOND SCHULDHAM, esq. of Ardtully, in the county of Kerry, wedded Miss Mac Carthy, the heiress of Mac Carthy (or Mac Carty) More, stiled, in those days, Prince of Carbery, being one of the eight families, according to Irish law, deemed noble in Munster. By this lady, Mr. Schuldham acquired estates in the counties of Cork and Limerick, and had, (with a daughter Elizabeth, *m.* to Berverley Usher, esq. of Killmeaden, in the county of Waterford) a son and successor,

EDMOND SHULDHAM, esq. of the counties of Cork and Limerick, and of the city of Dublin. This gentleman disposed of the last estate remaining in the family, of the valuable possessions in the North of Ireland, which had been granted to his ancestor for the service he rendered to King WILLIAM III. in his wars in Ireland. Mr. Shuldham *m.* in 1749, Judith, daughter of Arthur

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Usher, esq. of Cappagh, in the county of Waterford, and had issue,

Edmond, who died young.

ARTHUR-LEMUEL, heir to his father.

Thomas, a general officer in the Hon. East India Company's Service, Bengal, who wedded Sophia, daughter of the Right Rev. Dr. Hume, late bishop of Salisbury, and the lady Mary, his wife. General Shuldham is now deceased.

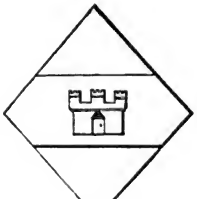
Lucy, *m.* to the Very Rev. Richard Bourne, late dean of Tuam, in Ireland.

Mr. Shuldham died in 1758, and was *s.* by his eldest surviving son, the present ARTHUR LEMUEL SHULDHAM, esq.

Arms—Az. an eagle displayed or.
Crest—A griffin, passant.
Motto—Post nubila Phœbus.
Estates—Near Dunmanway, barony of Carbery, in the county of Cork; and near Pallis Green, in the county of Limerick.

HILL, OF COURT OF HILL.

HILL, LUCY, of Court of Hill, in the county of Salop, *m.* first, 2nd April, 1780, Thomas Humphrey Lowe, esq. of Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, by whom she had surviving issue,



THOMAS-HILL-PEREGRINE-FURTE LOWE, *b.* 21st December, 1781, in holy orders, precentor of Exeter, who *m.* in February, 1808, Ellen-Lucy, eldest daughter of George Pardoe, esq. of Nash Court, in Shropshire, and has issue.

Arthur-Charles Lowe, *b.* 30th August, 1796, a captain in the 16th Lancers.

Louisa-Elizabeth Lowe, *m.* 12th May, 1827, to Thomas Hastings, esq. captain R.N.

Harriet-Lowe, *m.* 11th May, 1807, to Charles Bullock, esq. of Faulkbourn, in Essex, and has issue.

Mrs. Lowe wedded secondly, 20th June, 1803, Thomas Fowler, esq. of Abbey-cwn-hir, in the county of Radnor, by whom (who *d.* 6th June, 1820) she has an only child,

Sarah-Georgiana Fowler, who *m.* 12th June, 1828, the Rev. John Durand Baker, B.A. of Christ's College, Cambridge, son of Thomas Baker, esq. of Ashurst Lodge, in Kent.

Lineage.

The ancient family of "HILL OF COURT OF HILL," has enjoyed many centuries of distinction in the county of Salop.

HUGH HULL, of Hull, in that shire, living in the reign of EDWARD II. espoused Eleanor, daughter and co-heir of Hugh Wlonkeslowe, and had, with a daughter, Agnes, *m.* to Edmund de Burghton, a son and heir,

WILLIAM HULL, of Hull, father of

GRIFFITH HULL, of Hull, who *m. temp.* HENRY IV. Margaret, sister of Griffith Warren, of Ightfield, in Salop, a younger branch of the old Earls of Warren and Surrey, descended from Hamlet Plantagenet, natural son to HENRY II. By this lady he had a son,

HUMPHREY HILL, of Buntingdale, who lived in the reigns of HENRY V. and HENRY VI. He *m.* Agnes, daughter and co-heir of John Bird, and cousin and heiress of David de Malpas, by whom he had issue,

I. WILLIAM, his heir.

II. Ralph, who *m.* the daughter of Thomas Green, of Greene's Norton, and had two sons,

1. WILLIAM, of Bletchley, in Shropshire, ancestor to the HILLS of Bletchley and Soulton. The great-grandson and eventual heir of this WILLIAM,

THOMAS HILL, esq. of Soulton, was sheriff of Shropshire in

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1681. He *m.* a daughter of Richard Corbet, esq. and had a son and two daughters, one of whom, Anne, *m.* in 1724, William Wycherley, nephew to the celebrated dramatist.

2. Humphrey, of Adderley, who *m.* Alice, daughter of — Bulkeley, esq. of Stanlow, and left at his decease, with other issue, a son and heir,

ROWLAND HILL, esq. of Hawkestone, who wedded Mary, daughter of Thomas Dysher, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

ROWLAND HILL, esq. of Hawkestone, who, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of William Joliffe, esq. of Leek, was father of

ROWLAND HILL, esq. of Hawkestone, who suffered severely during the civil wars. He wedded Margaret, daughter of Richard Whittal, of Whitchurch, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

THE RIGHT HON. SIR RICHARD HILL, of Hawkestone, an eminent statesman and diplomatist in the reigns of WILLIAM, *Queen* ANNE, and the first GEORGE. Sir Richard died, unmarried, possessed of a very considerable property, a great portion of which he devised to his nephews, Samuel Barber and Thomas Harewood, who both assumed the surname of Hill, and the latter was father of Noel Hill, first LORD BERWICK. The Hawkestone estate devolved, however, on Sir Richard's nephew and heir-at-law,

SIR ROWLAND HILL, who was created a baronet in 1727. He was great grandfather of the present SIR ROWLAND HILL, bart. of Hawkestone, and grandfather of LORD HILL, of Almarez. (See *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.*)

III. Thomas, who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Thomas Wilbraham, of Woodhey, in Cheshire, and had issue,

William, in holy orders, parson of Stokes.

ROWLAND (Sir),* Lord Mayor of London, in 1549, one of the most opulent and eminent merchants of his time, who died *s. p.* and bequeathed his large acquisitions to his four sisters.

Agnes, *m.* to John Cowper, esq.

Joan, *m.* to Gregory Dorman, esq.

Elizabeth, who wedded John Barker, esq. of Haughmond, in Salop, and had a daughter,

ALICE BARKER, who *m.* Sir Thomas Leigh, and from this alliance lineally descends the present CHANDOS LEIGH, esq. of Stoneleigh, in the county of Warwick.

The eldest son and heir of Humphrey Hill, of Buntingdale,

WILLIAM HILL, esq. of Blore and of Court Hill, wedded Margaret, daughter of Thomas Barker, esq. and had three sons, viz.

THOMAS, his heir.

William, of Buntingdale, who *m.* Alice, daughter and heir of Richard de Bunbury. His grandaughter,

BEATRIX, wedded William Bulkeley, esq. of Wore, in the county of Salop, and from this marriage descends Bulkeley Mackworth, esq. of Buntingdale.

James.

The eldest son,

THOMAS HILL, esq. of Hill and Owre, had (with another child, John, who *m.* Alice, daughter of John Dod, esq. of Cloverley, living in the 15th HENRY VII.) a son and successor,

GEORGE HILL, esq. of Hill, who wedded a daughter of Ralph Lingen, of Ellismere, and was *s.* by his son,

EDWARD HILL, esq. of Hill, who *m.* Miss Joan Collins, and was father of

JOHN HILL, esq. of Hill. This gentleman wedded a lady named Anne, but of what family is not ascertained, and had (with another child, Edmund, who married a daughter of John Cooke, esq. and had issue) a son and heir,

THOMAS HILL, esq. of Hill, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Richard Hyde, esq. and had issue,

HUMPHREY, his successor.

Dorothy.

Mary.

Jane.

Mr. Hill was *s.* at his decease, by his son,

HUMPHREY HILL, esq. of Hill, who is mentioned in an old book or manuscript of

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* For an account of Sir Richard Hill's noble charities—to Drayton School, Shropshire, to Christ Church Hospital, and of his liberality in erecting causeways and bridges, at his own expense—refer to Stow's Survey of London and Baker's Chronicles.

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the chief tenures in the county of Salop, as possessing the manor of Hull, alias Cort Hill, in the 34th ELIZABETH. He espoused Elizabeth, daughter of Humphrey Ludlow,* esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, } who both died without issue.
John, }
LEONARD, eventual heir.
George, *m.* to Elizabeth Larbyn.
Anne, *m.* to Charles Adams, esq. of Cainham.
Mary, *m.* to Gabriel, alias Richard Chambers, of Petton.

The third, but eldest surviving son,

LEONARD HILL, esq. of Hill Court, wedded Katherine, daughter of Fabian Philips, esq. and had issue,

1. Thomas, who *m.* a daughter of — Nesse, esq. of Ullaston, and had a son,
   NESSE, who *m.* a daughter of Robert Moor, esq. of Linley.
2. ANDREW.
3. Fabian.
4. Leonard.
5. Humphrey.
6. Mathew.
7. Richard.
8. Edward.
9. Margaret.
10. Elizabeth.
11. Katherine.
12. Joice.
13. Anne.

The second son,

ANDREW HILL, esq. of the Charter House, London, married Lucy, daughter of — Oldfield, esq. of Somerford, in the county of Chester, and was succeeded by his son,

ANDREW HILL, esq. of Hill Court, who *m.* Anne, daughter of Thomas Powys, esq. of Henley, in the county of Salop, serjeant-at-law, and sister to Sir Littleton Powys,* who was appointed one of the barons of the Exchequer in 1695. By this lady he had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Andrew, }
Richard, } died unmarried.
Lucy, }
Ann, *m.* to the Rev. Mr. Reed, vicar of Tenbury.
Lucy, *m.* to Francis Rocke, esq. of Nuneham, county Worcestershire.
Elizabeth, } died unmarried.
Sarah, }

Mr. Hill was succeeded at his demise by his eldest son,

THOMAS HILL, esq. of Court of Hill, who *m.* Martha, daughter of Edward Hammond, esq. and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.
Anne, *m.* to Thomas Gataker, esq.
Martha, *m.* to her cousin, the Rev. Thomas Rocke, rector of Ludlow.
Elizabeth.

The only son and heir,

THOMAS HILL, esq. of Court of Hill, M.P. for Leominster, wedded Lucy, daughter of Francis Rocke, esq. and dying in 1776, left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.

LUCY, now resident at Court of Hill.
Anna-Maria, *m.* in 1787 to Theophilus Richard Salwey, esq. of the Lodge, in the county of Salop, and *d.* 13th August, 1812, leaving issue (see page 155).

Arms—Erm. on a fesse sa. a castle, triple towered arg.

Estates—Manor and estate of Silvington, in Shropshire, and Herefordshire; and Court of Hill, manor and estate in Shropshire.

Seat—Court of Hill, near Tenbury.

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* This lady was brother's daughter of Lawrence Ludlow, esq. who was buried in Shipton chancel. This Lawrence Ludlow was grandson of Morris Ludlow, a younger son of the very ancient family of Ludlow, of Hodnet, which descended from Sir Lawrence Ludlow, of Ludlow, who founded in 1349, the religious house of St. Mary's, at Ludlow, for Whitefriars.

* From Thomas Powys (Sir Littleton's younger brother) who was nominated SOLICITOR GENERAL, in 1686; ATTORNEY GENERAL the next year, and constituted one of the JUDGES of the QUEEN'S Bench, in 1713, lineally descends the present Thomas-Atherton Powys, Baron Lilford, of Lilford.

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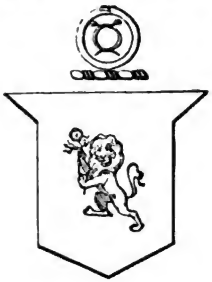
MASTER, OF KNOLE PARK.



MASTER, WILLIAM-CHESTER. esq. of Knole Park, in the county of Gloucester, *b.* 4th January, 1785, *m.* 20th August, 1814, Isabella-Margaret, daughter of the Hon. Stephen Digby, of Richmond Park, by Charlotte, his wife, daughter of Sir Robert Gunning, bart. of Horton, and has issue,

THOMAS-WILLIAM-CHESTER, *b.* 28th May, 1815.
George-Francis, *b.* 25th December, 1816.
Henry-Orlando-Chester, *b.* 7th September, 1818.
Charles-Chester, *b.* 22nd April, 1820.
William-Charles-Chester, *b.* 6th November, 1821
Augustus-Chester, *b.* 4th December, 1823.
Francis-Robert Chester, *b.* 18th May, 1826.
Isabella-Mary-Frances-Charlotte.
Emma-Fanny.

Lieutenant-colonel Master inherited the estates on the demise of his uncle, Thomas Master, esq. in 1823.

Lineage.

In the 1st of EDWARD VI. the site of the Abbey of Cirencester, with lands in fifteen shires to be held *in capite* by the service of one knight's fee, was granted to Thomas, Lord Seymour; but on that nobleman's attainder, reverted to the crown, and was subsequently, 6th ELIZABETH, bestowed on

RICHARD MASTER, esq. of All Souls' College, Oxford, the descendant of an ancient Kentish family, who was installed 14th March, 1562, prebendary of Fridaythorpe, in the church of York, being about that time physician of the chamber to *Queen* ELIZABETH. He wedded Elizabeth, daughter of — Tunelly, esq. of the county of Lincoln, and had a son and successor,

GEORGE MASTER, esq. of The Abbey, Cirencester, who *m.* Bridget, daughter and heiress of John Cornwall, esq. of Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM MASTER, knt. of Cirencester, M.P. for that borough, and high sheriff of the county of Gloucester 3rd of CHARLES I. who espoused Alice, daughter of Edward Estcourt, esq. of Salisbury, and had, with several younger children,

THOMAS, his heir.
William, in holy orders, M.A. in 1652. This learned divine, an eminent theological writer, was author of "Essays and Observations, Theological and Moral," and of "Drops of Myrrhe, or Meditations and Prayers." He *m.* Susannah, eldest daughter of the Rev. Job Yate, rector of Rodmarton.

Sir William, a staunch and devoted royalist, died 3rd March, 1661, in his 62nd year, and was interred at Cirencester church, where a white marble monument, with the following inscription, was erected to his memory:

Quos Deus conjunxit seperat tantum
Non repudiat Mors.
Memoriæ sacrum
Fidissimi serui Dei et Regis subditi
Patriæque amantissimi suæ,
GULIELMI MASTER apud Corinios
Equitis aurati;
Qui martyrem Regem mœrens Martyr
Semi mortuus vixit diu;
Citius Dominum secutus, ni morbo paralytico
Restitisset firma fides
Restituendi Regis insignissimi
Caroli Secundi;
Vtcunq; apud Vigorniam, fusi.
Voti tandem, ac vaticinij compos factus,
Tantique pignoris, Justorum resurrectionis.
Vitam mortalem exuit; immortali Deo
Cœlitum choro gratius acturus,
Anno Dom. 1661 (æt. 61) men. mart. die 3.

Sir William Master was *s.* at his decease by his eldest son,

THOMAS MASTER, esq. of the Abbey, who represented Cirencester in parliament. He wedded Elizabeth, sister of Sir Thomas Dyke, of Sussex, and dying in 1680, was *s.* by his son,

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THOMAS MASTER, esq. of the Abbey, Cirencester, M. P. for that borough. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Driver, esq. of Aston, and was *s.* by his son,

THOMAS MASTER, esq. of the Abbey, Cirencester, who wedded Joan, daughter and heiress of Jasper Chapman, esq. of Stratton, in the county of Gloucester, by whom he acquired that manor, and had a son and heir,

THOMAS MASTER, esq. of the Abbey, Cirencester, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Sir Thomas Cann, bart. and had issue,

THOMAS, his heir.

Richard, who *m.* 18th March, 1784, Isabella-Frances, daughter of Lieut. Col. William Egerton, second son of the Hon. and Right Rev. Dr. Henry Egerton, Bishop of Hereford, and uncle to Francis-Henry, late Earl of Bridgewater. By this lady he had issue,

WILLIAM-CHESTER, heir to his uncle.

Richard-Thomas, of the grenadier guards.

Elizabeth.

Mr. Master died in 1749, and was *s.* by his elder son,

THOMAS MASTER, esq. of the Abbey, who wedded the Hon. Mary Dutton, daughter of the late Lord Sherborne, and had two daughters, viz.

Jane.

Mary-Anna, *m.* in 1801, to Lord John Thynne, M.P. for Bath.

Mr. Master died in 1823, and leaving no male issue, was *s.* by his nephew, the present WILLIAM-CHESTER MASTER, esq. of Knole Park.

Arms—Gu. a lion rampant, guardant, double queud or, holding in his paws a rose arg.

Crest—Within a ring or, gemmed ppr. two snakes entwined, erect on their tails, and endorsed, azure.

Estates—In the county of Gloucester.

Town Residence—16, Berkeley-square.

Seat—Knole Park, near Bristol.

SANDYS, OF ST. MINVER.

SANDYS, WILLIAM-SANDYS, esq. of St. Minver, in the county of Cornwall, *b.* 5th November, 1808, succeeded to the estates on the demise of his father, in 1817.

Lineage.

In the commencement of the 17th century, two brothers named SANDYS, were seated in the parish of St. Keverne, in the county of Cornwall, WILLIAM and ANTHONY; the younger, Anthony, purchasing Lanarth, in 1647, removed thither, and was succeeded by his son, Sampson Sandys, whose only child, Philippa, died unmarried, in 1699. Anthony's elder brother,

WILLIAM SANDYS, esq. of Nambol, in Cornwall, married, and had six sons, of whom WILLIAM, John, Sampson, and James, fought under the royal banner, during the civil wars. The eldest,

WILLIAM SANDYS, esq. of Nambol, espoused Miss Hext, of St. Austell, and dying in 1699, was *s.* by his son,

JOHN SANDYS, esq. who inherited from his cousin, Sampson Sandys, the estate and seat of Lanarth. "In a narrative still preserved by the family," says Mr. Gilbert, in his History of Cornwall, "it appears that this John Sandys, with seven others of his acquaintance, went out on a party of

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pleasure, in an open boat, and were driven by a storm to sea, where after having been beaten about by the waves for four days and three nights, they were driven ashore on the coast of Normandy. In consequence of there being war at that time between England and France they were immediately, on landing, made prisoners; but LOUIS XIV. hearing of the circumstance, which occasioned their captivity, ordered them to be released.

Mr. Sandys espoused in 1687, Miss Mary Pearce, and had three sons, viz.

i. WILLIAM, who died at Lanarth, *s. p.* in 1765.

ii. Sampson, who settled at Helston. He *m.* Philippa, daughter of George Thomas, esq. of St. Keverne, and died in 1764, leaving issue,

1. SAMPSON, of Lanarth, in holy orders, who *m.* Eleanor, daughter of Anthony Hoskin, esq. of Tregowris, and had an only daughter, who espoused *Admiral* James Kempthorne.
2. Hannibal, who *d. s. p.*
3. WILLIAM, who succeeded his brother, at Lanarth. He wedded Miss Mary Johns, and left issue seated at LANARTH.
4. John, commander of the Norfolk East Indiaman, who *d.* in 1774, leaving issue.
5. Anne, *m.* to George Millett, esq.

iii. RICHARD.

The third son,

RICHARD SANDYS, esq. of Helston, espoused in 1732, Miss Anne Lukey, and had issue,

i. WILLIAM, his heir.

ii. Blanch, *b.* in 1733, who *m.* Samuel Warren, esq. and had a son,
JOHN WARREN, heir to his uncle.

iii. Loveday, who *m.* the Rev. Edward Marshall, vicar of Breage, and left issue,
Mary Marshall, *m.* to — Sanford, esq. of Ninehead.
Elizabeth Marshall, *m.* to the Rev Charles Trevanion, Kemp.
Anne Marshall, *m.* to John Warren, esq.

iv. Mary, *m.* first, to Humphrey Millett, esq. and secondly, to George Treweek, esq.

The only son and heir,

THE REV. WILLIAM SANDYS, was for nearly fifty years vicar of St. Minver, in Cornwall. He espoused Maria, daughter of the late Humphry Mackworth Praed, esq. of Trevethowe, but dying *s. p.* in 1816, bequeathed his estates to (the son of his sister Blanch) his nephew,

JOHN WARREN, esq. who assumed on inheriting the surname and arms of SANDYS. He espoused Anne, daughter of the Rev. Edward Marshall, vicar of Breage, and dying in 1817, was succeeded by his son, the present WILLIAM-SANDYS SANDYS, esq. of St. Minver.

Arms—Erminois on a fess dancetée per pale gu. and azure, between three cross crosslets fitchée of the second, as many escallops or.

Crest—A gryphon segreant per fess erminois and azure; between the claws a cross crosslet fitchee as in the arms.

Estate—In the parish of St. Minver, Cornwall.

Seat—St Minver.

HOLBECH, OF FARNBOROUGH.

HOLBECH, WILLIAM, esq. of Farnborough, in the county of Warwick, *b.* 22nd January, 1774, *m.* 16th April, 1805, Lucy, sixth daughter of Oldfield Bowles, esq. of North Aston, in the county of Oxford, and has issue,

HUGH, *b.* 15th August, 1814.
Charles-William, *b.* 30th July, 1816.
Henry, *b.* 23rd March, 1818.
Mary.
Louisa-Anne, *m.* 12th February, 1828, to William Markham, esq. of Becca Hall, in the county of York.
Laura.
Frances.
Jane, } twins.
Emma, }

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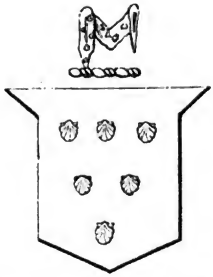
Lineage.



This family was originally of HOLBECH, in the county of Lincoln, whence sprang

SIR LAURENCE HOLBECH, (lineally descended* from Oliver Holbeck, of Holbeck, living about the year 1223,) who was father of

RICHARD HOLBECH, who had two sons, William, slain at Towton, and

THOMAS HOLBECH, of Fillongley, in the county of Warwick, who *d.* in 1528. He was grandfather of

WILLIAM HOLBECH, of Whitehouse, in the same shire, who wedded Elizabeth Petye, and had (with other children) THOMAS, of Fillongley, from whom the Holbechs of that place, and

WILLIAM HOLBECH, who *m.* Dorothy, dau. of — Fetherstone, esq. and had, *inter alios*, a son and heir,

WILLIAM HOLBECH, esq. of Chatterley, in the county of Stafford, who *m.* the daughter of — Rolton, esq. of Meriden, in Warwickshire, and left at his decease, in 1620, two sons, WALTER, of Cole Newton, in Leicestershire, and

AMBROSE HOLBECH, esq. of Mollington. This gentleman *m.* Joan, daughter of Thomas Holloway, esq. of Cropedy, in the county of Oxford, and dying in 1662, aged sixty-six, left surviving issue,

- AMBROSE, his heir.
- Samuel, *m.* Miss Dorothy Blake, of Hampshire.
- Elizabeth, *m.* to Timothy Harris.
- Hester, *m.* to the Rev. John Parkes, rector of Eydon.
- Joyce, *m.* to Thomas Bonner, esq. of Worcestershire.
- Joanna, *m.* to James Nicholson, esq. of Daventree.

The elder son,

AMBROSE HOLBECH, esq. of Mollington and Farnborough, in Warwickshire, purchased in 1678 the manor, impropriate rectory, and advowson of Radston, which were sold under an act of parliament "for better enabling the trustees of Sir Thomas Cave, bart. deceased, to sell lands for the performance of his will." Mr. Holbech *m.* Sarah, daughter of William Harvey, gentleman, of London, by whom (who *d.* 4th May, 1682) he had issue,

- WILLIAM, his successor.
- Ambrose, of Mollington, who *d. s. p.* in 1737.
- Hugh, who *m.* Elizabeth, widow of — Woodhall.
- Sarah, *m.* to Sir Thomas Powys, knt. of Lilford, one of the judges of the court of King's Bench.
- Mary, *m.* to Richard Jennens, esq. of Long Wittenham, Berks.
- Anne, *m.* to Tobiah Harvey, gent.
- Finetta, *d.* unmarried in 1758.

He died 2nd March, 1701, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HOLBECH, esq. of Farnborough, in Warwickshire, and of Radston, in the county of Northampton. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Allington, esq. of London, and by her (who *d.* in 1708-9) he had issue

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. Ambrose, *d.* in the life-time of his father, anno 1712.
3. Charles, *d. s. p.* in 1723.
4. Hugh, of Mollington, *m.* Catherine, daughter of Col. Cornwall, and dying in 1765, left a son,
   - WILLIAM, of Mollington, who became heir to his uncle.
5. Jane, *m.* to John Blencowe, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, in the county of Northampton, chief of that ancient family. The great grandson of this marriage is the present
   - JOHN JACKSON-BLENCOWE, esq. of Marston St. Lawrence, (refer to page 414).
6. Elizabeth, *m.* to George Tost, esq.
7. Sarah, *d.* in 1724.
8. Anne, *m.* in 1725, to Toby Chauncy, esq. of London, and had an only dau. (co-heiress of her father)
   - ANNA-TOBINA CHAUNCY, who *m.* in

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* THOMAS HOLBECH, esq. of Fillongley, representative of this, the senior branch, wedded Elizabeth, heiress of Bernard Paulet, esq. and left an only daughter and heiress,

MARY, who *m.* Edward Leigh, third Lord Leigh, of Stoneleigh, *(See Burke's Extinct Peerage.)*

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1759, Thomas Richard Carter, esq. of the Inner Temple, barrister-at-law, and dying in 1783, left an only son,

THOMAS CARTER, esq. who inherited Edgecote, the ancient patrimony of the Chauncys. This gentleman was M.P. for Tanworth from 1796 to 1802, and for Callington from 1807 to 1810. He *m.* in 1791, Glencairn, dau. of Walter Campbell, esq. of Shawfield.

Mr. Holbech *d.* 7th July, 1717, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WILLIAM HOLBECH, esq. of Farnborough and Radston, who *d.* unmarried in 1771, when the estates devolved upon his nephew,

WILLIAM HOLBECH, esq. of Mollington, who thus became "of Farnborough and Radston." He espoused in 1772, Anne, daughter of William Woodhouse, of Lichfield, M.D. and had issue,

WILLIAM, his successor.

Henry-Hugh, barrister-at-law, *b.* in 1779.

Charles, *b.* in 1782, in holy orders, vicar of Farnborough, and perpetual curate of Radston.

Edward, *b.* in 1785, an officer in the army.

George, lieutenant R.N.

Mary-Anne, *m.* in 1807, to Sir Charles Mordaunt, bart. of Walton D'Evile, in the county of Warwick, by whom she had (with two daughters) the present

SIR JOHN MORDAUNT, bart. who *s.* at the decease of his father, in 1823.

Caroline.

Mr. Holbech, who represented Banbury in parliament from 1792 to 1796, *d.* 6th July, 1812, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present

WILLIAM HOLBECH, esq. of Farnborough.

Arms—Vert, six escallop shells, three, two, and one, argent.

Crest—A maunch vert, charged with escallop shells arg.

Estates—Farnborough, in the county of Warwick, Mollington, in Oxfordshire, Radstone, in Northamptonshire, acquired about 1662.

Seat—Farnborough, near Banbury.

MASSINGBERD, OF ORMSBY.

MASSINGBERD, CHARLES-BURRELL, esq. of Ormsby, in the county of Lincoln, *b.* in December, 1749, *m.* first, in December, 1774, Ann, daughter of William Blackall, esq. of Braziers, in Oxfordshire, by whom he had an only child,

HARRIET, *m.* to Charles Godfrey Mundy, esq. of Burton, in Leicestershire, and has had issue,

CHARLES-JOHN-HENRY MUNDY, *b.* at Ormsby, in June, 1808.

Harriet Mundy, who *d.* at Ormsby, 17th January, 1824.

Sophy Mundy.

Mr. Massingberd wedded secondly, in 1788, Marie-Jeanne, second daughter of Captain Rapigeon, of Versailles, in the kingdom of France. He *s.* to the estates on the demise of his father in 1802.

Lineage.

The earliest authentic record of the family of MASSINGBERD, (written also Massyngberd, and Massingbergh) is in the latter part of the 13th century, when

LAMBERT MASSINGBERD, resided at Sutterton, temp. EDWARD I. He was great grandfather of

THOMAS MASSYNGBERD, living in 1434, who *m.* Juliana, daughter and co-heir of Thomas, son and heir of Gilbert Bernak, who was second son of Sir Hugh Bernak, of Bernak Hall, in the parish of Burgh, in the county of Lincoln, by Maud, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir William

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Woodthorpe, knt. of Woodthorpe. Thomas Massyngberd was father of

ROBERT MASSINGBERD, esq. who wedded Agnes, daughter and sole heiress of Robert Halliday, of Burgh, and died 38th HENRY VI. leaving two sons,

RICHARD.

Thomas, who *m.* Elizabeth, co-heiress of Sir Thomas Hoo, Lord Hoo and Hastings, K.G. by Eleanor, eldest daughter of Leo, Lord Welles, K.G. and sister to Richard, Lord Welles, of Hellow, who was *jure uxoris* Lord Willoughby de Eresby.

The elder son,

RICHARD MASSINGBERD, esq. espoused Maud, daughter of Thomas Kyme, and had with other issue, THOMAS, his heir, and Christopher, successively chancellor of Lincoln, and archdeacon of Stowe, whose tomb is in the south isle of the choir of Lincoln Cathedral. The eldest son,

SIR THOMAS MASSINGBERD, knt. espousing the heiress of Braytoft, removed to Braytoft Hall. Surviving his wife, Sir Thomas became in the reign of HENRY VIII. a knight of St. John, of Jerusalem, and added the second escutcheon to the family arms. He had issue,

AUGUSTIN,* who *m.* Margaret, daughter of Robert Elrington, esq. of Hoxton, in Middlesex, by whom he left at his decease, *v. p.* in 1549, with other issue, a son,

THOMAS, heir to his grandfather.

Oswald (Sir), prior of Kilmainham, and last principal of the illustrious order of St. John, of Jerusalem, at its final suppression by Queen Elizabeth.

Sir Thomas was *s.* at his decease, by his grandson,

THOMAS MASSINGBERD, esq. member in the English Parliament for CALAIS, 6th EDWARD VI. This gentleman *m.* Alice, daughter and sole heir of Richard Bevercoats, esq. a younger branch of the family of Bevercoats, of Bevercoats, and had, with other children, a son and successor,

THOMAS MASSINGBERD, esq. of Braytoft, who wedded Frances, daughter of Sir George Fitz Williams, knt. of Mablethorpe, and dying in 1619, was *s.* by his son, another

THOMAS MASSINGBERD, esq. of Braytoft, who *m.* Frances, daughter of Robert Halton, esq. (by his wife, Joan, daughter of John Draner, alias Drayner, esq. of Hoxton,) by whom he left at his demise in 1636,

I. HENRY (Sir), of Braytoft, who was created a BARONET in 1660. He *m.* for his second wife, Ann, daughter of William Evans, esq. and was *s.* by his son,

SIR WILLIAM MASSINGBERD, second baronet, who *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Wynn, esq. and was father of another

SIR WILLIAM MASSINGBERD, third and last baronet, M.P. for Lincolnshire, who died *s. p.* about 1720, leaving his estates to his sister, the wife of William Mieux, esq. who then assumed the name of Massingberd.

The house at Gunby and a great part of the original property have again passed through a female, Elizabeth Mary Ann Massingberd (sole daughter of Henry, son of Thomas, son of William (Mieux) Massingberd) to Peregrine Langton, esq. second son of Bennet Langton, esq. of Langton, in the county of Lincoln, who, upon his marriage, took the name and arms of MASSINGBERD, and has issue, the Rev. Algernon Langton Massingberd and other children.

II. DRAYNER (Sir), progenitor of the only remaining male branch of the family, the MASSINGBERDS of *Ormsby*.

The younger son,

SIR DRAYNER MASSINGBERD, commanded a body of parliamentary horse in the early part of the civil wars, but afterwards went abroad and received the royal pardon. Sir Drayner, who inherited from the Draners, Henxworth, in Hertfordshire, purchased, during the Commonwealth, of the family of Skipwyth, the lordship of Ormsby, with other extensive estates in the county of Lincoln. He *m.* first, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of Abraham Burrell, esq. of Medloe Highfield, in the county of Huntingdon, which lady dying *s. p.* bequeathed

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* From this gentleman also descended

JOHN MASSINGBERD, esq. who became treasurer to the East India Company, and to whose memory there is a monument in Streatham Church, Surrey. He had two daughters, viz.

ELIZABETH, who wedded George, first Earl Berkeley. The arms of Massingberd are quartered with those of Berkeley, in the first compartment of the window of the great hall at Berkeley Castle.

MARY, who espoused Robert, Lord Willoughby de Eresby, afterwards third Earl of Lindsey, and had an only daughter, the Lady Arabella Bertie, who was second Countess to Thomas Savage, third Earl Rivers. See *Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

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her estate to her husband. Sir Drayner wedded secondly, Anne, second daughter of Henry Mildmay,* esq. of Graces, in the county of Essex, by whom he had, (with another child, Henry, who died unmarried,) a son and successor,

BURRELL MASSINGBERD, esq. of Ormsby, in the county of Lincoln, and of Medloe Highfield, in Huntingdonshire, who served the office of sheriff for the latter shire in 1707. He wedded Philippa, daughter of Francis Mundy, esq. of Markeaton, M.P. for Leicestershire, and left two sons, viz.

WILLIAM-BURRELL, his heir.

Francis-Burrell, who *m.* Maria, daughter of Thomas Fanshawe, esq. of Parsloes, in Essex, and had a son,

The Rev. FRANCIS MASSINGBERD, late rector of Washingborough, in Lincolnshire, who *m.* Eliza, daughter of William-Burrell Massingberd, esq. of Ormsby, and had issue,

FRANCIS-CHARLES, in holy orders, now rector of Ormsby cum Ketsby and Driby, vicar of Calaby, &c.

Elizabeth.

Harriet.

The elder son and heir,

WILLIAM-BURRELL MASSINGBERD, esq. of Ormsby, succeeded his father in 1728. He *m.* Miss Anne Dobson (whose mother was one of the co-heiresses of Christopher Tancred, esq. of Wixley, in Yorkshire), and had issue,

CHARLES-BURRELL, his heir.

William, in holy orders, late rector of Ormsby, who died unmarried 5th May, 1823, aged sixty-four.

Ann, *m.* to William Maxwell, D.D. of Falkland, in Ireland, and died leaving issue,

John Maxwell.

Anne Maxwell, *m.* to the Rev. H. T. Lyte, and has issue.

Philippa, who died in July, 1831, aged eighty-three.

Frances, who died in May, 1832, aged seventy-eight.

Eliza, *m.* to the Rev. Francis Massingberd.

Mr. Massingberd died in 1802, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present CHARLES-BURRELL MASSINGBERD, esq. of Ormsby.

Arms—Quarterly: 1st and 4th, az. three quatrefoils (two and one), and in chief a boar passant, or, charged on the shoulder with a cross patée, gu. the ancient paternal

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* In the descendants of the daughters of this Henry Mildmay, the barony of FITZWALTER is now in abeyance.

In the 7th of HENRY V.

SIR JOHN RADCLIFFE, knt. Governor of Trounsak, in Aquitaine, had a thousand marks per annum allowed to him for the guard thereof. He wedded ELIZABETH FITZWALTER, only daughter and heiress of Walter Fitzwalter, last Baron Fitzwalter of that family. Sir John's great grandson,

SIR HENRY RADCLIFFE, K.B. Lord Fitzwalter and Earl of Sussex, espoused, first, the Lady Elizabeth Howard, daughter of Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, and had issue,

I. THOMAS, third Earl of Sussex, who died *s. p.* in 1583.

II. HENRY, fourth Earl of Sussex, whose only child,

ROBERT, fifth Earl of Sussex, dying without surviving issue, in 1629, the EARLDOM devolved on his cousin, Sir Edward Radcliffe, but expired with that nobleman, while the BARONY, by summons, OF FITZWALTER passed to his (the fifth earl's) aunt, the Lady FRANCES MILDMAY.

III. Francis, *d. s. p.*

His lordship *m.* secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir Philip Calthorpe, knt. and had one son and a daughter, viz.

IV. Egremond, who was attainted and forced to fly the kingdom.

V. FRANCES, who wedded Sir Thomas Mildmay, knt. of Mulsho, in Essex, and had issue,

Sir Thomas Mildmay, bart. who *d. s. p.*

SIR HENRY MILDMAY, knt. who claimed in 1640, by petition to the Long Parliament, in right of his mother, the BARONY OF FITZWALTER, but owing to the civil wars nothing was done at that time therein. Sir Henry *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of John Darcy, esq. of Tollshurst Darcy, and left three sons, viz.

1. ROBERT, who *m.* Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Edmonds, knt. and had issue,

HENRY, *d. s. p.*

BENJAMIN, who was allowed the barony of FITZWALTER in 1669. His son, however, dying without issue in 1753, this ancient dignity fell into *abeyance*, between the representatives of his lordship's aunt Mary.

Mary, who *m.* Henry Mildmay, esq. of the Graces, and had several daughters, among whose representatives the barony of Fitzwalter is now in abeyance. The second daughter, Anne, wedded, as in the text, SIR DRAYNER MASSINGBERD.

2. Henry, *d. s. p.*

3. Charles, whose only child, Mary, *m.* Sir Charles Tyrrell, bart.

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arms. 2nd and 3rd, quarterly, or and arg. on a cross humettée gu. between four lions rampant sa. two escallops of the 1st; the coat acquired by Sir Thomas Massingberd, knight of St. John of Jerusalem.

Crests—1st. A dragon's head erased, quarterly, or and gu. between two wings az. 2nd. A lion's head erased, charged with two broad arrows, in saltier, arg. barbed or, between four gouttes d'eau.

Motto—Est meruisse satis.

Estates—Lordships and estates of Ormsby, Calaby, Driby, and Sutterby; lordships of Ingoldmells and Addlethorpe, with lands in Ingoldmells, Skegness, and Swaby, all in the county of Lincoln: in great part purchased of the family of Skipwyth by Sir Drayner Massingberd, during the PROTECTORATE, and remaining still in possession of the present Mr. Massingberd, with the perpetual advowson of the united rectory of South Ormsby with Ketsby and Driby, and vicarage of Calaby.

Seat—South Ormsby Hall, in the county of Lincoln.

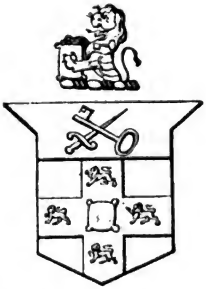
YORK, OF WIGHILL PARK.

YORK, RICHARD, esq. of Wighill Park, in the county of York, *b.* in June, 1778, *m.* 20th April, 1801, Lady Mary-Anne Lascelles, youngest daughter of Edward, first Earl of Harewood, and has one son,

EDWARD, *b.* at Harewood House, 6th January, 1802, a deputy-lieutenant for the West Riding of the county of York, and a captain in the hussar yeomanry of that riding.

This gentleman, who is deputy-lieutenant for the West Riding of Yorkshire, and lieutenant-colonel of the Hussar Yeomanry, served the office of high-sheriff for that county in 1832. He succeeded his father in August, 1817.

Lineage.



WHITTELL YORK, esq. an eminent merchant in Leeds, espoused Mary, relict of W. Peart, esq. of Grassington, by whom he had issue,

RICHARD, his heir.

Mary, who *m.* in November, 1807, the Rev. Anthony L. Marsden, of Gargrave, in the county of York, and has issue,

Charles-John Marsden.
Thomas-Lister Marsden.
Mary Marsden.

He died in August, 1817, and was succeeded by his son, the present RICHARD YORK, esq. of Wighill Park.

Arms—Ermine, on a cross az. a woolpack arg. between four lions passant erminois: on a chief gu. a sword ppr. pomel and hilt or, surmounted of a key in saltier gold.

Crest—A demi-lion per fess wavy, the upper part gu. the lower barry wavy of four erminois and az. supporting a woolpack erect ppr. on the breast a gold key barways.

Estates—West Riding of Yorkshire.

Seat—Wighill Park, near Tadcaster.

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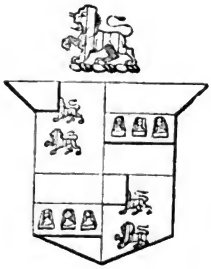
SWAINSTON-STRANGWAYES, OF ALNE.

STRANGWAYES-SWAINSTON, EDWARD. esq. of Alne, in Yorkshire, *b.* 27th October, 1782, *m.* in 1804, Eliza, daughter of John Hanning, esq. of White Lackington and Dillington, in the county of Somerset, and has had issue,



EDWARD.
Matilda-Elizabeth, who *d.* unmarried.
Frances-Sophia.
Harriet-Amelia.
Anna-Maria-Louisa.
Isabella-Caroline.

This gentleman, whose patronymic is SWAINSTON, assumed, on inheriting the estates of the family of Strangwayes, *that* surname in 1804. Mr. Swainston-Strangwayes was formerly a lieutenant in the 1st regiment of dragoons, and subsequently major in the 4th North Yorkshire Local Militia. He is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the North Riding of that shire.

Lineage.

JOHN STRANGWAYES, esq.* of Well, in the county of York, representative of that ancient house, (see page 137) wedded Grafiana, daughter of Thomas Preston, esq. of Holtby Magna, by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter and heiress of D'Arcy Conyers, esq. of the same place, and had issue,

JOHN, his heir.

RICHARD, of Well, grandfather of the present RICHARD-PURCHAS STRANGWAYES, esq. of that place (see p. 135.)

Thomas, of Barham Wood, in the county of Hertford, whose daughter, LOUISA, co-heir in right of her mother, to the barony of Berners, wedded her relative, Richard Strangwayes, esq. of Well.

Elizabeth, who died unmarried.

Dorothy, *m.* to J. Palmer, esq. of Bedford Row, London.

Mr. Strangwayes died 11th October, 1749, and was buried at Well. His eldest son,

JOHN STRANGWAYES, esq. of Alne, in the county of York, *b.* 13th March, 1708, espoused Frances, daughter and ultimately heiress of Henry Baynes, esq. of Bootham, by whom (who *d.* in 1777) he had issue,

Henry, who died unmarried, in 1789.

Mary, who *d.* young, in 1750.

FRANCES, heiress to her brother.

Mr. Strangwayes' only surviving child and eventual heiress,

FRANCES STRANGWAYES, of Alne, *m.* Allen Swainston, M.D. of the city of York, and had issue,

John, who died unmarried, in 1796.

EDWARD, heir.

Frances-Margaret, who *d.* in 1795, unm.

Mary-Elizabeth, *m.* to Christopher Nevile, captain R.N. second son of George Nevile, esq. of Thorney, in the county of Nottingham.

Matilda-Dorothea, *d.* unm. in 1795.

Harriet-Rachell, married to George Treacher, esq. lieutenant in the 2nd Life Guards, only son of the Rev. Thomas Treacher, of Audley, and rector of Begbrook, in Oxfordshire.

Mrs. Swainston died in 1799, and was *s.* by her eldest son, who assumed on attaining majority, the additional surname and arms of STRANGWAYES, and is the present EDWARD SWAINSTON-STRANGWAYES, esq. of Alne.

* This gentleman's lineal ancestor, SIR JAMES STRANGWAYES, of Harlesey Castle, wedded for his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Philip, Lord D'Arcy, and thus a moiety of that barony has become vested in the descendant of this alliance, the present Edward Swainston Strangwayes, esq. of Alne.

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Arms—Quarterly; First and fourth, sa. two lions passant paly of six arg. and gu. in the dexter chief a canton of the second, for STRANGWAYES. Second and third, az. a fess or, charged with three maidenheads, veiled, ppr. for SWAINSTON.

Crest—A lion as in the arms. A second crest, out of a ducal coronet or, a boar's head sa, between two wings azure, billety or, is also sometimes borne.

Motto—Ystoyeau et ne doubtero.

Estates—In Yorkshire and Somersetshire.

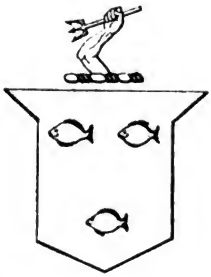
Seat—Alne, near Easingwold.

TURBUTT, OF ARNOLD GROVE.

TURBUTT, WILLIAM, esq. of Arnold Grove, in the county of Nottingham, barrister-at-law, *b.* 4th May, 1768, *m.* 22nd June, 1814, Ann, daughter of General Gladwin, of Stubbing, in Derbyshire, and has issue,

1. GLADWIN. 2. Ann. 3. Lucy.
4. Helen. 5. Maria.

Lineage.



This family is of great antiquity in the county of York.

WILLIAM TURBUTT, esq. of Mount St. John, near Thirsk, *d.* 13th April, 1673, and lies buried in Felix Kirk Church, where the following inscription is engraven to his memory:—

"Hic jacet Gulielmus Turbutt generosus antiquâ et perillustris prosapiâ quem Natura ut exquisitissima corporis structura, ita eximissimus Animi dotibus optima ditaverat judicia decimo tertio die Aprilis, anno Domini 1673, ætatis suæ 26, in manus salvatoris sui Jesu Christi alacritate Spiritum deposuit Charissima uxore sua Anna duos Filios primogenitum Gulielmum et Ricardum reliquit.

Attigit ipse acmen, cælosque ascendit in altos:
Noluit in Terris Mors superesse diu.

Mr. Turbutt was *s.* at his demise by his elder son,

WILLIAM TURBUTT, esq. of Mount St. John, *b.* in 1668, who served the office of high-sheriff for Yorkshire in 1710. He wedded the only daughter and heiress of — Driffield, of Easingwold, and had issue,

1. RICHARD, his heir.
2. Frances, *b.* in 1692, *m.* to — Dawson, esq. and buried at Felix Kirk, in 1720.
3. Ursula.
4. ———, *m.* to .....
5. Dorothy.
6. Margaret.
7. Esther.

William Turbutt, of Mount St. John, *d.* in 1727. His only son,

RICHARD TURBUTT, esq. of Doncaster, was baptized at Felix Kirk in 1689. This gentleman wedded first, Mary-Anne, daughter and co-heir of John Revell, esq. of Oyston, and had issue,

John, who died before his father's second marriage.

Richard, *d.* in infancy, in 1725.

He *m.* secondly, Frances, daughter and heiress of — Babington, esq. by whom (who *d.* in 1741, aged thirty-nine) he had issue,

WILLIAM.

Frances, *m.* to John Woodyeare, esq. of Crookhill Hall.

Mary-Anne, *d.* young, in 1746.

Eleanor, *b.* in 1741, who *m.* General James Sowerby, of Doncaster.

The only surviving son,

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WILLIAM TURBUTT, esq. of Ogston Hall, in the county of Derby, *b.* in 1738, espoused Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Benjamin Burrow, rector of Morton, and had issue,

WILLIAM, his heir.

Richard-Burrow, in holy orders, rector of Morton, in Derbyshire, *b.* in 1770, who *m.* Miss Sharpe, and has issue, RICHARD, in holy orders, and Francis-Eleanora.

Frances.

Mary-Elizabeth, married John-Robert Sharpe, esq. of Doe Hill, Derbyshire.

Eleanora.

Emilia.

Mr. Turbutt *d.* 23rd of August, 1817, and was *s.* by his elder son, the present WILLIAM TURBUTT, esq. of Arnold Grove.

Arms—Three turbots.

Crest—A naked dexter arm holding a trident.

Estate—Ogston Hall, in Derbyshire.

Seat—Arnold Grove, Notts.

BLAYDES, OF HIGH PAULL.

BLAYDES, HUGH-MARVEL, esq. of High Paull, in the county of York, and of Ranby Hall, Notts. *b.* at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 22nd October, 1806, baptized on the 3rd December following, at St. John's Church, in the same place, *s.* his father on the 15th February, 1829.

Lineage.

This family, originally Danish, was settled in the county of Durham in the eleventh, twelfth, and thirteenth centuries. Hutchinson, in his History, states that they had assumed the local name of Burse-blades, or Purse-blades, from residing at Burs-blades, in the parish of Lanchester, near Durham, as appears by Bolden Book, and that they had enjoyed considerable possessions there under the Bishop of Durham. The first mentioned in Bolden Book is

RADULPHI, Counti de Bursebred, or Bursebleyd, whose son,

PHILIP DE BURESBLADES, was grandfather of

JOHN DE BURESBLADES, one of whose sons,

WILLIAM DE BURSBLADES, *b.* about 1550, having married Margaret Appleyard, daughter and heiress of — Appleyard, of Heslington, in Yorkshire, lord mayor of York,* acquired the manors Sutton, cum Bransholme, Sudcoates, Merflete, and Dripoole, in Holdernesse, and of part of the manor of Sculcoates, all in the county of York, became domiciled in that shire. This William is designated in old deeds "Gulielmus Blaides," and sometimes "Gulielmus Bleyds de Sutton." By the heiress of Appleyard (who espoused, secondly, 12th February, 1592, William Barber, esq.) he left at his decease, 3rd March, 1591, (he was buried in the family vault in the church at Scowscotes) a son and successor,

JOSEPH BLAIDES, of Sutton, in the county of York, *b.* 15th July, 1588, a justice of the peace, and mayor of Kingston upon Hull, anno 1636. This gentleman *m.* Anne Booth, by whom he had a daughter, Lydia, the wife of George Anson, esq. ancestor of the circumnavigator, afterwards Lord Anson, and a son, his successor,

JAMES BLAIDES or BLAYDES, of Sutton, *b.* about the year 1625, a justice of the peace, *m.* Anne, daughter of the Rev. Andrew Marvel, (born at, and of Mildred, in the county of Cambridge, vicar of the Holy Trinity, Kingston upon Hull), and sister of

* Of the ancient family of Appleyards, knights of Burstwicke Garth, in the same county.

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the celebrated patriot ANDREW MARVEL.* He was *s.* at his decease by his son,

JOSEPH BLAYDES, esq. baptized 28th September, 1671; *m.* Jane Mould, whose family likewise possessed estates in Sutton. Their second son,

HUGH BLAYDES, esq. lord of the manors of Sutton, cum Stoneferry, and part of Sculcoates, in the county of York, *b.* in 1685, espoused, 28th April, 1728, Elizabeth, daughter of Peter de la Pryme, esq. of Crowtrees Hall, in the parish of Hatfield and same shire, by Frances, daughter of Francis Wood, esq. of Hatfield-Levels, ancestor of Sir Francis Lindley Wood, bart. By this lady (who died 21st August, 1772, aged 67, and was buried in the vault at Sculcoates) he had issue, of whom, his successor, BENJAMIN, alone married. This Hugh Blaydes was so staunch a loyalist that in the rebellion of 1745 he raised and supported a company of volunteers amongst his own tenants and dependants. He died 9th April, 1759, aged 74, and was *s.* by his son,

BENJAMIN BLAYDES, esq. of Melton and High Paull, in the county of York, *b.* 5th March, 1735; baptized 31st March, 1736. This gentleman was lord of the manors of Sutton cum Stoneferry, and Paghill, alias Paull and Thorngumbeld, all in Holderness, and of part of the manor of Sculcoates. He was likewise in the commission of the peace. He *m.* on the 13th May, 1775, at Marylebone church, Middlesex, Kitty, second daughter and co-heiress of Christopher Scott, esq. of Aldborough, in Holderness, justice of the peace for the county of York, (by Anne, daughter of Samuel Clark, esq. of Askam Bryan, in the same shire), and dying 29th October, 1805, was *s.* by his son,

HUGH BLAYDES, esq. of High Paull, in Yorkshire, and of Ranby Hall, in the county of Nottingham. This gentleman was born at Melton, 9th August, 1777; he *m.* 19th March, 1800, at Ripon Minster, Delia-Maria, second daughter of Colonel Richard Wood, of Hollin Hall, in the county of York, (by Delia, daughter of — Schaak, esq. of Askam Brym), and had issue.

HUGH MARVEL, his heir.
Charles-Benjamin, *b.* at Ranby Hall, 9th April, 1812.
Frederick-Henry, *b.* at Hampton Court Green, Middlesex, 29th September, 1818.
Delia-Katharine.
Louisa-Anne.
Harriet-Elizabeth.
Henrietta-Christiana.
Emmeline-Sophia.

This gentleman was for some years major of the 3rd Batallion of West Riding Militia. He was a justice of the peace, and served the office of sheriff for the county of Nottingham, in the year 1812, during the commotions of the Luddites. He died 15th February, 1829, and was buried in the vault of St. George's Church, Hanover Square. He was *s.* by his eldest son, the present HUGH-MARVEL BLAYDES, esq. of High Paull.

Arms—Az. a saltire arg. between three pheons ppr. on a chief or, a lion passant.

Crest—A talbot head erased and erect sa.

Motto—Pro Deo, Rege, et Patria.

Estates—In Yorkshire and Notts.

Seats—High Paull, Yorkshire; Ranby Hall, Notts.

* "MARVEL," says a writer in the Gentleman's Magazine, "was an honest republican: he adhered to the principles under which he had entered upon public life, and with stern pride of heart, and probably ardent hopes of a restoration of the commonwealth, he retained an uncompromising attachment to his cherished theories of government. In addition he was a wit and a satirist; a spirit that prided itself in exemption from the prevalent corruption and popular follies, because these follies and that corruption formed the butts against which it was his delight to exercise the keen shafts of his wit, his irony, and his ridicule." Andrew Marvell was born in 1620 at Hull, and educated at Trinity College, Cambridge. He subsequently travelled to Rome, where he first associated with Milton, who thus describes his accomplishments in a letter to "the honourable the Lord Bradshawe," dated Feb. 1652-3. "He hath spent four years abroad in Holland, France, Italy, and Spain, to very great purpose as I believe and the gaineing of those four languages; besides, he is a scholler, and well read in the Latin and Greek authors; and no doubt of an approved conversation, for he comes now lately out of the house of the Lord Fairfax, who was generall, where he was entrusted to give some instructions in the languages to the lady his daughter." In 1657 Marvel was appointed assistant Latin secretary to the PROTECTOR, Milton being his superior in that office; and in 1658 or 1659 he was first elected to parliament as one of the burgesses for his native town, which he continued to represent for nearly twenty years, until his death in 1678. His attendance in parliament was unusually assiduous; and he maintained a correspondence with his constituents almost every post, which is said to be the last instance of that valuable relation between representatives and electors. It has also been said that he was the last representative who received wages from his constituents. For interesting particulars of this unbending senator refer to "DOVE's Life of MARVEL."

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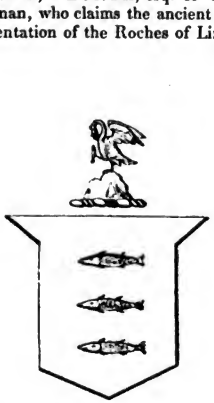
ROCHE, OF LIMERICK.

ROCHE, GEORGE, esq. of Granagh Castle, in the county of Kilkenny. This gentleman, who claims the ancient Irish peerage of FERMOY, inherited the estates and representation of the Roches of Limerick, at the decease of his brother, in 1825.

Lineage.



The family of ROCHE OF LIMERICK, has branched from *that* of Castletown-Roche, in the county of Cork.

JOHN ROCHE, of Castletown-Roche,* descended from the Viscounts Fermoy, was a member of the Catholic Parliament or Council held at Kilkenny during the civil wars, and his name appears as such to the declaration of the Irish Roman Catholics in 1641. His eldest son,

ROBERT ROCHE, espoused Juliana O' Moore, daughter of Alexander O'Moore, of Ballina, in the county of Kildare,† and was *s.* by his eldest son,

STEPHEN ROCHE, known by the designation of *Dov*, or *Black*, from his complexion, whose estate, already injured by composition in the time of CROMWELL, was entirely forfeited under WILLIAM III. Compelled in consequence to leave the county of Cork, he retired to Kilrush, in Clare, and afterwards took up his abode at Pallas, in the county of Limerick, in the vicinity of his brother-in-law, William Apjohn, esq. He *m.* Anastasia, elder daughter and co-heir of Thomas Lysaght, esq.‡ (the other co-heir, Catherine, was the wife of Mr. Apjohn) and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN ROCHE, esq. *b.* in 1688, who wedded Anne, youngest daughter of Philip Stacpole, esq.§ of Mountcashell (the fee of which estate is now in Thomas Roche, esq.) Kilneen, and Kilcoman, in the county of Clare, (by his wife, Christian, daughter of John Creagh, of Ballyvolane, in the same shire, colonel in the Irish army, anno 1642), and had, with other issue,

I. STEPHEN, his heir.

II. John, who *m.* Miss Harold, cousin of General Harold, of the Saxon service, and had a daughter,

Mary-Anne, who wedded John Meade, esq. of Limerick, and was mother of Captain Roche Meade, of the 21st regiment, deputy-adjutant-general.

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* For the ROCHE FAMILY generally, *see* NICHOL'S *Rudiments of Honor*, 8vo. 1726, article FERMOY, where its descent from the sovereign houses of Europe is deduced.

† Of a very ancient family, and allied by intermarriage with that of the Earls of Kildare. Alexander O'Moore was next brother to the celebrated RORY OF ROGER O'MOORE, who, according to Hume, was one of the chief promoters of the rebellion of 1641, but acquitted by the same historian of any participation in the massacre of that year. His birth, influence, and talents are placed in a very conspicuous light by Doctor Lingard; see also HUME, and *Warner's History of the Irish Rebellion*, (4to. 1767) page 25, where it is stated that the popular adjuration at the time was—"God—Our Lady and Roger O'Moore help us!"

‡ This gentleman in his passage to England, on his route to the University of Oxford, during the short war of 1665, was captured by a French privateer, and carried into France, where he became a convert to the Roman Catholic religion. Incurring thus the displeasure of his father, he was disinherited, and the estate of the family left by that gentleman to a younger son, the grandfather of the first Lord Lisle (of Ireland).

§ Philip Stacpole was son of James Stacpole and Christian, daughter of Denis M'Mahon, of Clonagh, one of the most ancient families of Clare. Three of Philip Stacpole's brothers fell at the battle of Aughrim, fighting under the banner of their legitimate sovereign, JAMES II. He died himself in 1714, aged seventy years, after serving as high sheriff for the county of Clare, being the last Roman Catholic, prior to the penal laws, who filled that office. The present Earl of Limerick enjoys some of the estates of this family, acquired by the marriage of his ancestor with a co-heiress of the Stacpoles.

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iii. Philip, *m.* Margaret, daughter of John Kelly, esq. of Limerick, and had issue,

1. John, who *m.* Miss Whyte, dau. of Charles Whyte, esq. of Leixlip, and had a son,

PHILIP, *m.* to the Hon. Anna-Maria Plunket, daughter of Randall, thirteenth Lord Dunsany, and by her (who wedded, secondly, Captain Ryder Burton, R.N.) had one son, John, and two daughters; the younger of whom, Anna-Maria, *m.* in 1830, Thomas, present Lord Louth.

2. Charles, who *m.* his cousin, Miss Whyte, and has issue.
3. Ellen, *m.* to Peter Daly, esq. of Cloncagh, in the county of Galway.
4. Mary, *m.* to George Ryan, esq. of Inch, in the county of Tipperary.
5. Margaret, *m.* to Standish Barry, esq. of Lemlara, in the county of Cork, and is mother of Garret Standish Barry, esq. now M.P. for that shire.

iv. Jane, *m.* to John Sheehy, esq. of Cork, and had a daughter, *m.* to Bryan Keating, esq. by whom she was mother of General Keating.

v. Christiana, *m.* to James Lombard, esq. of the county of Cork, and had several daughters; of whom the youngest *m.* Daniel O'Connell, esq. of Ivragh, in the county of Kerry, and was mother of Charles O'Connell, esq. now M.P. for that shire. The eldest *m.* Daniel Cronin, esq. of the Park, in the county of Kerry.

The eldest son,

STEPHEN ROCHE, esq. *b.* 5th December, 1724, succeeded his father in 1760. He *m.* first, Margaret, daughter of Richard Meade, esq.* and had issue,

i. JOHN, his successor.

ii. Richard, in holy orders, who *d.* in 1805.

iii. GEORGE, successor to his brother, John.

iv. Anne, *m.* to Peter Long, esq. of Waterford, and had, with other children, a daughter,

Margaret Long, who wedded first, James O'Brien, esq. of Limerick, and secondly, Cornelius O'Brien, esq. M.P. for Clare; by the former of whom she had three sons,

1. John O'Brien, esq. of Elmville, in the county of Clare, who espoused Ellen, daughter of Jeremiah Murphy, esq. of Hyde Park, in Corkshire, and niece of the Right Rev. Doctor Murphy.
2. Peter O'Brien, esq. of Limerick, who *m.* Miss Shiel, sister of Richard L. Shiel, esq. M.P. for the county of Tipperary.
3. James O'Brien, esq. barrister-at-law.

v. Mary, *m.* to Peter Grehan, esq. of Dublin, and had issue,

1. THADY GREHAN, married and has issue.
2. Stephen Grehan, who *m.* Miss Ryan, of Inch, and has issue.
3. Margaret, (widow of John Joyce, esq.) a nun at Galway.
4. Anne Grehan, *m.* to Thomas Segrave, esq. of the family of Cabra, and had, with other issue, two daughters,

Mary Segrave, *m.* to Nicholas Whyte, esq. late high sheriff of Downshire.

Anne-Frances Segrave, *m.* in 1826, to the Hon. William Browne, brother of the Earl of Kenmare.

5. Mary Grehan, *m.* to Hubert Dolphin, esq. of the county of Galway, and has issue.
6. Helen Grehan, *m.* to Alexander Sherlock, esq. of Killespie, in the county of Waterford, and has issue.
7. Lucy Grehan, *m.* to Christopher Gallwey, esq. of Killarney, and has issue.

Stephen Roche espoused secondly, Sarah, daughter and co-heiress of John O'Bryen, esq.* of Moyvanine and Clounties, both in the county of Limerick, chief of the O'Bryens, of Arran, lineal descendants of BRIEN BORROIMHE, and had issue,

i. STEPHEN, of Killarney, now in possession of the ancient estates of

* Of the same stock as the noble house of Clanwilliam. This Margaret was great-grand-niece of General Purcell, who was executed by order of Ireton, after the capitulation of Limerick in 1651.

* GENERAL VALLANCEY, in his Collectanea, vol. i. page 569, makes specific mention of this John O'Bryen, whom he describes as the representative of the princely branch of the O'Bryens, of Arran, and gives a transcript of a certificate from the mayor and bailiffs of the town of Galway, attesting the loyalty of Morrogh O'Bryen, (the sixth progenitor of the said John) chief of the Mc. Tiges, of Arran, temporal lords of the isles of Arran, *time out of man's memory*, (the original of

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Moyvanine and Clounties, *m.* Maria, daughter of John Moylan, esq. of Cork, and has issue,

STEPHEN, *m.* Eleanor, eldest daughter and co-heiress of the late Thomas Reddington, esq. of Rye Hill, in the county of Galway.

John.

Mary, a nun.

Sarah, *m.* to John Howley, esq. assistant barrister for the King's County.

Anne, } unmarried.
Helena, }

Harriet, *m.* to Daniel Cronin, esq. late high sheriff for Kerry.

II. Thomas, of Limerick, *m.* Hellen, daughter of John Ankettle, esq. and has issue,

Stephen, who *m.* Catherine, dau. and co-heiress of — Knight, esq. by Miss Lacy, his wife, cousin of the celebrated Marshal Count Lacy, the favourite and friend of the Emperor JOSEPH II. who died in his arms (1792).

John, unmarried.

William, a solicitor in Dublin, *m.* Eliza, another daughter and co-heir of — Knight, esq.

Helen, *m.* to D. R. Kane, esq. barrister-at-law, commissioner of bankruptcy, in Ireland.

Sarah, unmarried.

III. James, of Cork, *m.* Anne, daughter of John Moylan, esq. (sister of his brother's wife, both nearly allied to the late Right Rev. Doctor Moylan, of Cork) by whom (now deceased) he has two daughters, Marianne and Sarah.

IV. WILLIAM, M.P. for his native city of Limerick, and its first catholic representative, since the repeal of the penal laws. Mr. Roche was an eminent banker, and his free and entirely unsought for election is the strongest attestation of homage that his fellow citizens could have paid to public virtue, and private worth. He resides in Limerick, and his gardens there, unique in design and construction, have long attracted the attention of travellers. (See FITZGERALD'S History of Limerick.)

V. Sarah, *m.* to Francis French, esq of Portcarran, in the county of Galway, who *d. s. p.*

VI. Hellen, *m.* to the late Denis O Meagher, esq. of Kilmoyler, in the county of Tipperary, and left at her decease,

STEPHEN O'MEAGHER, esq. the present chief of that ancient family.

William O'Meagher, student-at-law.

Sarah O'Meagher.

Maria O'Meagher.

VII. Anastasia, relict of Edward O'Meagher, esq. of Marl Hill, in the county of Tipperary.

Stephen Roche (his second wife having died on the 8th November, 1786,) married thirdly, Mary-Anne, daughter and co-heir of Richard Ankettle, M.D.* by his wife, Mary Bourchier, of the family of the Bourchiers, Lords Berners; but by this lady, who died in December, 1821, he had no children. He *d.* 12th February, 1804, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

JOHN ROCHE, esq. one of the most eminent merchants in Dublin, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Thady Grehan, esq. of that city, but dying without issue in September, 1825, was *s.* by his brother, the present GEORGE ROCHE, esq. of Granagh Castle, in the county of Kilkenny, now the CHIEF of his house.

Arms—Gules, three roaches naiant in pale.

Crest—A rock ppr. thereon a fish eagle with its wings displayed, arg. membered, or. In the claw a roach.

Motto—Mon Dieu est ma roche.

Estates—In the counties of Kilkenny, Limerick, and Clare.

Seat—Granagh Castle, Kilkennyshire.

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this document is in the possession of James Roche, esq. of Cork; special allusion is made to it in O'Brien's Irish Dictionary, and likewise in Ferrar's History of Limerick, where the family of Roche is also referred to. The certificate bears date, 30th March, 1588, and is addressed to *Queen* ELIZABETH. Lady Morgan founds her story of 'The O'BRIENS and the O'FLAHERTYS," on some circumstances recited in this document relative to the dissensions of these powerful septs.

* In the year 1724, this Doctor Ankettle was a student of medicine at Paris, when John Fitzgibbon, father of the Lord Chancellor Fitzgibbon, Earl of Clare, visited that capital to pursue a course, not of divinity, as Sir Jonah Barrington states, but of medicine. Young Fitzgibbon immediately sought his townsman, who was allowed a day to show Paris to his friend, and both traversed the city accordingly in all directions. At length they stopped at a late hour to visit the cathedral of NOTRE DAME, in the immediate vicinity of their college; and exhausted with fatigue, fell so soundly asleep on the benches of the choir, as to escape the sexton's closing the church at night. It was past midnight when the youths awoke, and finding themselves thus immured, touched in their groping about the bell-rope, and soon made the great chimes resound to the no small amazement of the worthy sexton, and alarm of the good city of Paris. They were, of course, quietly liberated. John Fitzgibbon subsequently relinquished his medical studies, and was called to the Irish bar in 1732, when he successfully laid the foundation of his prosperous house.

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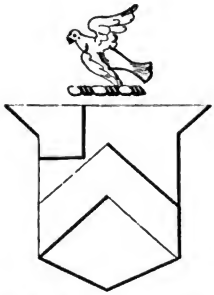
SHAWE, OF KESGRAVE HALL.

SHAWE, ROBERT-NEWTON, esq. of Kesgrave Hall, in the county of Suffolk, *b.* 26th October, 1784, *m.* 31st October, 1811, Frances-Anne, daughter of Thomas Jones, esq. of Stapleton, in Gloucestershire. Mr. Shawe is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Suffolk, and one of the representatives of its eastern division in parliament. He is likewise (jointly with John Moseley, esq. of Glemham) chairman of the Woodbridge quarter sessions.

Lineage.



JOSEPH SHAWE, esq. of Liverpool, merchant, espoused Dorothy, eldest daughter and co-heir of John Wingfield,* esq. of Hasleborough Hall, in the county of Derby, and was *s.* by his son,

WILLIAM SHAWE, esq. of Preston, in the county of Lancaster. This gentleman married Anne, elder daughter of Foster Cunliffe, esq. who died in 1758, and sister of Sir Ellis Cunliffe, the first baronet of that family, twice M.P. for Liverpool. By this lady Mr. Shawe had a son and successor,

WILLIAM-CUNLIFFE SHAWE, esq. of Singleton Lodge, in the county of Lancaster, and of Southgate House, Middlesex, born in 1744, who was returned to two successive parliaments by the borough of Preston. He wedded, first, Dorothy, daughter of Richard Whitehead, esq. of Preston, and had with a daughter, Elizabeth-Anne, who died in infancy, one son, ROBERT-NEWTON, his heir. Mr. Shawe *m.* secondly, Philippa, daughter of Charles Pole, esq. of Southgate, in the county of Middlesex, a branch of the ancient family of the same name seated at Radburn, in the county of Derby, by whom he had further issue,

- Samuel-Pole, who *m.* Mary, daughter of Edward Egan, esq. of Southgate.
- Charles-Augustus, a captain in the Coldstream Guards.
- Foster-Cunliffe, Ellis, } both died young.
- Francis-Manley, captain in the Coldstream Guards.
- Frances-Anne, who *m.* John Phillips, esq. of Culban House, in the county of Oxford, and died 26th June, 1824, leaving seven children.
- Elizabeth-Sophia, *m.* to Mansergh St. George, esq. of Headford Castle, in the county of Galway, Ireland.
- Philippa-Emma, *m.* to Philip Henry Powys, esq. eldest son of Philip-Lybbe Powys, esq. of Hardwich House, in the county of Oxford.

Mr. Shawe died in 1821, aged seventy-seven, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present ROBERT-NEWTON SHAWE, esq. of Kesgrave Hall, M.P. for the eastern division of the county of Suffolk.

Arms—Arg. a chev. ermine, a canton gu. Quartering the ensigns of WINGFIELD.

Crest—A falcon volant.

Estates—Kesgrave, in Suffolk; Hasleborough Hall, and Norton House, in the county of Derby; and Singleton Lodge, Lancashire.

Town Residence—20, Wigmore Street, Cavendish Square.

Seat—Kesgrave Hall, near Ipswich.

* This JOHN WINGFIELD, who *d.* 5th March, 1731-2, was of a most ancient and respectable family in the county of Suffolk, being descended from Sir HUMPHREY WINGFIELD, of Brantham Hall, in that shire, speaker of the House of Commons *temp.* HENRY VIII.

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CALVERLEY, OF THE BROAD AND OF EWELL CASTLE.

CALVERLEY, THOMAS, esq. of the Broad, in the county of Sussex, and of Ewell Castle, in Surrey, *m.* 1st June, 1829, Elizabeth Goldwyer, widow of Charles Blagrave, esq. of Berkeley Square, and sole heiress of James Hill, esq. of Prospect Hill, in the county of Berks, descended, in the female line, from the family of Kenrick, one of the most ancient in that shire.

Lineage.

This ancient family, originally bearing the name of Scott, was founded by

JOHN SCOTT, who came to England in the suite of the Lady Maud, on that princess's marriage with HENRY I. He espoused Larderina, daughter of Alphonsus Gospatrick, a person of great note in those days, and thereby acquired the lordship of CALVERLEY, in Yorkshire, with several other manors. His son and heir,

JOHN SCOTT, Lord of Calverley in right of his mother, was steward of the household to the empress MAUD. He *m.* the daughter of Sir John Lutterell, knt. of Hooton Pannal, and was *s.* by his eldest son,

WALTER SCOTT, or CALVERLEY, of Calverley, who gave to the chapel of the blessed Virgin Mary, at York, the vicarage of Calverley, *temp.* HENRY II. He wedded Joan, daughter of Sir John Swillington, knt. and had issue,

1. WILLIAM, his heir.
2. Robert (Sir), knt.
3. Henry.
4. Thomas, who acquired the lands of Newton, and was ancestor of the SCOTTS of that place.
5. Barnard, who *d.* unmarried.
6. Mary, *m.* to Jeffrey, son of Peter de Arthington.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM SCOTT, or CALVERLEY, of Calverley, living in the first year of the reign of HENRY III. married Mabel, daughter of Sir Nicholas Stapleton, knt. and was *s.* by his son,

WALTER SCOT, or CALVERLEY, of Calverley, living in 1273, who wedded the dau. of Sir John Normanville, and had several sons from one of whom descended the Calverleys, of Hayton, Clareborough, Lound, &c. in Nottinghamshire. The eldest,

WILLIAM SCOT, or CALVERLEY, of Calverley, the last who retained the name of Scot, *m. temp.* EDWARD III. a daughter of Sir John Goldsbrough, of Goldsbrough, knt. and was *s.* by his eldest son,

SIR JOHN DE CALVERLEY, of Calverley, living in the reign of EDWARD III. who *m.* Johanna, daughter or niece of Sir Simon Ward, and had a son and heir,

JOHN DE CALVERLEY, of Calverley, high-sheriff of the county of Rutland, and one of the esquires to the queen, *temp.* RICHARD II. This gentleman engaging in the wars, on the king's part, was taken prisoner and beheaded. Leaving no issue, he was *s.* by his brother,

WALTER CALVERLEY, of Calverley, who *m.* twice, but had issue only by his second wife, Margery, dau. of John de Dineley, namely,

WALTER, his heir.

John (Sir), who was slain in battle, fighting for *King* HENRY IV.

The elder son and successor,

WALTER CALVERLEY, of Calverley, espoused Joanna, daughter of Sir John Bygod, of Sterrington, knt. and had issue. In this Walter's time, Calverley church being rebuilt, his arms were cut or plated in the woodwork there. He was *s.* by his son,

WALTER CALVERLEY, of Calverley, living in 1429, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Mackingfield, knt. and had several children, viz.

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WILLIAM, his heir.
Thomas, who resided at Park House, in Byrill, which with other estates had been settled on him. He *m.* Anne, daughter and heiress of — Scargill, and thereby acquiring great possessions founded the families of CALVERLEY, of Moreley, and of the county of Cumberland.
Robert, who had the lands of Baseford and Broxton, in Nottinghamshire.
Alice, *m.* to Gilbert, son and heir of Gilbert de Leigh, esq. of Middleton.
Isabel, *m.* to John Slingsby, of Scriven.
Margaret, *m.* to Thomas Clapham, of Beamsley.
Beatrice, *m.* to Tristram Bollyng.
——, *m.* to Richard Kighley.
Amice, *m.* to Robert Baildon.
——, *m.* to William Scott, of Scott Hall.
Anne, *m.* to John Wentworth, of Elmsall.
——, *m.* to Gilbert Topcliffe.
Elizabeth, a nun, at Esholt.

The eldest son,

WILLIAM CALVERLEY, knt. of Calverley, *m.* 20th HENRY VI. Agnes, daughter of Sir John Tempest, and was *s.* at his demise by his eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM CALVERLEY, of Calverley, who received the honour of knighthood on the field of battle, in the 12th HENRY VII. He wedded Alice, daughter of Sir John Saville, of Thornhill, and left (with three other sons and two daughters, the elder of the latter of whom, Agnes, espoused John Vavasour, of Weston) a son and successor,

SIR WILLIAM CALVERLEY, knt. of Calverley, who *m.* twice, first (*temp.* HENRY VII.) Isabel, daughter and heiress of John Drax, esq. and secondly, Anne, daughter of John Vavasor, esq. of Weston; by the former of whom he left a son and heir,

SIR WILLIAM CALVERLEY, of Calverley, who was knighted about the 2nd of EDWARD VI. and served the office of high sheriff for Yorkshire in the following year. He *m.* first, 18th HENRY VIII. Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Middleton, of Stockeld, by whom he had, with five younger sons and six daughters,

WALTER, his heir.
Thomas, who *m.* Isabel, daughter of Mr. Anderson, of Newcastle, and hence sprang the CALVERLEYS of *Ayreholm*, in Durham.
William, who *m.* the heiress of Calverley, of Park House.

Sir William wedded secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Sneyd, esq. and had three daughters, Beatrice, *m.* to Robert Hyde, of Norbury; Jane, to Mr. Anby; and Elizabeth, to Mr. Hallie. Sir William was *s.* (about the 13th of ELIZABETH) by his eldest son,

SIR WALTER CALVERLEY, knt. of Calverley, who espoused Anne, daughter of Sir Christopher Danby, knt. by Elizabeth, his wife, third daughter of Richard Neville, second Lord Latimer, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, and marrying Catharine, daughter of Sir John Thornholm, knt. of Haystrope, had several sons and daughters, by the eldest of whom,

WALTER CALVERLEY, esq. of Calverley, he was succeeded. This gentleman *m.* Catherine, dau. of Sir Henry Brooke, and was *s.* by his son,

HENRY CALVERLEY, esq. of Calverley, who married two wives, but had issue only by the second, Joyce, daughter of Sir Walter Pye, of the Mynde, attorney-general of the Court of Wards to CHARLES I. viz. a son and heir,

WALTER CALVERLEY, esq. of Calverley, one of the sufferers to a considerable amount in the civil wars. He *m.* Frances, daughter of Henry Thompson, esq. of Esholt, and had a son and successor,

WALTER CALVERLEY, esq. of Calverley, who was created a BARONET in the 10th of *Queen* ANNE. Sir Walter *m.* in 1706, Julia, eldest daughter of Sir William Blackett, bart. of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and was succeeded, at his decease in 1749, by his only son,

SIR WALTER CALVERLEY, second baronet, of Calverley, who wedded Elizabeth, daughter and sole heiress of SIR WILLIAM BLACKETT, bart. and thereupon assumed the surname and arms of BLACKETT. The baronetcy is now EXTINCT.

II. Christopher, living in 1568.
III. EDMUND.

The third son,

EDMUND CALVERLEY, esq. was father of

ANDREW CALVERLEY, esq. to whom succeeded his son,

EDMUND CALVERLEY, esq. who was born at Calverley's Plain in the parish of Tunbridge, Kent, bought and rebuilt The BROAD, in the county of Sussex. He died in 1658,

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leaving, by his wife, Eleanor Later, several children, viz.

RICHARD, his heir.
John, who *d.* unmarried in London.
Edward, who *m.* Miss Barham.
William, who died unmarried.
Nathaniel, who *m.* Miss Brown.
Thomas, who *m.* Miss Holbean.
Eleanor, *m.* to Richard Acton, esq.
Anne, who died unmarried.
Mary, *m.* to John Fuller.

The eldest son,

RICHARD CALVERLEY, esq. of The Broad, espoused Miss Hardham, and had, with other issue,

RICHARD CALVERLEY, esq. who *m.* Miss Elizabeth Rogers, and was father of

THOMAS CALVERLEY, esq. who *m.* first, Mary Bird, and had a daughter, Elizabeth, who died unmarried at the age of sixteen. He wedded, secondly, Hannah, daughter of Peter Gegondee, esq. and was *s.* by his only son,

THOMAS CALVERLEY, esq. who purchased from Anthony Chamier, esq. in 1784, divers estates in the county of Surrey. He *m.* Miss Margaret Maria Foster, and had an only child, the present THOMAS CALVERLEY, esq. of The Broad.

Arms—Sa. an inescutcheon arg. with an orle of eight horned owls of the second.

Crest—A horned owl arg.

Motto—En Caligine veritas.

Estates—EWELL ESTATE, with the manors of Fitznells or Fennells, Shawford or Roxley, and Buttailes or Buttolphs, purchased in 1784. The castle was bought and the mansion erected by the present proprietor in 1812. THE BROAD acquired in 1658; the estate has since been enlarged by purchase of the manor of Warlington and the great tithes of Hellingley, with several farms: also several farms at Brinchley and Lamberhurst, in Kent; and in Sussex, inherited from the Forbes.

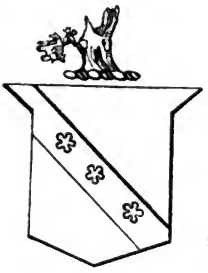
Town Residence—Berkeley Square.

Seats—The Broad; Hellingley, Sussex; Ewell Castle, Surrey.

RODDAM, OF RODDAM.

RODDAM, WILLIAM, esq. of Roddam Hall, in the county of Northumberland, *b.* 4th January, 1793. This gentleman, who is the fourth son of Walter Spencer Stanhope, esq. of Cannon Hall, in Yorkshire, inherited the estates of his kinsman and godfather, *Admiral* ROBERT RODDAM, under the will of that gallant officer, at his decease in 1806, and assumed, in consequence, the surname and arms of RODDAM.

Lineage.



This family, ranking amongst the most ancient in the British dominions, is still resident upon lands granted to their Saxon progenitors, in a very curious charter from *King* ATHELSTANE:

I Konig Athelstane
giffis heir to Paulane
Odiham and Roddam
als gude and als fair
als ever ye mine ware
and yair to witness Maud my wife.

A charter particularly and circumstantially noticed by MAJOR, in his Chronicles of England and Scotland, who describes an irruption of the English into that kingdom, *temp.* RICHARD II. when the monasteries of Melros, Driburg, Newbottel, and Edinburgh, were burnt; and then states, that, after the departure of the invaders, Robert Stewart, Earl of Fife, second son of the King of Scotland, with James, Earl of Douglas, and Archibald, Earl of Galway, at the head of thirty thousand men, made reprisal by eu-

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tering England by Solway Frith, wasting the rich and fertile lands, and carrying away abundant spoil. In the course of the foray this ancient deed was discovered and brought to the Scots commander, Robert, Duke of Albany, subsequently Regent of Scotland; who, whenever he afterwards heard of long charters and other similar writings, was wont to say, that in former times there was more probity, when our ancestors were unaccustomed to such minute prolixity in their conveyances; and supported his opinion by reciting from memory these letters patent of *King* ATHELSTANE.

Notwithstanding Roddam lies at a great distance from that part of England which the Scotch ravaged at their first entrance by Solway Frith; yet it is most likely that a detachment entered Northumberland at the same time (as was customary on such invasions), and finding the writing in question, brought it to Robert, while his head quarters were in Cumberland or Westmorland. It is a well-known fact that ATHELSTANE won a great victory* over the Scots and Danes in the country near Roddam, where he commanded in person, so that he probably rewarded Pauline's good services by this grant on the spot.

The following passage is to be found in Leland's Collectanea, vol. ii. p. 571. *anno* 1351.

'Gilbert Rodam having fifty-three glayves with him, and eighty archers, fought with Reynald de Gulion, Capitaine of Parys, near Stampes (now Etampes, in Normandy), that had seven hundred men of armes and four hundred brigantes with him. Gilbert was slayen there; yet the Englishman had the victory, and Reynald was there taken prisoner; but he, by the help of a false Englishman, was convayied or ever he had payid his rannsom."

Leland's Itinerary, written in the time of HENRY VIII. (vol. v. p. 93.) states that "The Roddams, or Rudhams, were men of fair landes in Northumbrelande, about Tylle river, ontyl one of them having to wife one of the Umfraville daughters, killed a man of name, and thereby lost the principale of eight hundred markes by yere; so that at this time Roddam, or otherwise Rudham, of Northumbrelande, is but a man of mene landes."

The greater part of the original estate was certainly forfeited during the sway of the Norman kings, but the lands of RODDAM, named in the grant of Athelstane, descended to the late ADMIRAL RODDAM, through an uninterrupted line of ancestors, intermarrying with the Greys of Chillingham; the Selbys; the Brandlings of Gosforth; the Forsters of Etherston; the Lisles of Felton Swinburnes of Ethingham; and other eminent northern families.

SIR JOHN RODDAM, knt. of Roddam, *m.* Ellen, daughter and heiress of John Houghton, of Houghton, in the county of Northumberland, and thus became lord of that manor. He was "slaine in the Palme Sunday Ffielde with the Earl of Northumberland in battaile, anno 1491, the 19th day of March." From this gallant person we pass to his lineal descendant,†

EDWARD RODDAM, esq. of Roddam, who *m.* Miss Mary Saville, and had two sons and a daughter,

JOHN, his successor.

EDWARD, successor to the estates at the decease of his brother.

Mary, *m.* to Bernard Falder, esq.

The elder son,

JOHN RODDAM, esq. of Roddam, and Little Houghton, *m.* Winifred, dau. and heiress of Ralph Milburn, esq. of Chirton, in Northumberland, and had three daughters, viz.

I. WINIFRED, who died young.

II. Mary, *m.* to E. Collingwood, esq. of Byker and Dissington, and had issue,

1. Edward Collingwood, who *d.* unmarried, bequeathing his estates to his great nephew, Edward Spencer Stanhope, esq. who has assumed the name of COLLINGWOOD. See page 472.
2. John Collingwood, died unmarried in 1792.
3. Winifred Collipgwood, *m.* to Thomas Babington Pulleine, esq. of Carleton Hall, in the county of York, and dying in 1780, left an only surviving child,

MARY WINIFRED PULLEINE, who wedded Walter Spencer Stanhope, esq. of Cannon Hall, by whom (who *d.* in 1821) she has a numerous family; the fourth son of

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* Mentioned likewise by MAJOR.

† A fact established by the possession of Roddam. Of the family there are besides upon record.

William de Roddam, living in the 49th of HENRY III.

William de Roddam, who *m.* the daughter and heiress of Thomas d'Esplee, in the time of EDWARD II.

Joane, daughter of Adam de Roddam, *m.* Thomas de Umfraville, and *d.* in the 10th of RICHARD II. *See* BURKE's *Extinct and Dormant Peerage.*

Robert Roddam, living in the 6th of EDWARD VI.

John Roddam, living in the 10th of ELIZABETH.

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which, WILLIAM SPENCER STANHOPE, eventually inherited the RODDAM estates.

III. Winifred, *m.* to Hilton Lawson, esq.

John Roddam leaving thus no male issue, the representation of the family was continued by his brother,

EDWARD RODDAM, esq. of Roddam and Little Houghton, who sold the latter estate to Mr. Penrith, and erected Roddam Hall. He *m.* Jane, daughter of Robert Skelly, esq. and had, with several other children, who died all issueless,

EDWARD, his successor.

ROBERT, heir to his brother.

Collingwood, *b.* in 1734, a captain in the East India Company's service, *m.* Miss Buller, but *d. s. p.* in 1806. This gentleman had a large quantity of old plate which he left to the Falder family,* amongst which were four candlesticks, said to have been presented to him by TIPPOO SAIB.

Mr. Roddam was *s.* by his eldest son,

EDWARD RODDAM, esq. of Roddam, who died in 1776 without issue, and was *s.* by his brother,

ROBERT RODDAM, esq. then an officer of rank in the royal navy. This gallant seaman entered the service as a midshipman on board the Lowestoffe in the year 1735-6; in which capacity he subsequently served in the Russell, Cumberland, and Boyne, and was upon the Antigue station with Captain Drummond, of the Lowestoffe, more than five years. On the 3rd November, 1741, he was made third lieutenant on board the Superb in Cumberland Harbour, from which the next year he was removed to the Monmouth. In 1744 he was appointed second lieutenant, and in two years afterwards promoted to the command of the Viper, sloop of war. About this time Lord Anson (then Mr. Anson), one of the lords of the Admiralty, went to Portsmouth to command the western squadron, and expressing a strong wish to all the captains to stop a fleet at that time lying at Portsmouth, they urged the impracticability of the undertaking in a high south wind, and stated many other concurring obstacles. Mr. Roddam, the youngest captain, however, instantly undertook to try the possibility of stopping them, though his sloop, being just off the stocks, was in every way incomplete; and he eventually performed the arduous duty with so much steadiness, that Lord Anson wrote directly to the lords of the Admiralty for leave to take Captain Roddam under his own command. In 1755 he was appointed to the Greenwich, a fifty gun ship, and sailing to the West Indies, remained on the Jamaica station until 1757. At this period, being on a cruize off Hispaniola, on the 16th March, early in the morning, plying off Cape Cabroon, the Greenwich fell in with four French line of battle ships, two frigates, and a store ship, which the officers and crew of the Greenwich all fully supposed and asserted were merchantmen convoyed by two frigates; but Captain Roddam entertained a different opinion, and, though late, convinced his ship's company of their mistake, as those vessels proved to be the Tonnant, of 84 guns, commanded by Admiral Bofromont; the Desauncene, of 74, Captain Blonal; the Diadem, 74, Captain Rosele; L'Eveille, of 64, Captain Merville; Inflexible, of 64, and the Savage and Le Bronne, frigates, with a twenty gun storeship. This squadron being to windward dispatched one of the frigates to reconnoitre, which Captain Roddam perceiving, and seeing no possibility of effecting his own escape, endeavoured to draw to the Greenwich. That ship being painted after the manner of the French, he hoped to decoy the frigate, and he had already prepared a boarding party, determined if he succeeded to dispatch her immediately to Admiral Townshend, at Jamaica, with intelligence of the number and situation of the enemy; but the Frenchman, discovering the Greenwich to be a two-decked ship, made all sail to rejoin the squadron. The Diadem first began firing at nine o'clock, and from that hour until nine at night the Greenwich was incessantly assailed by one or other of the fleet. Captain Roddam again prepared to board the L'Eveille, a 64, being the best sailing ship; but several of the enemy renewing the action at the same time, the Greenwich became so much injured in her rigging, and in consequence so unmanageable that he was compelled to abandon the idea. He then called his ship's company together, and told them he had done all in his power to preserve his majesty's ship, but if any of them could point out the French admiral's ship, the Tonnant, he thought the Greenwich could yet divert her an hour or two. The officers and the whole ship's company answered, "They must obey their captain, but they had been unceasingly shot at for twelve hours, and supported an action they believed longer than any ship had ever before sustained." Captain Roddam struck his colours in consequence, but, even after doing so, resisted what he deemed a dishonorable condition on the part of his conqueror. The French ship, L'Eveille, hailed the English captain to hoist out a boat, and to go on board the 64, which he repeatedly

* MARY RODDAM (sister to John Roddam, who *m.* Winifred Milburn) wedded Bernard Falder, esq. of Alnwick, and left issue.

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refused to do; and finding his interpreter had said, "every thing being cut away they *could* not get a boat out," instead of stating, "that Captain Roddam *would* not," he himself hailed, and inquiring if any one on board L'Eveille spoke English, he was replied to by a voice he knew, Mr. Giddy, a Danish officer, who had served in the preceding war with Captain Norris, in the Prince Frederick. Captain Roddam then informed Mr. Giddy that he would not go on board the French man of war in his own boat, but *must* be sent for, and if that were not complied with, he would hoist the British colours immediately, and defend his ship as long as she could swim. The gallant officer and his brave crew were subsequently treated with great harshness by their captors, they were released however in about two months, and sent to Jamaica, where Captain Roddam was tried by a court martial, and most honorably acquitted. When the court delivered the sentence to Admiral Coates, commander in chief, that officer immediately complimented Captain Roddam by presenting him with the minutes of the proceeding, and requesting, at the same time, that he would cause them to be printed, as reflecting the highest credit on the service and the British flag. Those minutes were accordingly printed at Kingston, in Jamaica. Our limits will not permit us to follow Captain Roddam through his subsequent equally enterprizing and gallant career; we shall merely detail his promotions as an index to his splendid services. He was appointed Rear Admiral of the White in 1778, and the next year received the rank of Vice Admiral of the Blue. In 1780, he was made Vice Admiral of the White. In 1787, of the Red, and was appointed on the 20th April, 1789, commander in chief at Portsmouth, where he continued three years, a most active and efficient commander. In 1793, he was raised to the rank of Admiral of the Blue, in 1794, of the White, and, in 1795, made Admiral of the Red. Admiral Roddam *m.* first, on the 24th of April, 1749, Miss Clinton, dau. of Colonel Clinton, which lady died on the 9th December, 1750, issueless. He wedded secondly, Alithea, daughter of Sir James Calder, bart. of Calder, and thirdly, Miss Harrison, aunt of the present Mrs. Bell, of Woolsington. He *d.* in 1808, in his eighty-eighth year, without issue, when his estates devolved, under his will, upon his kinsman, WILLIAM SPENCER STANHOPE, esq. (the great grandson of Mary Roddam and her husband, Edward Collingwood) who, having assumed the surname and arms of RODDAM, is the present Mr. RODDAM, of RODDAM.

Arms—Gules on a bend ermine, three cinquefoils sa.

Crest—A stump of an oak, with a young branch ppr.

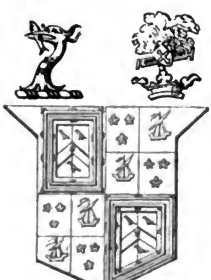
Motto—Nec deficit alter.

Estates—In Northumberland.

Seat—Roddam Hall, Northumberland.

BECKFORD, OF FONTHILL.

BECKFORD, WILLIAM, esq. of Fonthill Abbey, in the county of Wilts, *b.* 29th September, 1760, *m.* 5th May, 1783, the Lady Margaret Gordon, sole surviving daughter of Charles, fourth Earl of Aboyne, by the Lady Margaret Stewart, daughter of Alexander, seventh Earl of Galloway, and had issue,



1. MARGARET-MARIA-ELIZABETH, *m.* in May, 1811, Lieutenant-General James Orde, and *d.* in 1818, leaving two daughters, Margaret-Juliana-Maria, and Susan-Jemima-Frances.
2. SUSANNA-EUPHEMIA, *m.* 26th April, 1810, Alexander Hamilton, now Duke of Hamilton, Brandon, and Chatelherault, by whom her grace has one son and one daughter, viz.
   WILLIAM-ALEXANDER-ANTHONY-ARCHIBALD, MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS AND CLYDESDALE, *b.* in 1811.
   Susan-Catherine-Harriet, *m.* in November, 1832, to Henry-Pelham Pelham-Clinton, Earl of Lincoln, son and heir-apparent of Henry Pelham, Duke of Newcastle.

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This gentleman has long been distinguished by a refined taste in architecture, and the possession of great literary powers: of the former, the magnificent seat of Fonthill was a splendid though fragile testimonial—of the latter, the CALIPH VATHEK,* written originally in the French language, will remain an imperishable record.

Mr. Beckford, who represented the city of Wells, and subsequently the borough of Hindon, in several parliaments, inherited the estates upon the demise of his father, in 1770.

Lineage.

The family of BECKFORD appears to have been of Saxon origin. It was, at an early period of our history, settled in Gloucestershire; deriving its patronymic from, or giving name to, the parish of Beckford, or Beceford, in that county. It occurs, frequently, in the public records, amongst the benefactors to abbies and other religious houses, and has also been distinguished in our warlike annals.

After the conquest of Jamaica in 1656,

Colonel PETER BECKFORD, son of Peter Beckford, esq. who was brother to Sir Thomas Beckford, rose, by his singular ability in military and civil affairs, to the highest stations in that colony. Having, during the reign of CHARLES II., filled the important office of president of the council, he was, by WILLIAM III., appointed lieutenant-governor and commander-in-chief of the island. He died in 1710, possessed of immense wealth; and amongst his immediate descendants are the following representatives of noble houses, viz. in the direct male line, Beckford, now Pitt, Baron Rivers: and in the female line, Ellis, Baron Seaford; Ellis, Baron Howard de Walden; Courtenay, presumptive heir to the earldom of Devon; and Carleton, Baron Dorchester.

Colonel Beckford left two sons, namely,

I. PETER, of whom presently.
II. Thomas, who had issue,
  1. Ballard, whose only son,
     Ballard, left a sole daughter and heir,
       Mary, who *m.* James Johnstone, esq.
  2. Thomas, whose daughter and eventual heiress,
     Mary-Ballard, *m.* Edward Long, esq. of Aldermaston House, Berks, the historian of Jamaica, and had issue,
       Edward-Beeston Long.
       Robert-Ballard Long, a lieutenant-general in the army.
       Charles-Beckford Long.
       Catherine Long, who *m.* Richard Dawkins, esq.
       Charlotte Long, *m.* to Sir George Pocock, bart.
       Elizabeth Long, *m.* to Lord Henry-Thomas Molyneux-Howard, deputy earl marshal of England, and had a son and four daughters, viz.
         1. Henry Howard, esq. of Greystock Castle, M.P.
         2. Henrietta, *m.* to Henry, Earl of Carnarvon.
         3. Isabella, wife of Charles Howard, Viscount Andover.
         4. Charlotte, *m.* to James-Wentworth Buller, esq. of Downes, M.P. for Exeter.
         5. Juliana, *m.* to Sir John Ogilvie, bart.

The elder son,

PETER BECKFORD, esq. Speaker of the House of Assembly of Jamaica, died in 1735. Having married Bathshua, daughter and coheir of Colonel Julines Hering,† he had issue,

I. PETER, his heir.
II. WILLIAM, successor to his brother.
III. Richard, M.P. for Bristol, died unmarried.
IV. Nathaniel, died unmarried.
V. Julines, of Stapleton, in the county of Dorset, M.P. for Salisbury, who was *s.* by his son,

* VATHEK (says Lord Byron) was one of the tales I had a very early admiration of. For correctness of costume, beauty of description, and power of imagination, it far surpasses all European imitations, and bears such marks of originality that those who have visited the East will find some difficulty in believing it to be more than a translation. As an Eastern tale, even Rasselas must bow before it; his "Happy Valley" will not bear a comparison with the "Hall of Eblis."

† This gentleman, through the lines of Oxenbridge, Throckmorton, Nevil, Beauchamp, and Le Despencer, was descended from EDMUND PLANTAGENET, of Langley, Duke of York, fifth son of EDWARD III.

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PETER BECKFORD, esq. of Stapleton. This gentleman *m.* 22nd March, 1773, Louisa, second daughter of George Pitt, esq. of Strathfield Saye, M.P. for the county of Dorset, who was elevated to the peerage, in 1776, as Baron Rivers of Strathfieldsaye, and created in 1802, BARON RIVERS of *Sudley Castle*, in Gloucestershire; the latter dignity in remainder to his brother, Sir William Augustus Pitt, K.B. and after him to the male issue of his daughter, Mrs. Beckford, which lady left a son,

HORACE WILLIAM BECKFORD, who changed his name to PITT, and inherited as third LORD RIVERS; his lordship was father of the present lord.

VI. Francis, of Basing Park, Hants, *m.* first, Lady Albinia Bertie, daughter of Peregrine, Duke of Ancaster and Kesteven, and secondly, Susannah, only daughter and heiress of Richard Love, esq. of Basing. By the latter he had a son, the present FRANCIS LOVE BECKFORD, esq. (see vol. ii. p. 599.)

VII. Anne, *m.* to George Ellis, esq. Chief Justice of the Island of Jamaica, and left several sons, of whom John, the second, was grandfather of

CHARLES-AUGUSTUS ELLIS, who has succeeded, in right of his mother, to the ancient barony of HOWARD DE WALDEN.

VIII. Elizabeth, *m.* first, to Thomas Howard, second Earl of Effingham, and secondly, to Field Marshal Sir George Howard, K.B.

Mr. Beckford was *s.* by his eldest son,

PETER BECKFORD, esq. who died without issue, in 1737, when the estates devolved upon his brother,

WILLIAM BECKFORD, esq. of Fonthill, who was twice LORD MAYOR of the city of London, and representative in parliament for the metropolis in which his eminent talents, consistency, and patriotism will ever be held in honoured memory.* He died during his mayoralty, in 1770; having espoused MARIA, daughter and coheir of the Honorable George Hamilton, M.P. for Wells, second surviving son of James, sixth Earl of Abercorn, who was lineally descended from James Hamilton, second Earl of Arran, Duke of Chatelherault, in France, and regent, and heir presumptive of the crown of Scotland, as great grandson of King JAMES II.; being grandson of James, Lord Hamilton, by the Princess Mary, eldest daughter of that Monarch. The said MARIA was, through her mother, Bridget, daughter and sole heir of William Coward, esq. M.P. for Wells, descended from the *Protector* SOMERSET; through him, by the illustrious and historical lines of Wentworth, Clifford, Percy, and Mortimer, from Lionel Plantagenet of Antwerp, Duke of Clarence, third son of EDWARD III., and through the lines of Champernowne, Norreys, Fiennes, and Bourchier, from Thomas Plantagenet of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, youngest son of the same Monarch. Through her great-great-grandfather, Sir Thomas Hall of Bradford, Wilts, whom the said BRIDGET COWARD represented as sole heir general, she was descended from the noble and illustrious house of Latimer (see descent from the Latimers at foot), Lords of Corby.

Mr. Alderman Beckford had by the said Maria Hamilton, an only child and heir, the *present* WILLIAM BECKFORD, esq.

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* There is a fine marble tablet to the memory of this eminent magistrate in the Guild Hall of the city of London. It represents him, officially robed, delivering the following spirited remonstrance to *King* GEORGE III. on the 23rd May, 1770.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Will your Majesty be pleased so far to condescend to permit the mayor of your loyal city of London, to declare in your presence on behalf of his fellow citizens how much the bare apprehension of your Majesty's displeasure would at all times affect their minds; the declaration of that displeasure has already filled them with inexpressible anxiety and with the deepest affliction. Permit me, sire, to assure your Majesty, that your Majesty has not in all your dominions any subjects more faithful, more dutiful, or more affectionate to your Majesty's person and family, or more ready to sacrifice their lives and fortunes in the maintenance of the true honour and dignity of your crown. We do then with the greatest humility and submission most earnestly supplicate your Majesty, that your Majesty will not dismiss us from your presence without expressing a more favoured opinion of your faithful citizens, and without some comfort, without some prospect at least of redress.

Permit us, sire, further to observe, that whoever has already dared, or shall hereafter endeavour by false insinuations and suggestions to alienate your Majesty's affections from your subjects in general, and from the city of London in particular, and to withdraw your confidence in, and regard for your people, is an enemy to your Majesty's person and family, a violator of the public peace, and a betrayer of our happy constitution as established at the glorious revolution.

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*** It is a remarkable fact, that Mr. Beckford is, paternally or maternally, descended from all the Barons of Magna Charta, or the twenty five Conservators of the public liberties, elected under the provisions of the great charter, from whom there is any issue surviving.

Arms.—Per pale gules and azure, on a chevron argent, between three martlets or, an eagle displayed sable; within a bordure of the fourth, charged with a double tressure, flory and counter flory of the first. The grant of the double tressure, under the authority of the Earl Marshal of England, registered in the college of arms, and bearing date the 20th March 1810, was intended to commemorate, not only the extraordinary accumulation of descents of the grantee, through various noble families, from the blood royal of Scotland which are verified in the line of Hamilton, but also the remarkable facts, that his grandmother, on the paternal side, Bathshua, daughter and coheir of Julines Hering esq., was through the lines above stated, of Oxenbridge, Throckmorton, Nevil, Beauchamp, Le Despencer and Plantagenet, descended from the said blood royal; and that his grandmother, on the maternal side, Bridget Hamilton, was by her grandfather, William Coward, esq. serjeant-at-law, and recorder and member of Parliament for the city of Wells, descended through the ancient families of Dodington, of Dodington, and Wyndham, and the illustrious houses of Howard, Mowbray, Fitzalan, Bohun, and Plantagenet, and also through those of Scrope, Nevil, Stafford, Audley, and Clare, from the said blood royal; and, by her mother, Mary, daughter of William Hastings, esq.; by her grandmother, Bridget, daughter and at length sole heir of Sir Thomas Hall; by her great-grandmother, Catherine, daughter of Sir Edward Seymour; and by her great-great-grandmother, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Brune, esq. of Athelhampton, Dorset, through several distinct lines not participated by any of the other branches of the house of Hamilton, also descended from the said blood royal: and further, that the grantee having intermarried with the Lady Margaret Gordon, only daughter of Charles, late earl of Aboyne, his daughters by such marriage are likewise maternally descended, by numerous and direct lines, from the kings of Scotland, through many of the greatest families of that kingdom, as well as through the principal sovereign houses of Europe.

Quartering—1st and 4th, Hamilton, gules, three cinquefoils ermine, pierced of the field; 2nd and 3rd, Arran, argent, a lymphad sable.

Crests—First, a heron's head erased or, gorged with a collar flory counterflory gules, in the beak a fish argent. Second, issuant out of a ducal coronet or, an oak tree fructed ppr. the stem penetrated transversely by a frame-saw, also ppr. inscribed with the word "through," differenced with a shield, pendant from a branch of the tree, charged with the arms of Latimer, being gules, a cross flory or.

*** The second was a crest of Augmentation, assigned under the Earl Marshal's authority, to Mr. Beckford, in memory of his representation of a co-heir of the Abercorn branch of the house of Hamilton; with a distinction in allusion to his descent, through the ancient family of Mervyn, lords of the manor of Fonthill-Gifford, from William, the first Lord Latimer.

Motto—De Dieu tout.

Estates—Lansdown, near Bath; manors of Milford and Woodford, Wilts; Dank's Retreat, and Rock River Plantations, and Bodles Pen, in Clarendon, with other estates in Jamaica.

Seat—Lansdown Crescent and Tower, near Bath.

DESCENT FROM THE LATIMERS.

WILLIAM, LORD LATIMER, summoned to parliament from 1299 to 1305, *m.* Alice, daughter and co-heir of Walter Ledet, by which alliance he acquired a moiety of the barony of Warden, and a moiety of the whole hundred of Corby, both in the county of Northampton, and had, with WILLIAM, his successor and second lord, a younger son,

SIR JOHN LATIMER, who wedded Joane, daughter and eventually heir of Sir William de Gouis, and by her acquired, amongst other estates, the manor of DUNTISH, in the county of Dorset. He was *s.* at his decease (10th ED. III.) by his son,

SIR ROBERT LATIMER, of Duntwich, who *m.* Catherine Hall, and dying 35th EDWARD III. left a son and successor,

SIR ROBERT LATIMER, of Duntwich, who wedded Margaret Peche, and had a son,

JOHN LATIMER, esq. of East Pulham, whose son, by his wife Margaret Pipard, was

SIR NICHOLAS LATIMER, of Duntwich. This gentleman was attainted in the reign of EDWARD IV., but the attainder was subsequently reversed. He *m.* Joan Hody. His daughter and heir,

EDITH LATIMER, *m.* first, John Green, esq. of Stotfould, in the county of Bedford. She wedded secondly, Sir John Mordaunt, and by him was mother of John, first Lord Mordaunt, ancestor of the extinct Earls of Peterborough. Her ladyship espoused, thirdly, Sir John Carew, but had no further issue. Her daughter, by Green, and one of the co-heirs of that gentleman,

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ELIZABETH GREEN, *m.* John Mervyn, esq. of FONTHILL, in the county of Wilts, and left a daughter,

ELIZABETH MERVYN, who espoused Thomas Hall, esq. of Bradford, and was mother of

SIR JOHN HALL, knt. of Bradford, who wedded Dorothy Rogers, and was *s.* by his son,

JOHN HALL, esq. of Bradford. This gentleman *m.* Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Brune, esq. of Athelhampton, in Dorsetshire, and had a son,

SIR THOMAS HALL, knt. of Bradford, who wedded Catherine, daughter of Sir Edward Seymour, and left a daughter, eventually his sole heiress,

BRIDGET HALL, who *m.* William Hastings, esq. and her daughter,

MARY HASTINGS, espousing William Coward, esq. M. P. for Wells, was mother of

BRIDGET COWARD (sole heiress to her father), who *m.* the Honorable George Hamilton, M.P. for Wells, as in the text, and left a daughter,

MARIA HAMILTON (co-heir of her father), the wife of Mr. Alderman Beckford, and mother of the present WILLIAM BECKFORD, esq.

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Appendix.

Bannerets and Knights made after the Battle of Stoke.
Bannerets and Knights made after the Battle of Blackheath.
Officers in command Anno 1569.
Knights of the Royal Oak.

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BANNERETS AND KNIGHTS MADE BY KING HENRY VII. AFTER THE BATTLE OF STOKE.

[Bibl. Cott. Jul. c. also Claud. c. III.]

And that day [of the Battle of Stoke] the Kinge [Hen. VII.] made XIII Bannaretts and LIJ Knyghts whos names ensueth.

Theis be the names of the Bannaretts.

Sir Gilbert Talbot
Sir John Cheyney
Sir Wm. Stowe
} theis III wer made byfor the Batell.

And after the Batell wer made the same day.

Sir John of Aroundel
Sir Thomas Cokesay
Sir John Forster
Sir Edmund Berryngfielde
Sir James Blount
Sir Richard Crofte
Sir Humfrey Stanley
Sir Richard de La Ver
Sir John Mortymer
Sir John Troutbeck

The names of the Knyghts made at the same Bataill.

Sir James Audeley
Sir Edward Mores
Sir Robert Clifforde
Sir George Upton
Sir Robert Abroughton
Sir John Paston
Sir Henry Willoughby
Sir Richard Pole
Sir Richard Fitzlewes
Sir Edward Abrough
Sir Geo. Lovell
Sir John Longvile
Sir Thomas Tirrell
Sir Roger Bellyngham
Sir William Carew
Sir William Troutbeck
Sir Thomas Poole
Sir William Vampage
Sir James Harrington
Syr John Denewyske
Sir Humfrey Savage
Sir Antony Browne
Sir Thomas Grey
Sir Nicolas Vaux
Sir William Tyrwhytt
Sir Amyas Pallet.
Sir Bauff Langforth
Sir Henry Bould
Sir William Redmyll
Sir Thomas Blount
Sir Robert Cheyney
Sir John Wyndan
Sir John A. Musgrove
Sir George Nevill
Sir James Parker
Syr Edwarde Darell
Sir Edwarde Pykeringe
Sir Thomas of Wolton
Syr Wm. Sandes
Syr Robert Brandon
Syr Moses Barkley
Sir John Dygby
Sir Raf Slinley
Sir William Litelton
Sir William Norres
Syr Thomas Hanseide
Sir Cristofer Wroughton
Syr Thomas Syr
Sir Moses Aborough
Syr Thomas Manyngton

BANNERETS AND KNIGHTS MADE BY KING HENRY VII. AFTER THE BATTLE OF BLACKHEATH.

[Bib. Cotton, Claud. c. III.]

Theise XIIII following wer made Banneretts at the Batell of Blackheath the XVII day of June, Anno Domini 1497, Anno 12 of the Kinge agaynst ye comons of Cornwail.

Sir Thomas Lovell, Bannerett
Sir Charles Somerset, do.
Sir Reignald Bray
Sir Richarde Guyldeforde
Sir Robert Harecourt
Sir Res ap Thomas
Sir Henry Willougby
Sir Richard Fitz Lewes
Sir William Tyrwhite
Sir Thomas Tyrell
Sir John Seint John
Sir Thomas Greene
Sir Robt. Broughton
Sir Nicholas Paulo

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The xiiii Bannaretts beforesayde have payd ther fees v Merks apeece.

Sir John H———— } Dubbed at the Bridge foote, at the Kinge's enteringe of London after the
Sir Morgan ———— } Batell of Blackheath.

Knyghts made at Blackheath fielde anno 12 of the Kinge on seint Botolphs day ye 17 of June Anno Dni 1497, agaynst ye comons of Cornwail.

Sir Edward Blount
Sir Wm. de La Poole, brother to Edmd. de La Poole, Erle of Suffolk, called Lord Wm. of Suffolk
Sir Thos. Brandon
Sir John Savage
Sir Thomas Cornwall, Baron Burford
Sir John Seymer
Sir Gyles a Bruges
Sir Edwarde Stanhope
Sir Robt. Lovell
Sir Robt. Tyrrell
Sir John Ferrers
Sir Robt. Drury
Sir Henry Tay
Sir John Husse
Sir John Rodney
Sir John Montgomery
Sir Richard Pudsey
Sir John Darell of Kent
Sir Edmund Arundell
Sir Wm. Meyring
Sir John Peche
Sir Thomas Digby
Sir John Hungerford
Sir Robt. Payton
Sir George Taylboys
Sir Philippe Calthorpe
Sir John Greene
Sir Roger Wentworthe
Sir Robt. Constable
Sir John Skipwith
Sir John Williams
Sir Rowland de Deylevylle
Sir Andrew de Trevisano, a Venetian
Sir Lawrence Aylmer

Knyghtes Dubbed at the Bridge foote at the Kinges entering of London after the Batell of Blackheath.

Sir John Tate, Maior of London
Sir John Shea, Sheryf of London
Sir John Sheffielde, Recorder of London
Sir John Dunham
Sir Thomas Rotheram
Sir John Audeley
Sir Philip Cooke
Sir John Bruerton
Sir Thomas de La Launde

OFFICERS COMMANDING THE QUEEN'S FORCES, ANNO 1569.

[Lansdowne MSS. 207. c. fol. 763.]

The Names of the principall Officers and Captaynes of the Army Marching Northward when the two Earles of Northumberland and Wastmerland rebelled, 1° Decembris, A° 1569, A° 12° Elizabethæ Reginæ.*

Ambrose Dudley, Earle of Warwycke	L. L. Lieuetenants
Edward Lord Clynton, Admirall of England	L. L. Lieuetenants
Walter Deuereux, Viscount Hereford	L. Marshall
The Lord Willughby	Commander of the Rereward
Robt. Car, of Ilifrid, esq.	Treasurer
Leonard Irby, esq.	Muster Master
John Highfeld, esq.	Prevost Marshall
Charles Howard, esq.	Generall of the Horse
Francis Knollys, esq.	Lieuten^t of the Horse
Robt. Constable, esq.	Sergeant Maior
James Spenser, esq.	M^r of ye Ordnance
Tristram Tirwhitt, esq.	Camp Maister
John Henneag, esq.	Mr Harbinger

Norroy King at Arms
Portcullis Herald at Arms

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* For this and the preceding papers I am indebted to Henry Tyrwhitt, esq. (Nantyr).

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Captaynes of ye Horsmen.

Sir Henry Clinton, knt.	163 demi Lances and Pistolets
Rich. Bertie, esq.	
Captaine Howard	126 Demilances
Capt. Bowser	146 Light Horsmen
Captaine Dymocke	108 Demylances
Capt. Calveley	104 Light Horsmen
Capt. Nevill	50 Light Horsmen
Capt. Corbet	100 Lances
Capt. Carlton	
Capt. Drury	50 Light Horsmen
Capt. Dalton	102 Light Horsmen
Capt. Dorrington	72 Light Horsmen
Capt. Brereton	100 Lances
Capt. St. Poll	30 Lances
Capt. Blunt	100 Pistolets and Light Horsmen
Capt. Greene	122 Pistolets
Capt. Turvile	87 Pistolets

Captaines of ye Footmen.

Sir John Zouch	321
Sir Thomas Venables	324
Sir Robert Tirwhitt	337
Captaine Thomas Clinton	
Capt. Hall	163
Capt. Tourney	240
Capt. Carey	1000
Capt. Constable	272
Capt. Meres	343
Capt. Lascels	311
Capt. Darby	247
Capt. Denzill Hollys	252
Capt. Skipwith	341
Capt. Carsey	363
Capt. Hastings	500
Capt. George	310
Capt. Myldemay	203
Capt. Foliambe	319
Capt. Manners	300
Capt. Cobham	200
Capt. Burford	222
Capt. Fitzwilliam	360
Capt. Yaxley / Capt. Buseby	221
Capt. Leighton	500
Capt. Horsey	500
Capt. Molyneux	336
Capt. Bowes	306
Capt. Lane	548
Capt. Worsley	216
Capt. Wingfield	126
Capt. Fulstrop	216
Capt. Devereux	343
Capt. Bruerton	100
Capt. Rigeley	100
Capt. Leigh	217
Capt. Thikness	107 Pioneers
Captaine Darell	Surveyor of ye Victualls
Mr. Rowley	Commissary of ye Carriages
Jno. Death	Purveyor of ye Carriages
Mr. Highcocke	Maister of ye 12 forage Horsemen
Capt. Booth	324
Capt. Dymoke	120
Capt. Highfelde	200
Capt. Corson	60 Archers

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KNIGHTS OF THE ROYAL OAK.

Gentlemen chosen by *King* CHARLES II. to be invested with the Order of the Royal Oak, and the value of their respective estates, A. D. 1660. From a MS. of PETER LE NEVE, Norroy.

This order of knighthood, projected by the restored monarch to perpetuate the loyalty of his faithful adherents, was wisely abandoned, under the apprehension that it might perpetuate likewise dissensions which were better consigned to oblivion.

Bedfordshire.

	Per An.
Sir William Beecher, knt.	£1600
Richard Taylor, esq.	1000
Sir George Blundell, knt.	1200
William Spencer, esq.	1000
Sir John Duncombe, knt.	1000
William Boteler, esq.	1000
Francis Crawley, esq.	1000
Samuel Ironsides, esq.	600

Buckinghamshire.

Charles Dormer, esq.	3000
William Dormer, esq.	1000
— Claver, esq. of Woovinge	600
— Abraham, esq. of Wingrave	600
Francis Ingolsby, esq.	1000
Capt. Peter Dayrell	600
— Wells, esq. of Lillingston	600
Thomas Catesby, esq.	800

Berkshire.

Sir Compton Read, bart.	2000
Hungerford Dunch, esq.	2000
George Purejoy, esq.	3000
Edmund Fettiplace, esq.	700
John Whitwicke, esq.	800
John Blagrave, esq.	2000
Col. Richard Nevil	1500
John Freeman, esq.	800
Sir St. John Moore, knt.	1500
John Elwayes, esq.	700
Edward Keyte, esq.	1000
Richard Garrard, esq.	1000

Cambridgeshire.

Sir Thomas Marsh, knt.	1500
Thomas Chicheley, esq.	2000
Sir Thomas Willis, knt.	1000
Sir Thomas Leventhorpe, knt.	2000
Sir Thomas Bennet, knt.	2000
Capt. Thomas Storey	800
Capt. John Millicent, of Bergham	700
Thomas Ducket, esq.	1000
Wm. Colvile, esq. of Newton	1000
Robert Balam, esq. of Beaufort Hall	600

Cornwall.

Francis Buller, esq.	3000
— Ellyott, esq. of Port Ellyott	2500
Samuel Pendarvis, esq.	1500
Colonel Godolphin	£1000
— Penrose, esq.	1000
— Boscowen, esq.	4000
— Hallett, esq.	800
Edmond Prideaux, esq.	900
Charles Grylls, esq.	700
Oliver Sawle, esq.	1000
Joseph Tredenham, esq.	900
John Vivyan, esq.	1000
Charles Roscarrocke, esq.	800
William Scawen, esq.	800
Pierce Edgecombe, esq.	2000
James Praed, esq.	600

Cumberland.

Francis Howard, esq.	1500
Colonel Lamplugh	1000
William Layton, esq.	1000
Christopher Musgrave, esq.	1000
Thomas Curwen, esq.	1000
William Penington, esq.	1000
Edward Stanley, esq.	600
Wrightington Senhouse, esq.	600

Cheshire.

Darcie Savage, esq.	1000
James Poole, esq.	2000
Thomas Cholmondeley, esq.	2000
— Leigh, esq. of Lyme	4000
Peter Wilbraham, esq.	1000
Roger Wilbraham, esq.	1000
— Grosvenor, esq. of Eaton	3000
Sir Thomas Mainwaring, knt.	1000
Sir Thomas Wilbraham	3000
John Crew, esq.	1000
Edward Spencer, esq.	600
Henry Harpur, esq.	600
Thomas Baskerville, esq.	1000

Dorsetshire.

John Tregunwell, esq.	1100
John Still, esq.	1000
Col. Robert Lawrence	700
William Thomas, esq.	600
Capt. Henry Boteler	600
Woolley Miller, esq.	1000
Col. Strangways	5000
Thomas Freake, esq.	4000
Col. Humphrey Bisshopp	800
— Baskervile, esq.	1000
Sir John Turbervile, knt	1500

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Durham.

	Per An.
Col. William Blakeston	£ 600
Anthony Byerley, esq.	600
John Tempest, esq.	1000
Colonel Eden	1000
Marke Milbanke, esq.	2000
Ralph Millett, esq.	600
Samuel Davison, esq.	600

Devonshire.

Sir John Northcott, bart.	1500
Sir William Courtney	3000
Sir Courtney Poole, knt.	1000
Sir John Drake, bart.	800
— Willoughby, esq.	1700
Sir John Davie, bart.	2000
Arthur Northcott, esq.	800
Sir Copplestone Bamfield, knt.	1900
Richard Duke, esq.	1000
John Tuckfield, esq.	1000
Francis Fulford, esq. of Fulford	1000
Sir John Rolles, knt.	1000
Col. Arthur Bassett	1000
Col. John Gifford	1000

Essex.

Henry Woolaston, esq.	1000
Thomas Lewther, esq.	1000
Thomas Coates, esq.	1000
Major Scott	1000
Capt. Charles Maynard	1000
John Wrothe, esq.	1500
Sir William Ayloffe, bart.	1000
— Clifton, esq. of Woodford	800
Capt. Charles Mildmay	1000
Capt. Bramston	1000
William Knight, esq.	1000

Gloucestershire.

John Delabere, esq.	1000
Benedict Hall, esq. of High Meadow	4000
William Jones, esq.	800
Sir Humphrey Hooke, bart.	1500
Duncombe Colchester, esq.	800
Richard Stevens, esq.	800
John Smythe, esq.	1000
Thomas Morgan, esq.	800
William Cooke, esq.	1000
Sir Humphrey Hanmore, knt. (qy. Hanham)	1000
Thomas Masters, esq.	1000
John Browneinge, esq.	1000
Thomas Lloyd, esq.	800

Hertfordshire.

Peter Soames, esq.	1500
John Gore, esq.	600
William Gore, esq.	800
Sir Henry Wrothe, knt. of Durants, in Enfield, Middlesex	2000
Thomas Keytley	800
Francis Shalcrosse, esq.	800
Edward Watts, esq.	600
Capt. Thomas Morley	1000
Edward Bashe, esq.	1500
— Harrison, esq. of Balls	600

	Per An.
Ralph Gore, esq.	£ 600
Edmund Field, esq.	600
John Jessen, esq.	600

Herefordshire.

Wallop Brobaston, esq.	1200
Henry Lingham, esq. (qy. Linghen)	2000
Roger Vaughan, esq.	1500
Fitzwilliams Coningsby, esq. of Hampton Court	2000
Roger Bodenham, esq.	2000
Thomas Whitney, esq.	2000
Sir Edward Hopton, knt.	2500
Humphrey Baskerville, esq.	1000
Humphrey Cornwall, esq.	6000
John Barnibee, esq. of Boothall	1000
Sir Thomas Tomkins	2000
Herbert Westphalinge, esq.	800

Huntingdonshire.

Major Lionel Walden, esq.	600
Henry Williams, esq. of Bodsey	2000
— Apreece, esq. of Washingley	1000
Robert Apreece, esq.	1500
John Stone, esq.	1000
Richard Naylor, esq.	600
Thomas Rous, esq.	800

Kent.

Edward Badbye, esq.	1000
Edward Roper, esq.	2000
William Roper, esq.	600
Sir Richard Sands, knt.	1000
William Dyke, esq.	1000
Thomas Englishe, esq.	700
Stephen Leonard, esq.	1000
Roger Twisden, esq.	1000
John Clinckerd, esq.	600
Humphrey Hide, jun. esq.	600
William Kenwricke, esq.	600
Sir Thomas Leigh, knt.	1500
Sir William Delaune, knt.	2500

Lancashire.

Thomas Holt, esq.	1000
Thomas Greenhalgh, esq.	1000
Colonel Kirby	1500
Robert Holte, esq.	1000
Edmund Asheton, esq.	1000
Christopher Banister, esq.	1000
Francis Anderton, esq.	1000
Col. James Anderton	1500
Roger Nowell, esq.	1000
Henry Norris, esq.	1200
Thomas Preston, esq.	2000
— Ffarrington, esq. of Worden	1000
— Fleetwood, esq. of Penwortham	1000
John Girlington, esq.	1000
William Stanley, esq.	1000
Edward Tildesley, esq.	1000
Thomas Stanley, esq.	1000
Richard Boteler, esq.	1000
John Ingleton, senior, esq.	1000
— Walmesley, of Dunkenhalgh, esq.	2000

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Lincolnshire.

	Per An.
Sir Robert Carr, bart. of Sleford	£4000
Charles Dymoke, esq. of Scrivelsby*	1000
John Hanby, esq.	1500
Sir John Browne, knt.	1000
John South, esq.	2000
William Blythe	1000
Capt. William Thorold	1500
Jervas Nevill, esq.	1200
Sir John Newton, bart. of Hather	3000
William Welby, esq.	600
William Broxholme, esq.	1000
— Desyad, esq. of Harleston†	1000

Leicestershire.

Sir Edward Smythe, knt.	800
Sir George Faunt, knt.	2000
George Dashwood, esq.	1000
Major Brudnell	1000
— Terringham, esq.	1000
William Lawford, esq.	1000
William Street, esq.	1000
Richard Verney, esq.	1000
Col. Neville, of Holt	2000
Capt. William Cole	600
— Skevington, esq. of Skevington	1000
— Whaley, esq. of Norton	1000
— Pochin, esq. of Barkby	1000

London and Middlesex.

Thomas Tunman, esq.	1000
Alderman Lewis	2000
Alderman Sterlinge	2000
Col. Thomas Neville	1500
Lt. Cox.	600
Alderman Francis Dashwood	2000
Alderman Francis Knight	2000
Sir Robert Viner, knt.	3500
Peter Vandeput	800
Charles Carryll, esq.	1000
Major Matthew Bayley	600
George Skipp, esq.	600
Commissary-General Sir Edward Knightley, knt.	5000
Col. William Carlos	800
Capt. Valentine Knight	1500
Capt. Edward Maunsell	800
Sir Roger Norwich, bart.	2000
Col. Sir Thos. Woodcocke, knt.	1000
Col. Sir Ralph Freeman, knt.	1000
Major Rob. Peyton	1000
Col. Arthur Trevor	1000
Col. Charles Progers	600
Col. James Progers	600
Col. Charles Gifford	600
Col. Standish	600
Major Christ. Pickeringe	600
Capt. Richard Crane	600
Capt. John Bagshawe	600
Capt. Samuel Clarke	600
Capt. Francis Crayne	1000
Capt. Ralph Clarke	600
Capt. Hercules Baron	600
Colonel Sampson	600

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† Qy. De Lyad, or De Lyne.

	Per An
Capt. Joseph Ward	£ 600
Leonard Hamond, esq.	1000
Henry Englishe, esq.	2000
Charles Cheney, esq.	4000
Thomas Hughes, esq.	1500
Robert Blore, esq.	1000
Frances Maunsell, esq.	600
Capt. Thomas Willowbie	600
William Goldsborough, esq.	1500
Edward Palmer, esq.	800
Edmund Warcup, esq.	800
Charles Whittaker, esq.	1000
George Cary, esq.	600
Henry Progers, esq.	600
Alderman Sir Thomas Bludworth, knt.	3000
Sir George Smyth, knt.	2000
Sir James Muddiford, knt.	1500
Thomas Padnall, esq.	1000
Edward Dutton, esq.	1000
Sir Wm. Peake, knt.	1000
Alderman Bonfoy	2000
Samuel Foote, esq.	1500
Alderman Clutterbucke	2000
Sir Thomas Allen, knt.	2000
Sir Richard Chiverton, knt.	3000
Ald. Richard Shelbury	1000
Sir John Lawrence, knt.	2000
Sir John Fredericke, knt.	2000
Sir Anthony Bateman, knt.	2000
Sir Thomas Bateman, knt.	2000
Sir William Bateman, knt.	2000
Alderman Wade	2000
Sir William Turner, knt.	2000
Ald. Thorowgood	2000
Ald. Bathurst	2000
Sir Francis Compton, knt.	2000
Capt. George Gage	600
Col. John Russell	1000
Col. Thomas Baynton	600
Sir Thomas Danyell, knt.	600
M.-Gen. Randall Elgerton	1000
Col. Francis Lovelace	600
Col. Morgan	600
Sir Gilbert Gerrard	600
Major Henn (afterwards Sir Henry Henn)	600
Capt. Roger Gardiner	600
Lieut. Hambleton	600
— Morgan, esq.	800
George Tresham, esq.	600
William Washborne, esq.	600
Capt. Philip Sherrard	600
Cornet Stanley	1000
Hatton Compton, esq.	600
Sir William Roberts, of Whilsdon, bart.	1000
Thomas Reynold, esq.	2000
Robert, Thomas, esq.	3000
Arthur Maunsell	600
Thomas Hardinge, esq.	1500
Thomas Fisher, esq.	600
Nicholas Kemishe, esq.	600
Thomas Dacres, esq. of Cheshunt	1000
James Jobson, esq.	1000
John Cowell, esq. (qy. Sir John Coel, knt. one of the Masters in Ch. of Depden, Suffolk)	600
Henry Kersley, esq.	600
Richard Mounteney, esq.	1000
Peter Vandeput, esq.	800
Richard Rainsford, esq. (a judge)	600

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Edward Turner, esq. (son of Baron Turner)	£600
John Keelinge, (son of Justice Keelinge)	600
Francis Roper, esq.	600
Edward Atkinson, esq.	1000
Thomas Waller, esq.	1000
William Barker, esq.	1200
William Marshall, esq.	600
Thomas Elmes, esq. of Lilford, co. Northampton	1500
Wm. Haselwood, esq. of Maidwell	3000
Morrice Tresham, esq.	600
George Tresham, esq.	600

Northamptonshire.

Humphrey Orme, esq. of Peterboro'	1000
Edward Palmer, esq.	1200
Bryan Johnson, esq.	1000
George Clarke, esq. of Watford	3000
Walter Kirkham, esq. of Fineshade Abbey.	800
Tanfield Moulso, esq. of Thingdon	600
William Stafford, esq. of Blatherwick	3000
William Tate, esq. of Delaprè	1500
John Willoughby, esq.	600
— Ouley, esq. of Catesby	1000
John Adams, esq.	1000
— Arundel, esq. of Stoke	1000
Francis Thursby, esq. of Abington	1000
Thomas Morgan, esq.	600
Francis Lane, esq.	600

Nottinghamshire.

Cecil Cooper, esq. of Thurgarton	1000
John Palmer, esq.	600
— Whaley, esq.	1200
— Eyre, esq. of Mansfield Woodhouse	2000
— Middleton, esq.	1000
Sir John Curzon, bart.	500

Northumberland.

Sir William Foster, knt.	1000
Daniel Collingwood, esq.	600
Charles Howard, esq.	600
Sir Thomas Horseley, knt.	1000
George Collingwood, esq.	800
Robert Shafto, esq.	1000
— Thorneton, esq. of Netherwhitton	800
Thomas Beewicke, esq.	2000

Norfolk.

William Paston, esq. of Paston	800
Sir Charles Waldgrave, bart.	2000
Christopher Bedingfeld, esq. of Wyghton	800
Robert Wright, esq.	1000
Thomas Wright, esq. of Kilverston	1000
John Wyndham, esq. of Felbrigge	3500
John Coke, esq.	1000
John Nabbes, esq.	2000
Capt. Henry Stewart	1000
Sir Joseph Payne, knt. of Norwich	1000
John Hobart, esq. of Blickling and Intwood	1000
John Kendall, esq. of Thetford	1000
Sir Thomas Meddowe, knt. of Yarmouth	2000
Christopher Jug, esq.	1500
Richard Nixson, esq.	1000
Thomas Garrard, esq.	1000
Osburne Clarke, esq.	1000

	Per An.
Valentine Saunders, esq.	£600
John Tasburgh, esq.	600
Lawrence Oxborow, esq. of Hackbech Hall	800

Oxfordshire.

Sir Henry Jones, knt.	1500
— Gardiner, esq. of Tew	800
Matthew Skinner, esq.	600
Welsborne Sill, esq.	600
Sir Francis Norris	1500
George Wenman, esq.	2000
James Herne, esq.	1000
Rowland Lucey, esq.	1600
Sir Anthony Cope, bart.	4000
Thomas Stoner, esq.	3000
Cuthbert Warcupp, esq.	1000
Sir Timothy Tyrrell, knt.	1500
Sir John Clarke	2000
Sir Thomas Penniston, bart.	800
Sir Francis-Henry Lee, bart.	3000
Sir Francis Wenman, knt.	1500

Rutland.

Abel Barker, esq.	1000
Edward Fawkenor, esq. of Uppingham	1600
Christopher Browne, esq.	600
Richard Halford, esq. of Ediweston	600
Samuel Browne, esq.	600
Henry Noel, esq.	1000

Suffolk.

Charles Stutteville, esq. of Dalham	1500
Capt. Bennett	1000
Sir Edmund Poley, knt.	1000
John Warner, esq.	1000
Richard Cooke, esq.	1000
Joseph Brand, esq. of Edwardston	1000
Edmond Sheppard, esq.	1000
Clement Higham, esq.	1000
Roger Kedington, esq.	800
John Gibbes, esq.	800
John Brookes, esq.	1000
Robert Style, esq.	600
William Blomfield, esq.	600
William Barker, esq.	600
Randall Williams, esq.	600
Henry Warner, esq.	1000
Robert Crane, esq.	1500

Southamptonshire.

Major Edward Cooke	1500
William Walle, esq. of Leushott	1000
George Pitt, esq. of Strathfieldsay	4000
John Norton, esq.	1000
Sir Humphrey Bennet, knt.	1000
Edward Knight, esq. of Chawton	1000
William Wall, esq. of Crundall	1000
Henry Cooke, esq. the younger	1000
Sir Henry Titchbourne, of Titchbourne	1000

Somersetshire.

George Stawell, esq.	5000
Edward Philips, esq.	1500
Sir George Norton, knt.	1800
Edward Berkley, esq.	1000

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John Pawlet, esq.	£1000
Warwick Bamfield, esq.	1000
John Hall, esq.	900
Samuel Gorges, esq.	600
John Tint, esq.	1000
Francis Lutterel, esq.	1500
Peregrine Palmer, esq.	1500
— Lacey, esq. of Hartley	1000
Sir William Bassett, knt. of Claverton	1800
John Carey, esq.	1500
John Hunt, esq.	1500

Sussex.

George Lunsford, esq.	600
— Thorneton, esq. of Netherwhitton	800
George Barker, esq.	2000
Thomas Middleton, esq.	600
Walter Dobell, esq.	1000
Henry Clune, esq.	600
John Machell, esq.	1000
— Lunsford, esq. of Windmill Hill	600
George Brett, esq.	600
Edward Eversfield, esq.	600
Henry Gounge, esq.	2000
Henry Englishe, esq.	2000
Thomas Henshawe, esq. jun.	600
Edward Mitchell, esq.	1000
John May, esq.	600
Walter Burrell, esq.	600
John Eversfield, esq.	1500
— Mitchelborne, esq. of Stanmere	600
— Cooper, esq. of Strowd	600

Salop.

Sir John Wylde, knt.	1000
George Weld, esq.	1000
Francis Charleton, esq.	2000
Charles Mainwaringe, esq.	600
Col. William Owen	800
Thomas Cornwall, esq.	500
Thomas Talbott, esq.	1000
John Kynnaston, esq.	1000
Robert Leighton, esq.	800
Thomas Whitmore, esq.	600
Andrew Newport, esq.	800
Andrew Forrester, esq.	1000
Richard Fowler, esq.	1000
William Oakley, esq.	800
Henry Davenport, esq.	800

Staffordshire

Francis Leveson, esq.	2000
Walter Gifford, esq.	1500
Colonel Lane	700
Thomas Whitgrave, esq.	600
Richard Congreve, esq.	600
Walter Fowler, esq.	1500
Capt. Francis Biddulph	600
Robert Leveson, esq.	600
Henry Grey, esq. of Envile	1000
Charles Cotton, esq.	600
Richard Oakover, esq.	800
Edwin Scrumshire, esq	1000
Johnathan Cope, esq.	800

Surrey.

Richard Berry, esq.	1000
Edward Evelyn, esq. of Ditton	600
Edward Moore, esq.	£600
Capt. John Holmendon	600
Charles Bickerstaffe, esq.	600
James Zouch, esq.	2000
Edward Woodward, esq.	1000
Edward Bromfeild, esq.	1000
George Turner, esq.	1000
Capt. Roger Clarke	600
Capt. Bartholomew	600
George Duke, esq.	600
Sir Adam Browne, bart.	1600
George Browne, esq.	600
White Titchbourne, esq.	1000
Roger Pettyward, esq.	2000
Davis Wymondswold, esq. of Putney	2000
Giles Dunster, esq.	600
James Gresham, esq.	800
— Thomas, esq. of Cobham	600
Roger Duncombe, esq.	1000
Peter Quinnall, esq.	600
Geo. Woodroffe, esq. of Poyle	1500
Geo. Vernon, esq. of Farnham	800
Vincent Randall, esq.	1000
Thomas Delmahoy, esq.	1200
Geo. Smyth, esq.	600
William Muschamp, esq. of Roebarnes	600
Sir John Evelyn, bart.	1800
Charles Good, esq.	700
Thomas Brand, esq.	700
John Dawes, esq.	700

Warwickshire.

— Middlemore, esq. of Edgebaston	2000
William Combes, esq.	800
William Dylke, esq. of Maxstoke Castle	800
Richard Verney, esq. of Compton	600
Thomas Flint, esq.	700
Thomas Broughton, esq. of Lawford	800
Edward Peyton, esq.	1800
John Stratford, esq.	1000
William Wood, esq.	800
John Bridgman, esq.	1000
— Keyte, esq. of Camden	1000
Seabright Reppington, esq.	1000
— Jenings, esq. of Bromesham	1000
— Sheldon, esq. of Beoley	2000
Capt. Geo. Rawley	700

Wiltshire.

Thomas Baskervile, esq.	1200
William Duckett, esq.	1000
George Bond, esq.	800
Sir John Scroope, knt.	700
Sir John Ernley, knt.	1000
Edward Hyde, esq.	600
William Willoughby, esq.	600
Walter Buckland, esq.	900
John Bowles, esq.	600
John Holte, esq.	800
John Norden, esq.	800
Richard Grubham Howe, esq.	1200
Oliver Nicholas, esq.	1000
John Gore, esq.	600
William Boddenham, esq.	600

Worcestershire.

Sir William Russell, bart.	3000

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Sir Henry Littleton, bart. of Frankley	£3000
Samuel Sandys, esq. of Umbersley	1000
Sherrington Talbott, esq.	1000
Thomas Savage, esq. of Elmley Castle	800
— Sheldon, esq. of Broadway	600
Matthew Morphew, esq.	1000
Major Thomas Weld	600
William Acton, esq.	1000
Sir Rowland Berkeley, knt.	1000
Henry Bromley, esq.	1000
Philip Brace, esq.	600
Francis Sheldon, esq.	600
Joseph Walsh, esq.	1000
Sir John Woodford, knt.	2000
Thomas Child, esq.	2000

Westmoreland.

Christ. Crackenthorpe, esq.	600
Thomas Leybourne, esq.	600
James Duckett, esq.	800
Daniel Fleminge, esq.	1800
Allan Bellingham, esq.	1500
Thomas Cabetas, esq.	600
John Dalston, esq.	600
John Lowther, esq.	4000
John Otway, esq.	600
Richard Braythwaite, esq.	600
Sir Thomas Braythwaite, knt.	1500

Yorkshire.

Thomas Tancred, esq.	800
Francis Bayldon, esq.	600
Robert Doldon, esq.	600
Marmaduke Constable, esq.	1000
Major Vavasor, of Weston	600
John Calverley, esq. of Calverley	1000
Major John Beverley	600
Capt. John Garnett	600
Nicholas Chaloner, esq.	600
Thomas Danby, esq.	3000
Richard Hutton, esq.	1000
William Osbaldiston, esq.	1000
James Moyser, esq.	1000
Barrington Bourchier, esq.	1000
Sir Walter Vavasor, knt.	1000
Sir Christ. Wandesford, knt.	2000
John Beilby, esq.	1000
Edward Trotter, esq.	1000
— Pennyman, esq.	1000
Walter Calverley, esq.	1000

Anglesey.

John Robinson, esq.	800
William Bould, esq.	1000
Thomas Wood, esq.	600
— Bodden, esq.	1000
Peirce Lloyd, esq.	1000

Brecknock.

Richard Gwynn, esq.	600
Wilbourne Williams, esq.	600
John Jefferyes, esq.	600
Walter Vaughan, esq.	700

Carmarthen.

	Per An.
Altham Vaughan, esq.	£1000
Philip Vaughan, esq.	600
Henry Maunsell, esq.	700
Rowland Gwynn, esq.	800
Charles Vaughan, esq.	600
William Gwynn, esq.	700
Nicholas Williams, esq.	1000
Richard Gwynn, esq.	700

Cardigan.

John Jones, esq.	800
Edward Vaughan, esq.	1000
Thomas Jones, esq.	600
Reynold Jenkins, esq.	700
James Lewis	700

Carnarvon.

Sir John Owen's heire	1500

Denbigh.

Charles Salisburie, esq.	1300
Huscall Thelwall, esq.	600
Foulke Middleton, esq.	600
John Wynn, esq.	600
Sir Thomas Myddelton, knt. of Chirk Castle	600
Brevis Lloyd, esq.	600
John Lloyd, esq.	800

Flintshire.

Sir Roger Mostyn, bart. of Mostyn	4000
Sir Edward Mostyn, knt.	1500
— Salisbury, esq. of Hegragge	600
Robert Davis, esq.	2000
John Puliston, esq.	2500
Sir John Hanmer, bart.	3000
William Hanmer, esq.	1500

Glamorganshire.

Sir — Esterlinge, knt.	2000
Herbert Evans, esq.	1500
David Jenkins, esq.	1500
Thomas Matthewes, esq.	1100
William Basset, esq.	800
William Herbert, esq.	1000
Edmund Lewis, esq.	800
David Matthewes, esq.	1000

Monmouthshire.

William Morgan, esq.	4000
William Jones, esq. of Lanarth	1000
Thomas Lewis, esq.	1000
Charles Vann, esq.	800
Walter Rumsey, esq.	600
William Jones, esq. of Lantrischent	600
— Milbourne, esq.	800

Merioneth.

William Salisbury, esq.	800

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William Price, esq.	£1500
William Vaughan, esq.	1200
Howell Vaughan, esq.	800
— Attwyll, esq. of Parke	1500
Lewis Owen, esq.	600
John Lloyd, esq.	600

Montgomery.

John Pugh, esq.	1000
— Owen, esq. of Ruseston	1000
— Blaney, esq.	1000
Roger Lloyd, esq.	800
Richard Owen, esq.	800
Richard Herbert, esq.	700

	Per An.
Sir Edward Lloyd	£1200
Edmund Wareing, esq.	700

Pembrokeshire.

Thomas Langhorne, esq.	800
Lewis Wogan, esq.	1000
Hugh Bowen, esq.	600
Essex Meyricke, esq.	600
Sir John Lort, knt.	2000

Radnorshire.

George Gwynn, esq.	1500
Evan Davies, esq.	600
— Price, esq.	1000

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